

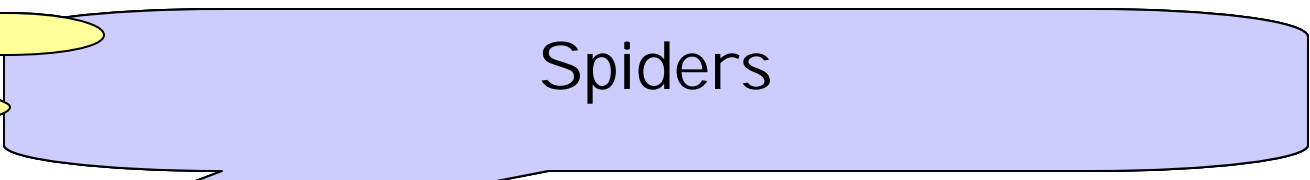
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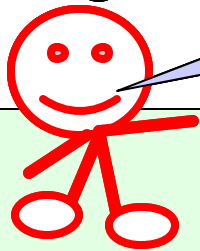
Charlotte

Name _____

Idea



Spiders



Draw a picture
word



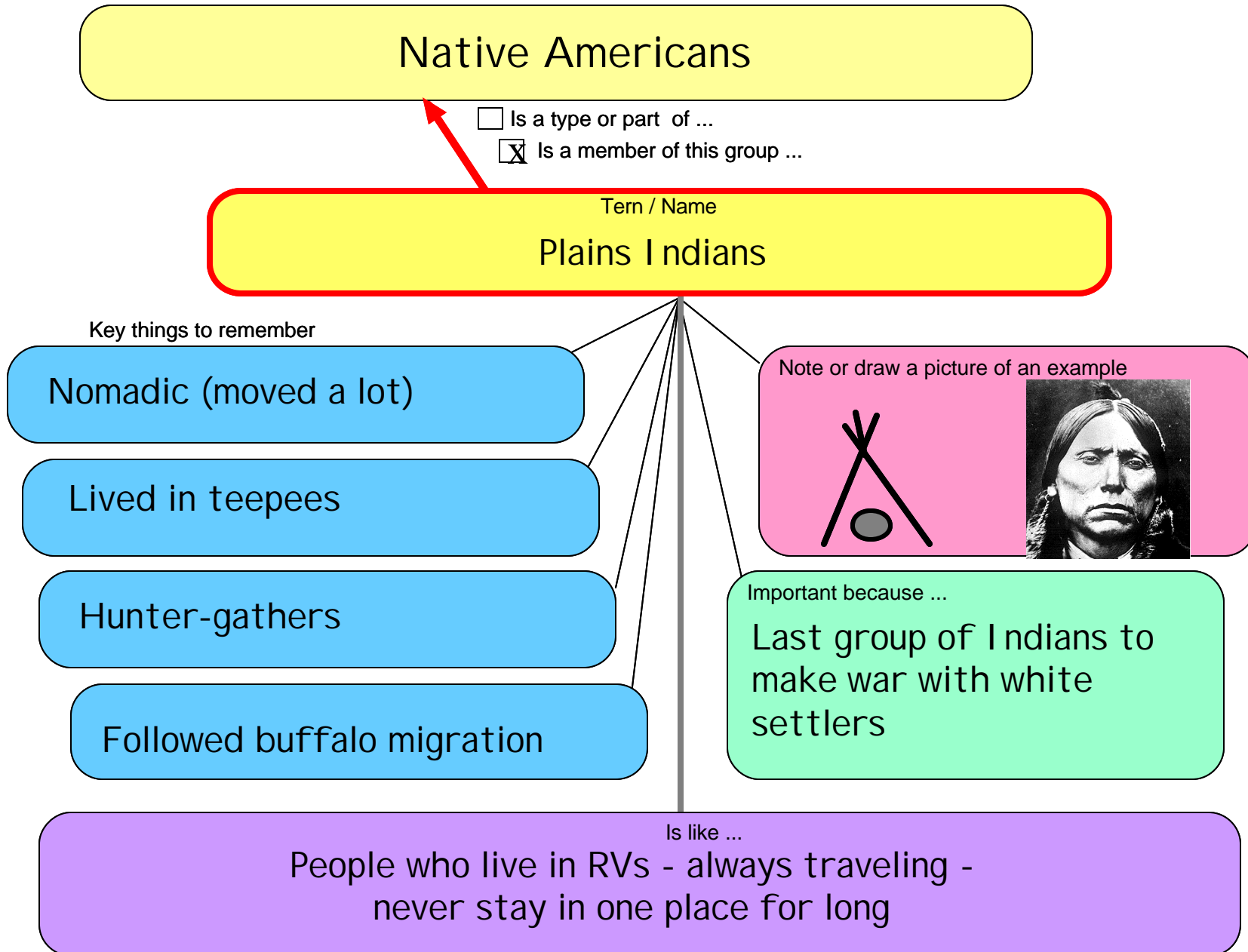
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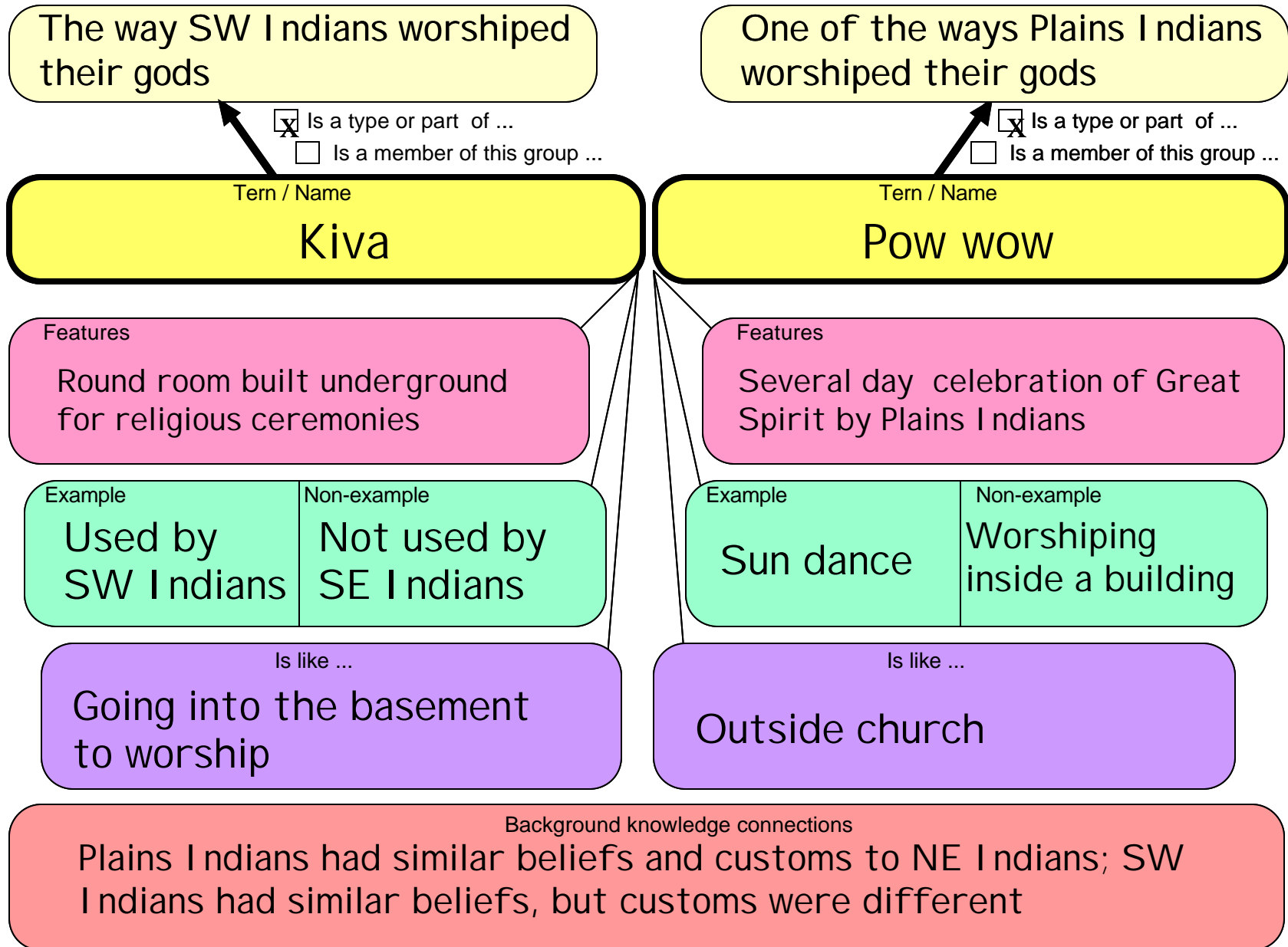
