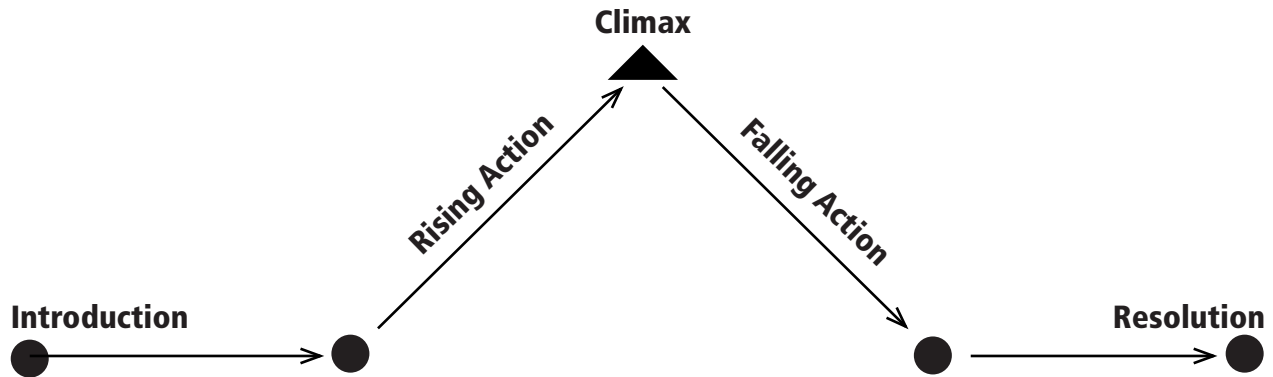


Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Instructions:** List the events under, or beside, the five parts of a plot. Use your book to help with the correct order of events.



**Introduction:** (usually describes the setting and characters)

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**Rising Action:** (presents the problem and explains how the character is trying to solve it)

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**Climax:** (the most exciting part of the text in which the problem is solved)

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**Falling Action:** (tells what happens as a result of the character's solution to the problem)

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**Resolution:** (the loose ends of the book are tied up and the book ends)

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Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Instructions:** Write the correct form of the adjective in the blank.

1. The Amazon River is the \_\_\_\_\_ in the world. (wide)
2. Some think it is also the \_\_\_\_\_ river in the world. (long)
3. Do you think it is \_\_\_\_\_ than the Nile River? (long)
4. Adult piranhas are the \_\_\_\_\_ ferocious of all fish.  
(more, most)
5. Do piranhas have \_\_\_\_\_ teeth than sharks? (sharp)
6. The \_\_\_\_\_ freshwater fish in the world is found living in  
the Amazon River. (large)
7. Arapaima are the \_\_\_\_\_ fresh water fish in the world. (big)
8. Do you think the amazon's anaconda or Asia's reticulated python  
is \_\_\_\_\_? (large)
9. The python holds the world's record with the \_\_\_\_\_ ever  
measured at thirty three feet. (long)
10. January through April is the \_\_\_\_\_ season in the Amazon  
Rainforest. (wet)



Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Instructions:** Underline the simile in each sentence and circle the signal word. Write the two things that are being compared. At the bottom of the page, write two similes of your own. Tell what is being compared in each.

**What is being compared?**

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|------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| 1. The hammock sways like<br>a swinging bridge.                        | _____ | _____ |
| 2. Gabriela's pink cheeks look<br>like roses.                          | _____ | _____ |
| 3. The ants marched through our<br>food like a starving army.          | _____ | _____ |
| 4. The boy's skin was as brown<br>as a coconut.                        | _____ | _____ |
| 5. Her hands slapped at mosquitoes<br>like an out-of-control windmill. | _____ | _____ |
| 6. The package sank quickly, like<br>a rock.                           | _____ | _____ |
| 7. The sky looked like a picture<br>postcard.                          | _____ | _____ |
| 8. Arms as strong as steel pulled<br>Cammy from the water.             | _____ | _____ |
| 9. The boy stared at Cammy as if<br>she were from another planet.      | _____ | _____ |
| 10. He stared at her as if she were<br>an alien.                       | _____ | _____ |

**My two similes:**

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| 1. _____ | _____ | _____ |
| _____    | _____ | _____ |
| 2. _____ | _____ | _____ |
| _____    | _____ | _____ |