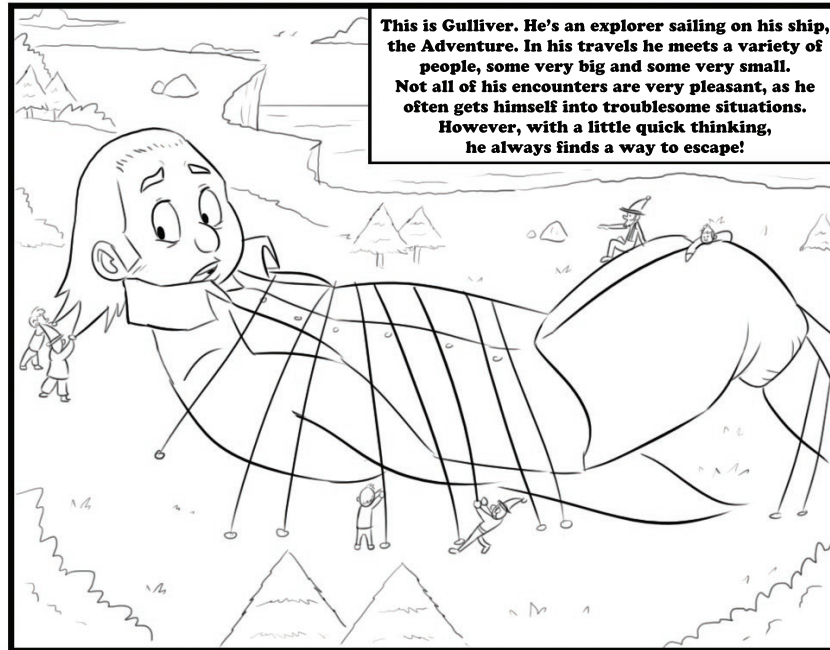


SAMPLE ANSWERS Analyzing Story Illustrations

Directions: First, look at this illustration without reading the text and answer questions one and two. Then, read the text and answers questions three and four. Write using declarative sentences. Reminder: declarative sentences declare, or state something, and always end with a period.



This is Gulliver. He's an explorer sailing on his ship, the Adventure. In his travels he meets a variety of people, some very big and some very small. Not all of his encounters are very pleasant, as he often gets himself into troublesome situations. However, with a little quick thinking, he always finds a way to escape!

<p>1. What is going on in this illustration?</p>	<p>The giant man is being tied up by little people.</p>
<p>2. What do you see that makes you say that? Write and/or draw specific examples from the illustration.</p>	<p>I see ropes going across his body. It looks like he is trying to get up but can not get up. His face looks like he is worried. The people look much smaller compared to him. They look like they are pulling tightly on the ropes.</p>
<p>3. What words or phrases in the text help you understand the illustration?</p>	<p>"...he meets a variety of people, some big and some very small." "Not all of his encounters are very pleasant as he often gets himself into troublesome situations."</p>
<p>4. What extra details in the illustrations do you see that are not in the text?</p>	<p>The look on the man's face in the illustration appears worried or surprised. The text does not mention how the man is feeling. The illustrations shows exactly what type of troublesome situations the man gets into while on his adventures. The illustration shows the setting of the story. It looks like he is on a cliff near the water.</p>