



Stone Cold – Empathic writing

What do you think the word empathy means?? You are to write your answer on the post-it provided and stick it on the side of the board.

GIVING
EMPATHY



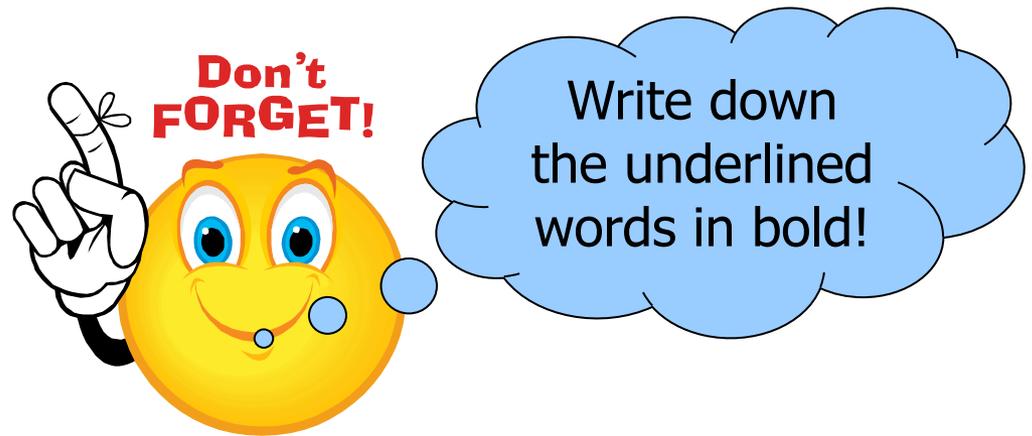
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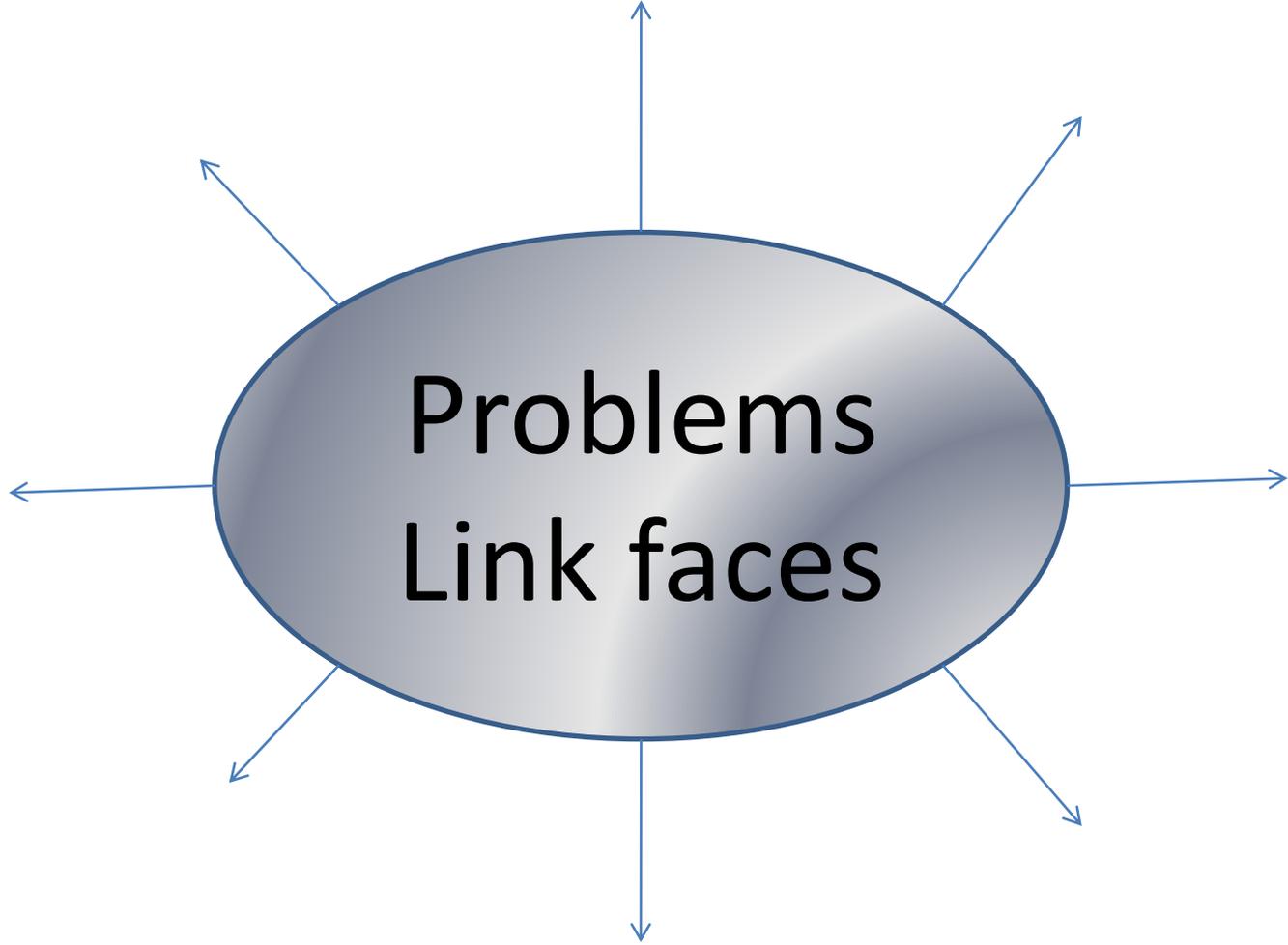