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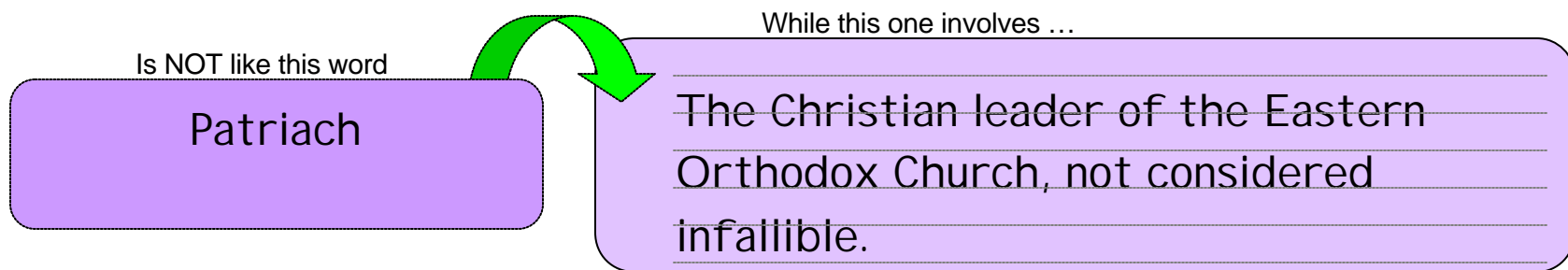
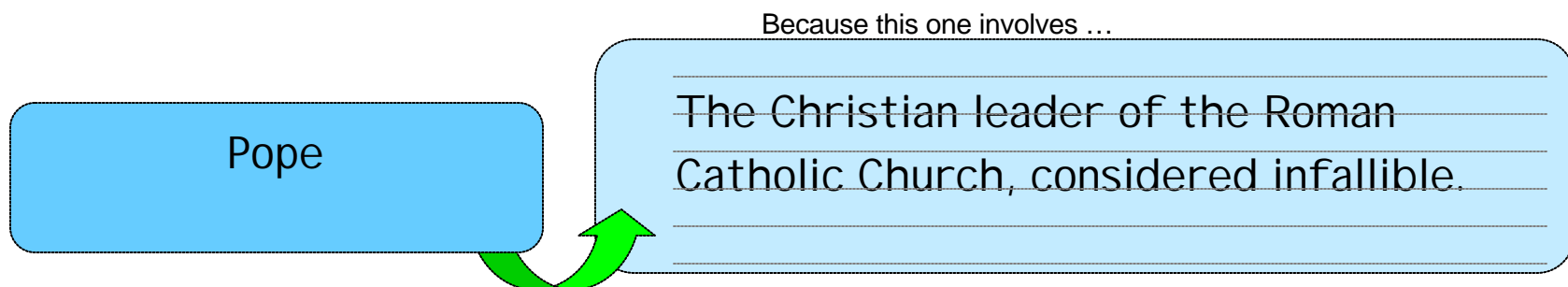
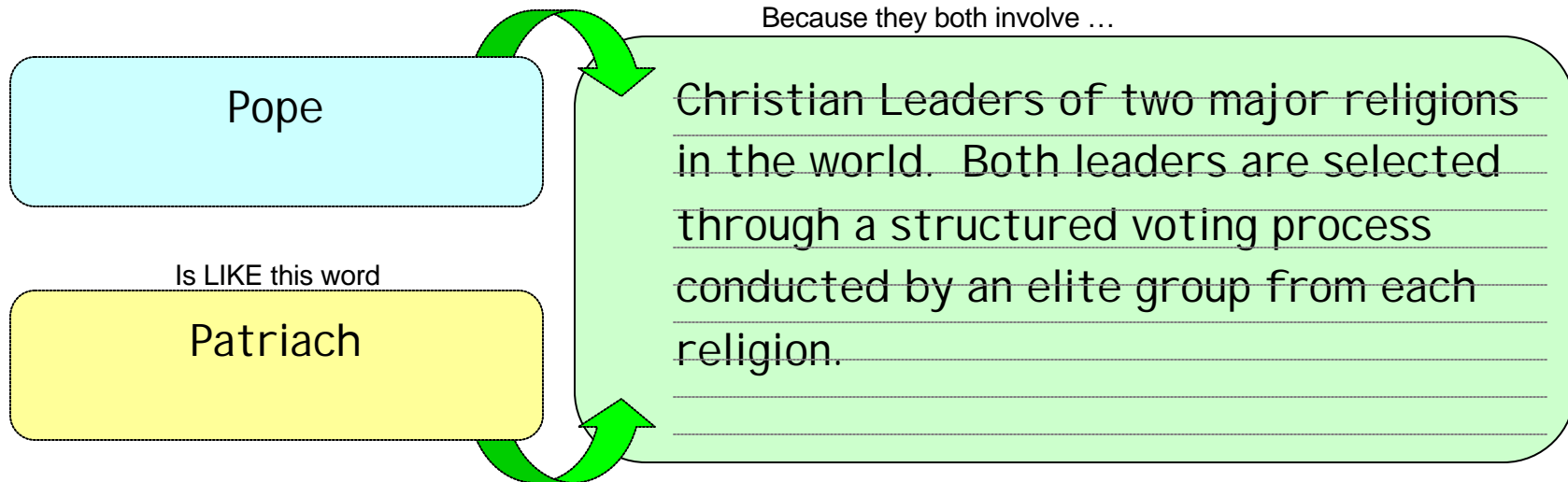
Eyes

