

DEVELOPING YOUR SCHEMA:

Use what you already know about a subject to better understand what you are reading. If you are reading about dolphins and already know a great deal of information about them, then you can make connections with your schema for every new thing you learn. Developing your schema about different subjects helps you to become a stronger writer and reader. You can do this by reading books, magazines, and newspapers as well as visiting websites and even trying out new kinds of games. Tests you take cover both fiction and non-fiction topics, and if you learn about all different types of topics, then you will feel more comfortable when taking your test.

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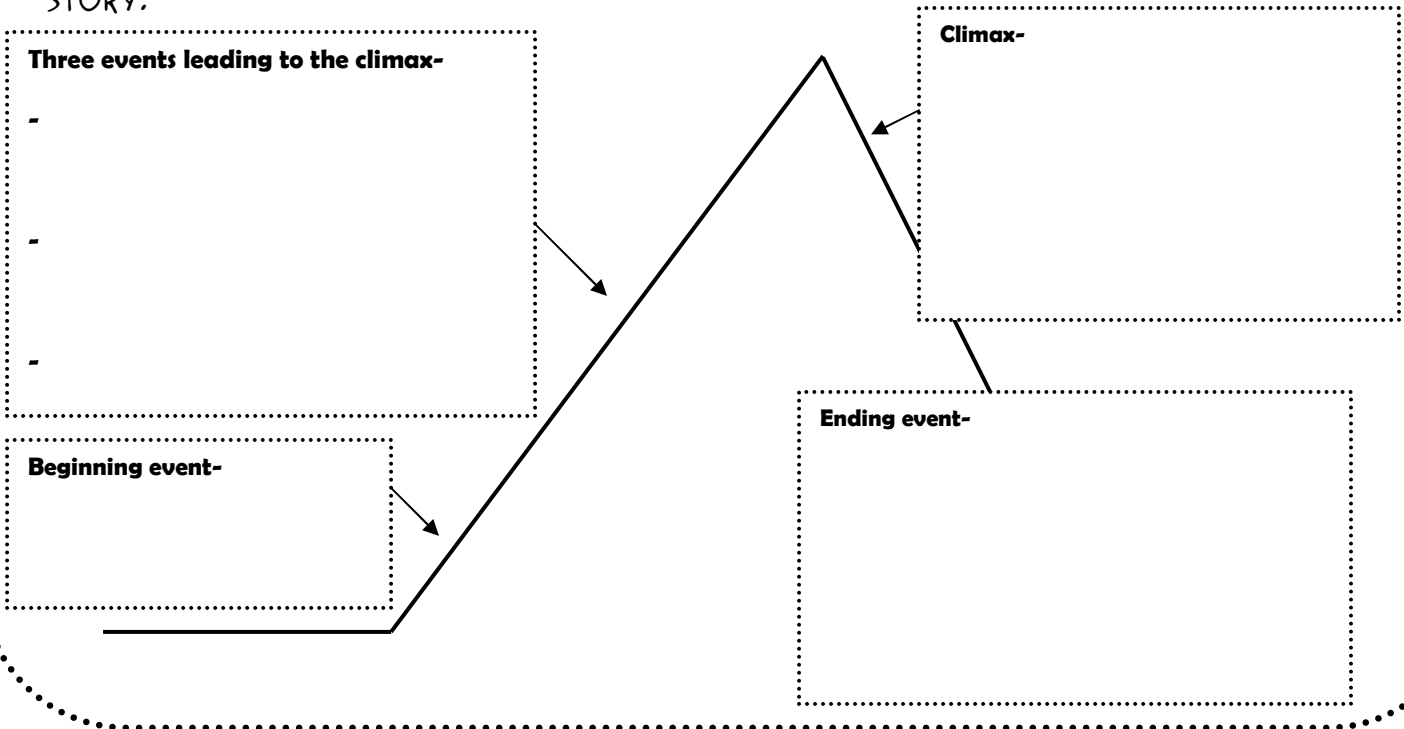
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SURVEY- LOOK AT THE TEXT FEATURES OF YOUR SELECTION AND ALSO THINK ABOUT HOW YOUR SCHEMA CONNECTS TO WHAT YOU ARE READING. LOOK AT THE TITLE OF YOUR SELECTION, ANY SUBTITLES, PHOTOS WITH CAPTIONS, AND THE BEGINNING AS WELL AS THE ENDING PARAGRAPHS. FIGURE OUT THE AUTHOR'S PURPOSE.

QUESTION- TAKE THE SUBTITLES IN YOUR SELECTION AND TURN THEM INTO QUESTIONS. WHICH DETAILS IN EACH SUBSECTION HELP ANSWER THE QUESTIONS YOU DEVELOPED? SECOND, LOOK AT THE QUESTIONS YOU HAVE TO ANSWER AND SEE IF YOU CAN ANSWER ANY OF THEM BEFORE OFFICIALLY READING THE ARTICLE.

READ- NOW THAT YOU HAVE DETERMINED THE AUTHOR'S PURPOSE AND ARE FAMILIAR WITH THE TEXT FEATURES IN THE ARTICLE, READ THE ENTIRE ARTICLE.

PLOT- LAMINATE THIS CARD AND WRITE DOWN THE EVENTS THAT TOOK PLACE IN YOUR STORY.



CAUSE AND EFFECT

A CAUSE IS SOMETHING THAT MAKES SOMETHING ELSE HAPPEN. OUT OF TWO EVENTS, IT IS ALWAYS THE EVENT THAT HAPPENS FIRST. AN EFFECT IS WHAT HAPPENS AS A RESULT OF THE CAUSE. THE EFFECT IS ALWAYS WHAT HAPPENS SECOND OR LAST. LAMINATE THIS CARD AND USE IT IN GROUPS TO WRITE DOWN DIFFERENT CAUSES AND EFFECTS.

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