**Close Read**

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| Main Idea |  |
| Thoughts |  |
| Questions |  |
| Connection |  |
| Confusing words |  |

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Rubric 9-10 The annotations demonstrate a comprehensive and thoughtful reading. The notes show that the reader has made connections and drawn valid conclusions. Annotations should include all of the categories in the chart above. 7-8 The annotations demonstrate that the reader understands the text beyond the literal level and has made some conclusions. Annotations should include all of the categories in the chart above. 5-6 The annotations indicate basic understanding of the text. At least part of the chart if filled out above. 3-4 Very few annotations made in the chart and it is difficult to evaluate how well the reader understood the reading. At least part of the chart if filled out above. 1-2 Very few annotations.