Hairy

Spin Webs







Word Banners

Related Word Ice berg *Term* glacier *Related Word* Snow & ice

Definition
Billions of tons of snow packed together to form a solid mass of ice

Related Word residue *Term* sediment *Related Word* dregs

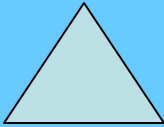

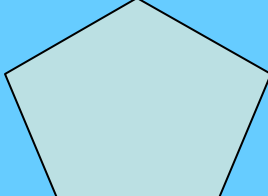
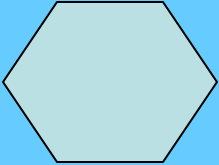
Definition
Rocks, and dirt produced by glacier rubbing against mountains

Related Word residue *Term* moraine *Related Word* dregs

Definition
Huge piles of rocks the glacier picks up as it slowly flows down a valley

Related Word fracture *Term* crevice *Related Word* fissure

Definition
Giant crack, commonly found on glaciers & the sides of mountains

New Word	Definition	Picture	Knowledge Connection
triangle	3 sides 3 angles "tri" means 3		Looks like a pyramid
quadrilateral	4 sides 4 angles "quad" means 4		Looks like a box
pentagon	5 sided box; 5 angle "pent" means 5		Looks like a house
hexagon	6 sided box; 6 angles "hex" means 6		Looks like a stop sign

