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Goldfish

Three Big Questions

Before you read this week's cover story, review the chart on the left side of this page. Keep the questions in mind as you read. You can use the sentence starters to help you write two responses to each question. Be sure to record the number of the paragraph that inspired your thinking.



What surprised me?

- I was surprised to find out ...
- I was shocked by ...
- I never thought ...
- I could not believe that ...
- The most surprising part of the article explains ...

What surprised me?

- I was surprised that in the 12-acre Oak Grove Lake in Greenville, SC, on November 16, 2020.

(paragraph 2)

- I was shocked to find the goldfish

(paragraph 4)



What did the author think I already knew?

- The author thought I knew ...
- The writer assumed that ...
- The author expected readers to understand ...
- I did not know ...
- I was confused by ...

What did the author think I already knew?

- The author thought I already knew it was going to be about a goldfish that was 9 pounds.

(paragraph 1)

- I did not know it was found accidentally.

(paragraph 2)



What challenged, changed, or confirmed my thinking?

- At first I thought ..., but now I ...
- I had to rethink ...
- My understanding changed when ...
- I was (right/wrong) about ...
- The article confirmed my thinking about ...

What challenged, changed, or confirmed my thinking?

- I had to rethink everything from that the goldfish lived in a lake to becoming an internet celebrity.

(paragraph 4)

- I was wrong that I would think it would just be 9 pounds but it actually is an internet celebrity.

(paragraph 4)