



This Task Rotation can help you meet these K-5 standards...

> R.CCR: 1, 2, 3, 5*, 10 *esp. RL.2.5*
> W.CCR: 1, 4, 10

> SL.CCR: 4
> L.CCR: 1, 2

WHAT'S THE STORY?

Every story has a beginning, middle, and end. What happens in these three parts makes up the plot. The plot tells about what the character wants or needs, the problem that the character has to solve, and how the character solves it. Within the story there are also messages or lessons to be learned. Use the activities below to help you understand a story you have read.

MASTERY

Every story has a beginning, middle, and end.

Summarize your story's plot in the chart below by telling what happens in each part.

Beginning:
Middle:
End:

V L S M B P I N

Every story causes us to feel a certain way.

What feelings did you experience as you read the story? Did you like or dislike the story? What was your favorite part?

Tell a friend how you felt about this story. Explain why you liked or disliked the story.

V L S M B P I N

INTERPERSONAL

UNDERSTANDING

Every story has a character who wants or needs something (a goal), but has a problem that must be solved.

Describe your character's goal, problem, and solution on the chart below.

What the character needs or wants:
The problem the character faces:
How the character solves the problem:

V L S M B P I N

How is the story like a teacher?

Every story has a message. What did the story you read try to teach you? Write a few sentences that tell what you learned from reading the story.

V L S M B P I N

SELF-EXPRESSIVE

