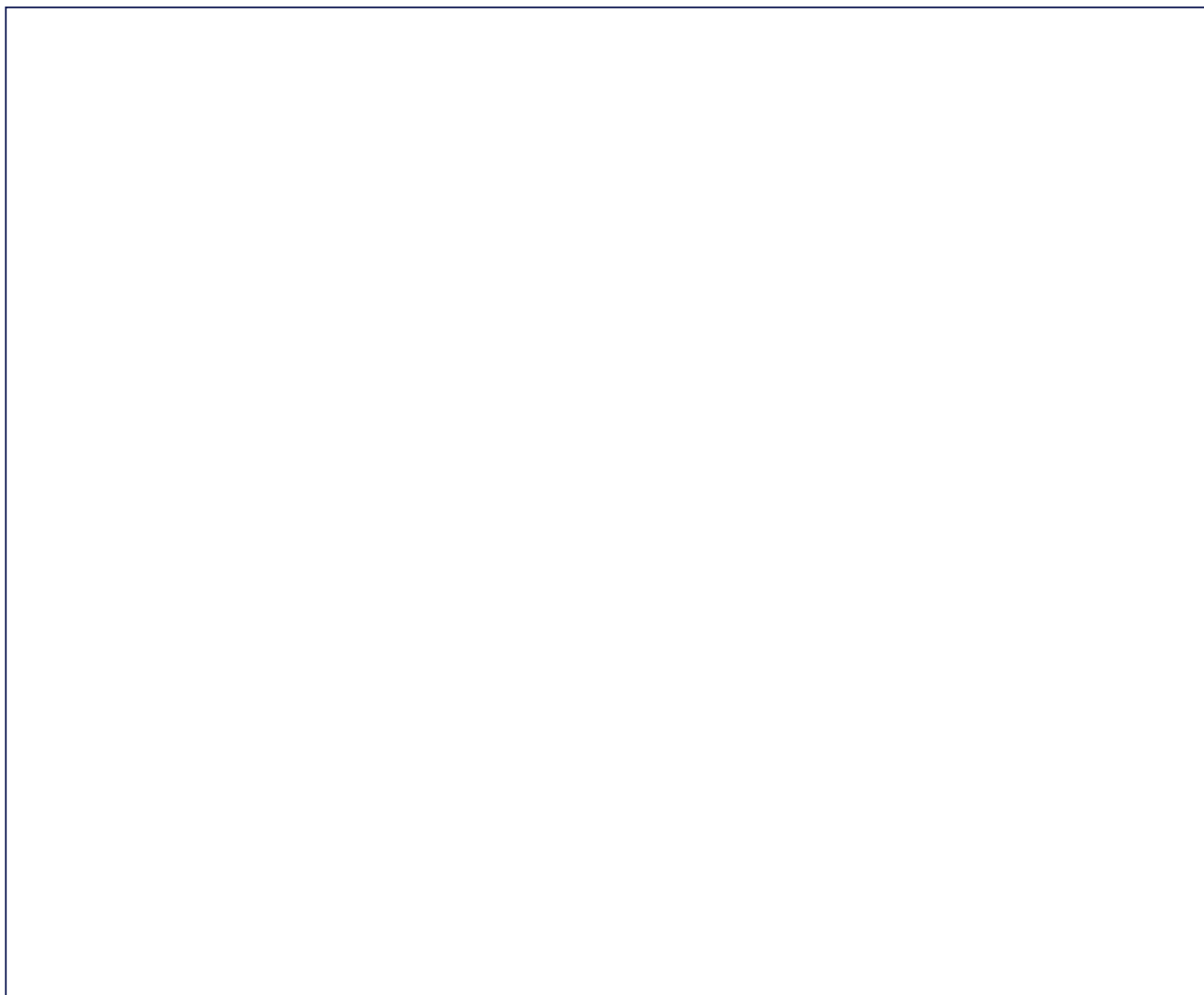


My Book Review Masterpiece

Learning objective: To visually represent the key elements of a story and evaluate a book through a creative review.

Pip the caterpillar loves collecting words from his favourite books! Now it is your turn to be a book critic. Think of a book you have read recently. Instead of just writing a review, you are going to draw one. Use the space provided to bring the story to life and follow the steps to label your review.

Draw: A large blank canvas divided into a central focus area for the main character, surrounding space for the landscape/setting, and designated corners for a star rating and a genre label. The style should be a 'mind-map' style illustration where the story unfolds around the central character.



Label words: Protagonist · Setting · Climax · Plot · Antagonist · Recommendation · Genre · Theme

Steps:

1. Step 1: In the centre of your page, draw the main character (the protagonist). What do they look like?
2. Step 2: Around your character, draw the setting. Where does the story take place? (e.g. a spooky forest, a futuristic city, or a quiet village).
3. Step 3: Draw a small 'action bubble' showing the most exciting part of the plot (the climax).
4. Step 4: If there is a villain or a character who causes problems, draw them on the opposite side of the

page. Label them as the 'Antagonist'.

5. Step 5: In the top corner, draw a star rating out of five. How many stars would you give this book?

6. Step 6: Using your word bank, label the 'Genre' of the book (e.g. Fantasy, Mystery, Historical Fiction) at the bottom of your drawing.