Lesson Plan Summary
Magic Tree House #2: The Knight at Dawn

Story Mapping with Annie

Write a summary using The Knight at Dawn

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<td>Fill in a “story map” with setting, character, main events and details of the story.</td>
<td>READING:</td>
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| Write a summary or re-telling of the main events in the story. | • Reading comprehension  
• Setting  
• Main idea and details  
• Sequencing  
• Conclusion  
• Re-tell the story |
| | WRITING: |
| | • Summarize  
• Re-tell the story |

As an extension to this lesson, refer to Cluster 1 - Backpack Journals. Use all four books in this cluster to further develop into a book study or book club.

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MATERIALS NEEDED:

- The Knight at Dawn
- Story Mapping with Annie worksheet for each student (included)
- Post-it notes for each student
- Colored pencils or crayons

DIRECTIONS:

The student will copy information onto the Story Mapping with Annie worksheet as they read.

CHAPTER ONE (Start at the icon of the book)

- Who pointed to the picture in the book? (Jack or Annie?)
- What is the picture Jack or Annie pointed to?
- What is the name of this magic book which starts the adventure?
- Move to the Mission Key scroll to fill in the goal of the mission for this book.

CHAPTER TWO

- Move to the tree house window. Draw the setting of where the tree house landed.
- Write the name of the time period under the tree house window.
- Move to the Chapter 2 star. Write the first main event upon landing in the new setting.

CHAPTERS THREE – TEN

- Student puts a post-it note on the page of the main event that happens in each of the next eight chapters. Jot down the event on the post-it. (Sometimes there is more than one event or the students get distracted by the details. Refer to lesson ideas in the Whole Class Book Study section for ideas on how to teach this. This is located in the Cluster Section – Backpack Travel Journals)
- Teacher checks post-it note for accuracy. This continued practice with each story will teach the students how to choose the main events for re-telling a story.
- Student will write a few words or a sentence describing the main event of the chapter near the circled chapter number.

Collect a Story Mapping with Annie journal for each of the four books read in the cluster and store in THE BACKPACK. Refer to Cluster 1 – The Backpack Journals to further extend this lesson.
Story Mapping with Annie for ________________

(Title of Book)

Mission Key
The goal of this mission is ________________
______________________________
______________________________

It all began when ________________ pointed to the picture in the ________________
(magic book)

Ch. 2

Ch. 3  Ch. 4

Ch. 5

Ch. 6  Ch. 7  Ch. 8

Ch. 9

Ch. 10

Draw the setting of where they landed

Give the main event for each chapter.
Story Mapping with Annie for #2 THE KNIGHT AT DAWN

(Time of Book)

Mission Key
The goal of this mission is:
Find CLUE #2 to who owns the treehouse.

SUGGESTED SETTING (p.14)
Student draws a castle surrounded by fog.

Time Period—Middle Ages (back cover)

It all began when Annie (p. 12) pointed to the knight on a black horse picture in the KNIGHTS & CASTLES (magic book).

Jack is careful to match facts in the Castle book to what they see. Annie runs ahead again, into the castle.

They peek into the feast in the Great Hall (Banquet Hall).

They are chased into the armory and trapped.

Guards put Jack and Annie in the dungeon, but they escape.

Brought to the tree house by the knight on the horse, flying in the air.

When they get home, Jack finds a blue leather BOOKMARK with an “M” in his backpack. The same “M” as the gold medallion! CLUE # 2.