



Lesson Plan Summary Magic Tree House #29: A Big Day for Baseball

Story Mapping with Annie

Write a summary using A Big Day for Baseball

 EACH STUDENT WILL: Fill in a "story map" with setting, character, main events and details of the story. 	COMMON CORE STANDARDS ADDRESSED: (The standard for one grade level is explained. The codes for applicable grade levels are listed.)
 Write a summary or re-telling of the main events in the story. 	 READING: KEY IDEAS AND DETAILS (RI1.1, RI2.1, RI3.1, RI4.1) Ask and answer such questions as who, what, where, when, why and how to demonstrate understanding of key details in a text, (RI2.1)
	WRITING: • RESEARCH TO BUILD AND PRESENT KNOWLEDGE (W1.8, W2.8, W3.8, W4.8) Recall information from experiences or gather information from print and digital sources; take brief notes on sources and sort evidence into provided categories. (W2.8)

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MATERIALS NEEDED:

- A Big Day for Baseball
- 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

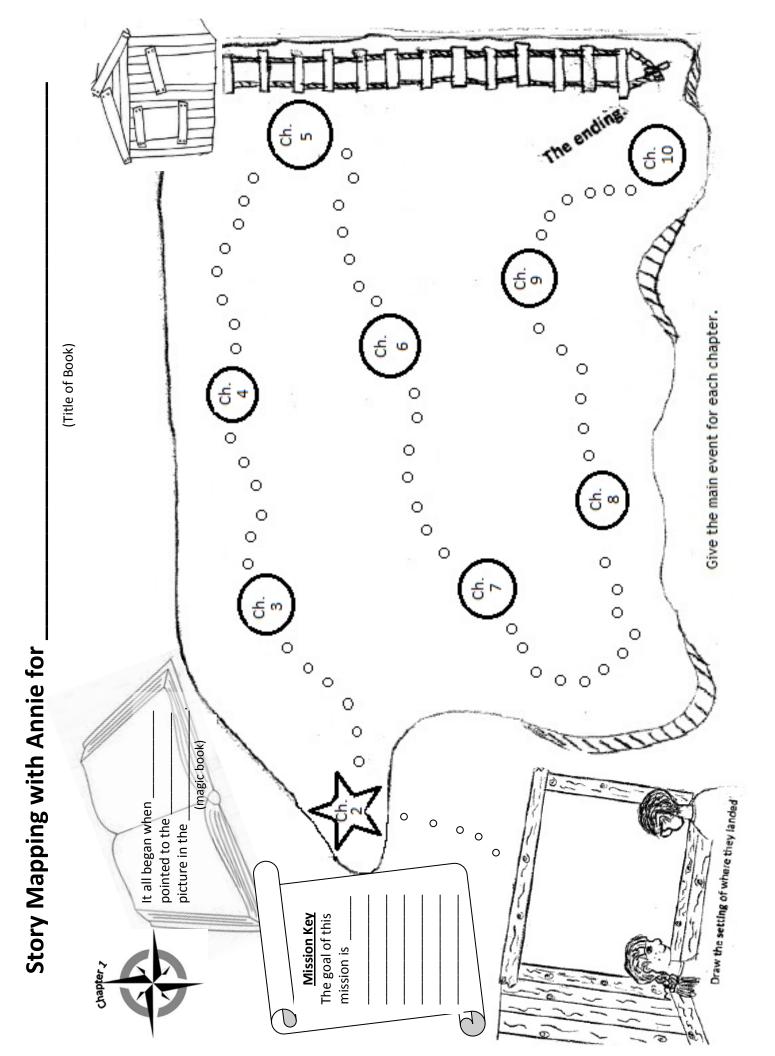
- Move to the tree house window. Draw the setting of where the tree house landed.
- Write the name of the time period under the tree house window.
- Move to the Chapter 2 star. Write the first main event upon landing in the new setting.

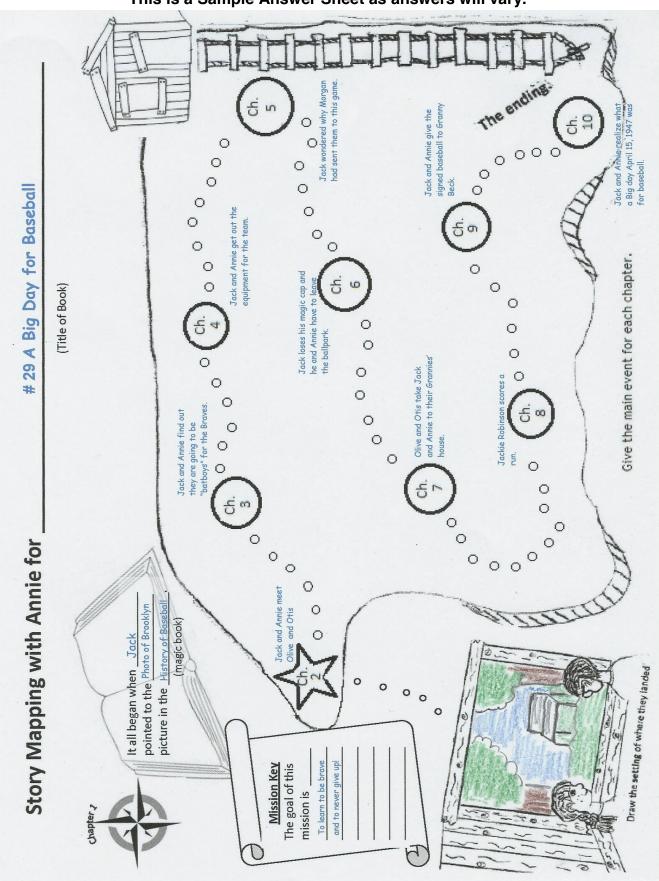
CHAPTERS THREE – TEN

- 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.
- 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.

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Bonus Activity Magic Tree House: A Big Day for Baseball

Word Search Activity Sheet

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Е	В	Е	R	Ι	Ρ	Μ	U	W	Η	Ν	S	Е	Ζ	В

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Word Search Word List

Baseball
Strike
Foul
Bases
Big League
Robinson
Bat
Player
Umpire
Batboy
Ebbets Field
New York
Brooklyn Dodgers
Boston Braves
Clubhouse
Manager
Shortstop
First Base
Home Plate
Uniforms
Baseball