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Input
one



Activity

one

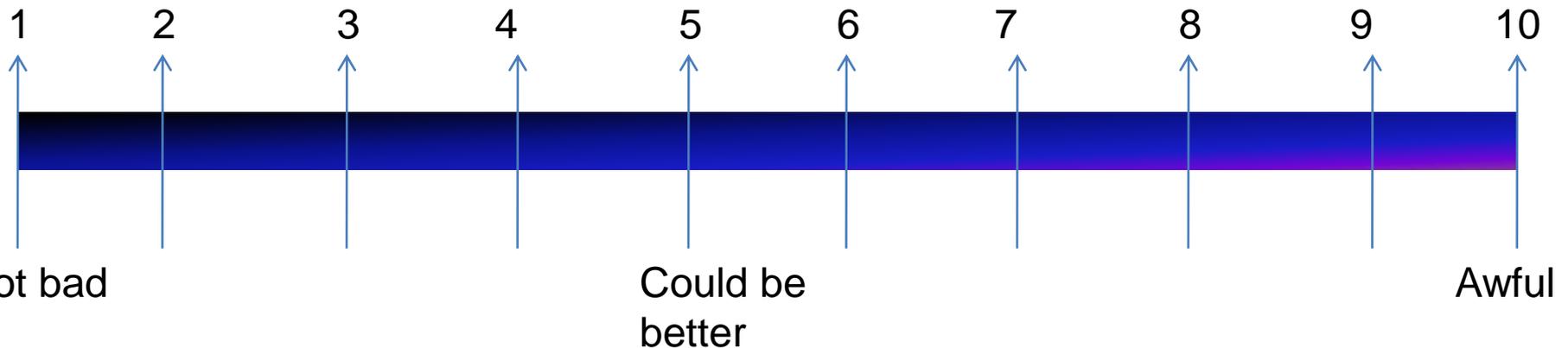
You are to write one short paragraph explaining the problems that the character Link faces. Why do you think this is??



Review one



- How would you rank Link's problems on a scale from 1-10, 1 being not bad, 10 being awful?



