

Name _____

Story Tree



A Story Tree can't be planted; it needs to be built. You can build a Story Tree by following the directions below. Write each item in the correct space on the tree frame.

Write:

1. the name of the main character
2. two words that describe the main character
3. three words that describe where the story takes place (setting)
4. four words telling what the main character wanted in the story
5. five words telling what happened that almost stopped the main character from getting what she or he wanted in the story
6. six words telling how the main character got what she or he wanted in the story
7. seven words that describe the best part of the book
8. eight words telling why you would or would not tell a friend to read this book

Further instructions:

Choose your words carefully. Use colorful and interesting words. You don't always need to write complete sentences, but the groups of words must make sense.

Do a rough draft first (as always). Next write your words in pencil on the tree, check for accuracy, then go back over them in a black pen or marker so they will stand out.

Lightly color your tree to make it look nice.