



Comparing Stories

Activity: Comparing Stories

Category: Writing Assignment

Series: Game On!

Supplies

Paper; pencil

Prep

Read and two books in the Game On! series or assign two books for your students to read on their own.

Directions

Have the students compare the two books. Write three paragraphs comparing and contrasting the books in these areas: What problems do the main characters face? Who is there to help them? What lessons do they learn in the end?

Evaluation

Did the student use specific examples and/or quotes to support their ideas? Did the student offer insightful comparisons and contrasts between the two books? RL 4.1, 5.1, 5.3

Purpose

To help students to use examples from text to support their ideas, and to help them be aware of multiple stories in order to compare and contrast them.