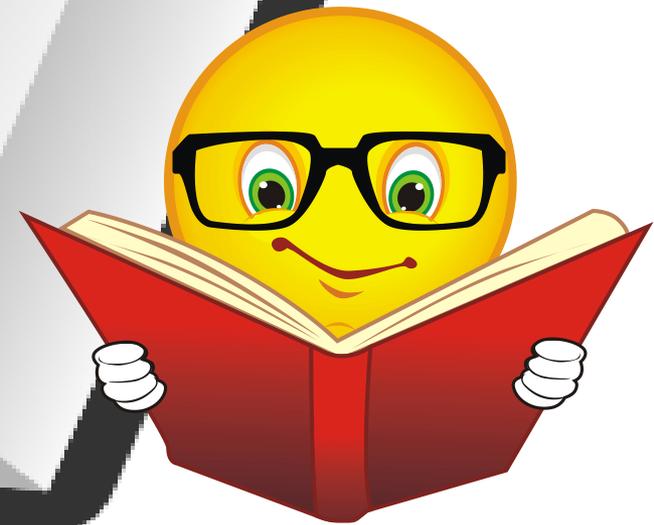
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Input
two

Class reading of
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think of what's
happened?



Activity two

What do you
think of what
Link's landlord
has done?



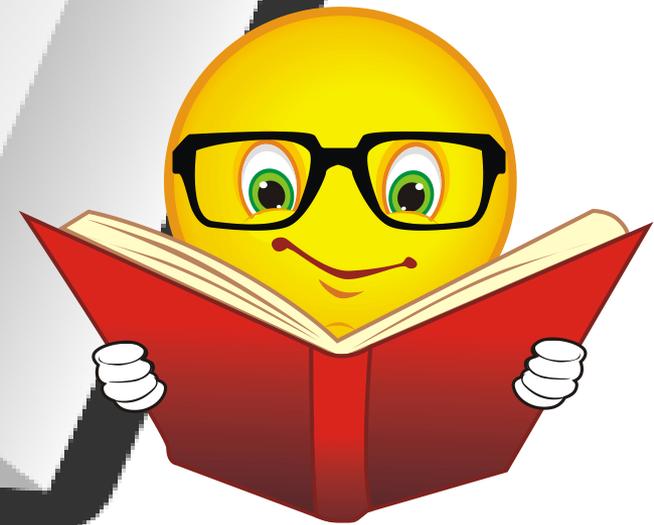
Review two

If you think that Link's landlord was unfair then stand up, if you think he was fair stay seated!



Input
three

Class reading of
pages 21-26 of the
novel. What do you
think of what's
happened?



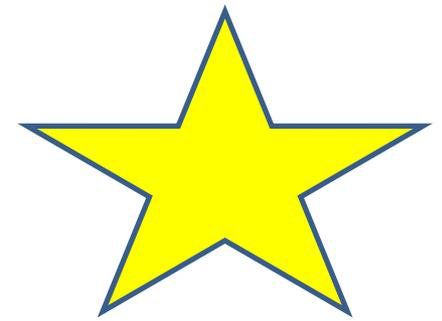
Activity three

Mrs X
Bradford
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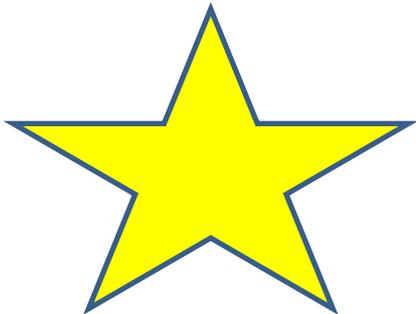


You are to create a piece of empathic writing from Link to his mother. This will take the form of a letter. What will you write about???

Review three



- You are going to swap books with the person next to you and give them 2 stars and a wish for the start of their letter. Have they shown empathy for Link?



