

# Narrative Story Map

## Objective

Students will identify important information in a story to determine meaning.

## Materials

- Text from basal reader or novel
- Narrative Story Map handout

## Overview

Explicitly model and provide multiple opportunities for practice with corrective feedback.

## Activity

1. Begin reading the text.
2. Guide a discussion of the text, using the handout.
3. Provide feedback and field students' questions.

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## Setting

- When did the story happen?
- Where did the story happen?

## Characters

Who are the characters in the story?

## Problem

- What was \_\_\_\_\_'s problem in the story?
- What was \_\_\_\_\_ trying to do in the story?

## Plot

- How did \_\_\_\_ try to solve the problem?
- What happened first? Next? Last?

## Resolution

- How was the problem solved?
- How did the story end?