

Making Connections Part 2

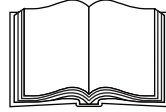
Literary Response

Text-to-Self Connections



A connection between the book and your life experiences

Text-to-Text Connections



A connection between the book and another book/text you have read

Text-to-World Connections



A connection between the book and events in the "real world"

Part 1 Select Your Prompts

1. Select one prompt from each of the following sections.
2. Place a checkmark next to your chosen prompt.
3. Write your responses in Part 2 of this activity. Cite the text at least one time in each response.

Text-to-Self Prompt

- How does the lesson in this story remind you of a time when you learned a valuable lesson?
- How can you relate to one character's personality and/or behavior?
- What type of personal struggle does a character in your book face that reminds you of a struggle you have dealt with?

Text-to-Text Prompt

- How do the relationships among the characters in this text remind you of characters in a different story?
- How is the theme in this text different than the theme in another text you've read?
- How is the theme in this text similar to the theme in another text you've read?

Text-to-World Prompt

- How does an event in this story remind you of an event you have seen in the news?
- How does an event in this story remind you of something that has happened at your school or in your community?
- How is a character in this story similar to a leader in your community or historical figure?

Literary Response Tip

Pause while reading to pay attention to and highlight important details. Active reading will help you write thoughtful reflections about a text!



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Part 2 Write about Your Connections

Text-to-Self Response

Text-to-Text Response

Text-to-World Response