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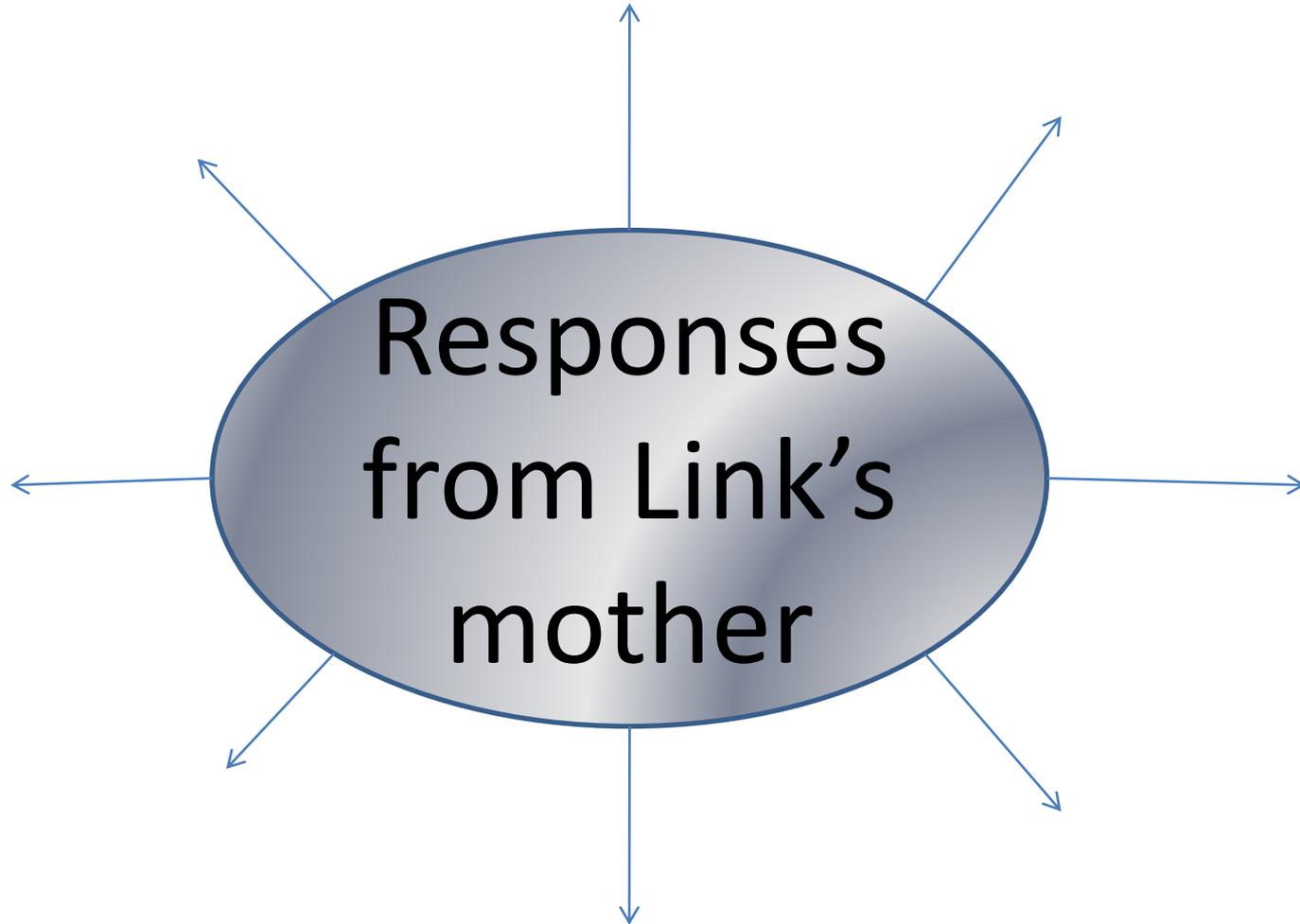


Activity four

What responses do you think Link's mother would have for his letter? Why do you think this is? You are to write either a list or create a spider diagram with your ideas.



Review four



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Homework

- You are to finish your letter from Link to his mother. You need to make sure that it shows empathy for the character of Link.

EMPATHY

*The ability to sense how another thinks and feels although we have no knowledge of the **STATE OF MIND** of others.*

*We can often perceive their thoughts and feelings such is **EMPATHY**.*

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Consolidation phase

- **Traffic light your progress**

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