

<p><b>Step 1→</b> Take out your homework.</p>	<p><b>A Day→ NONE.</b> <b>B Day→ Vocabulary HW.</b></p>	
<p><b>Step 2→</b> Read today's title/ objective</p>	<p><b>TITLE: Short Story #2</b> <b>Objective: Can I identify the elements of a short story?</b></p>	<p><b>A Day: 10/17/20</b> <b>B Day: 10/18/20</b></p>
<p><b>Step 3→</b>  Journal</p>	<p><b><u>Journal #12: Vocabulary 17-20</u></b> <b>Use complete sentences AND the vocabulary word.</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Who is responsible for the <b>feud</b> between Ulrich and Georg?</li> <li>What is something <b>ironic</b> in "The Lottery"?</li> <li>What is an <b>inference</b> people make about you when you first meet them?</li> <li>Who is one <b>formidable</b> villain from a TV show, movie, or book?</li> </ol>	

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**Nouns: a person, place, thing, or idea**

Proof: a \_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_, some \_\_\_\_s

If it makes sense with one of them, it's a noun.

(a brother, the brother, some brothers)

Ex. My brother swims well.

**Look through your journal entry and  
circle your nouns.**

# Universal Themes

## Quick Check

### Stories

The Little Red Hen

Beauty and the Beast

The Three Little Pigs

The Ugly Duckling

The Frog Prince

Match these familiar stories to the appropriate universal theme.

**A** It pays to work hard and plan ahead.

**B** Appearances can be deceiving.

Answer

[End of Section]



# When writing a theme:



1. Choose 1-2 abstract topic(s) **first**.
2. Ask yourself, “What does the author believe about this/these topic(s)?”

## Do NOT:

- Write a cliché (ex. “Never give up.”)
- Use plot summary/characters’ names.
- Use “you” or “I believe”

# Short Story Choice #2

- **Bottom back half** →
  - **What is the theme of story?**
  - Use your “How to write a theme” handout to help you!

# HOMEWORK: A DAY

- DUE Wednesday, October 19
  - NoRedInk → NOUNS
  - Short Story Map #2 (Your choice)
    - Bottom Back ½ → OER: What is the theme of the story?
  - Permission Slip (PLEASE!)

# HOMEWORK: B DAY

- DUE Thursday, October 20
  - NoRedInk → NOUNS
  - Short Story Map #2 (Your choice)
    - Bottom Back ½ → OER: What is the theme of the story?
  - Permission Slip (PLEASE!)