New Word


Creek

SYNONYM a word that means the same thing
= Ocheese

ANTONYM a word that means the opposite
⊘ White settlers

HOMONYM a word that sounds the same, but has a different meaning
👂 creek (small river)

Picture



Essential Definition

Nation of Indians living in Alabama & Georgia

Knowledge Connection

Old girlfriend named Jean Weatherford (Creek)

New Word


McIntosh

SYNONYM a word that means the same thing
= Tustunnugee Hutkee

ANTONYM a word that means the opposite
⊘ Weatherford

HOMONYM a word that sounds the same, but has a different meaning
👂 McIntosh (apple)

Picture



Essential Definition

Led Jackson's army to defeat Upper Creeks

Knowledge Connection

Benedict Arnold (traitor)

New Word


abolish

SYNONYM a word that means the same thing
= eliminate

ANTONYM a word that means the opposite
⊘ establish

HOMONYM a word that sounds the same, but has a different meaning
👂

Picture



Essential Definition

get rid of

Knowledge Connection

I'd like to abolish doing homework!

STORY _____

Verdi by Janell Cannon

Word

scattered

Gist

When something is spread all over the place

This word reminds me of...

Leaves spread all over my yard

How the Word Was Used in the Story

"Grow up big and green-as green as the trees' leaves," she called to her little yellow babies as they happily scattered among the trees.

Word

ventured

Gist

To go somewhere that might seem a little risky

This word reminds me of...

When a baby bird tries to fly away from the nest for the first time

How the Word Was Used in the Story

Verdi ventured into the treetops to look for them.

Word

gently

Gist

Do something very carefully and softly so no damage is done

This word reminds me of...

Picking up a brand-new kitten

How the Word Was Used in the Story

They gently lifted Verdi up to a safer place, where they could watch over him while he healed.

Word

rambled

Gist

Go on and on talking about a lot of different unrelated things

This word reminds me of...

The way my grandmother talks all the time.

How the Word Was Used in the Story

The greens rambled on about their days of glory, and Verdi settled in on his branch.

Dragon Wings

1906 San Francisco Earthquake (described in Dragon Wings)

Earthquake in San Francisco last month

foreshadowing
 Gist: hints that something is about to happen

How the Term Applies to the Story
 Day of earthquake was dark, chilly, depressing
 Bad mood of Mrs. Whitlaw

Personal Experiences Related to Term
 2-3 tremors a day before earthquake -- scientists predicting a "big one" coming soon

desolation
 Gist: mass destruction

How the Term Applies to the Story
 Used to describe the almost complete destruction of San Francisco from shaking & fires that followed

Personal Experiences Related to Term
 Damage was mostly from old buildings – fires not nearly as big of a problem (no desolation)

pandemonium
 Gist: chaos, confusion, disorganization

How the Term Applies to the Story
 Nobody knew what to do – Impossible to move around – Horses running wild
 No "emergency plan"

Personal Experiences Related to Term
 SF police & firemen had emergency plan so they knew what to do – very organized

refuge
 Gist: safe place to stay

How the Term Was Used in the Story
 Mrs. Whitlaw turned her house into a hospital and shelter for people who lost their homes

Personal Experiences Related to Term
 The best refuge is to run outside & get away from buildings

Title Seven Blind Mice by Ed Young

word

pillar

Related words

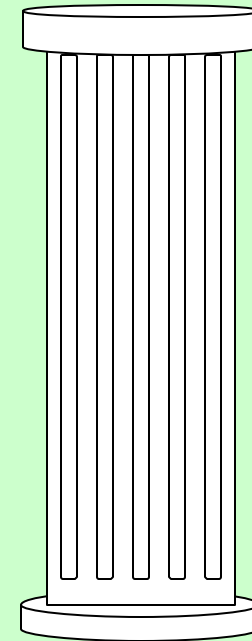
Shaped like cylinder or
can

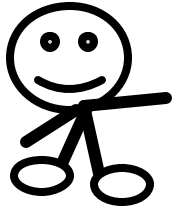
A post on a porch

Holds up a building

Strong

Draw a picture

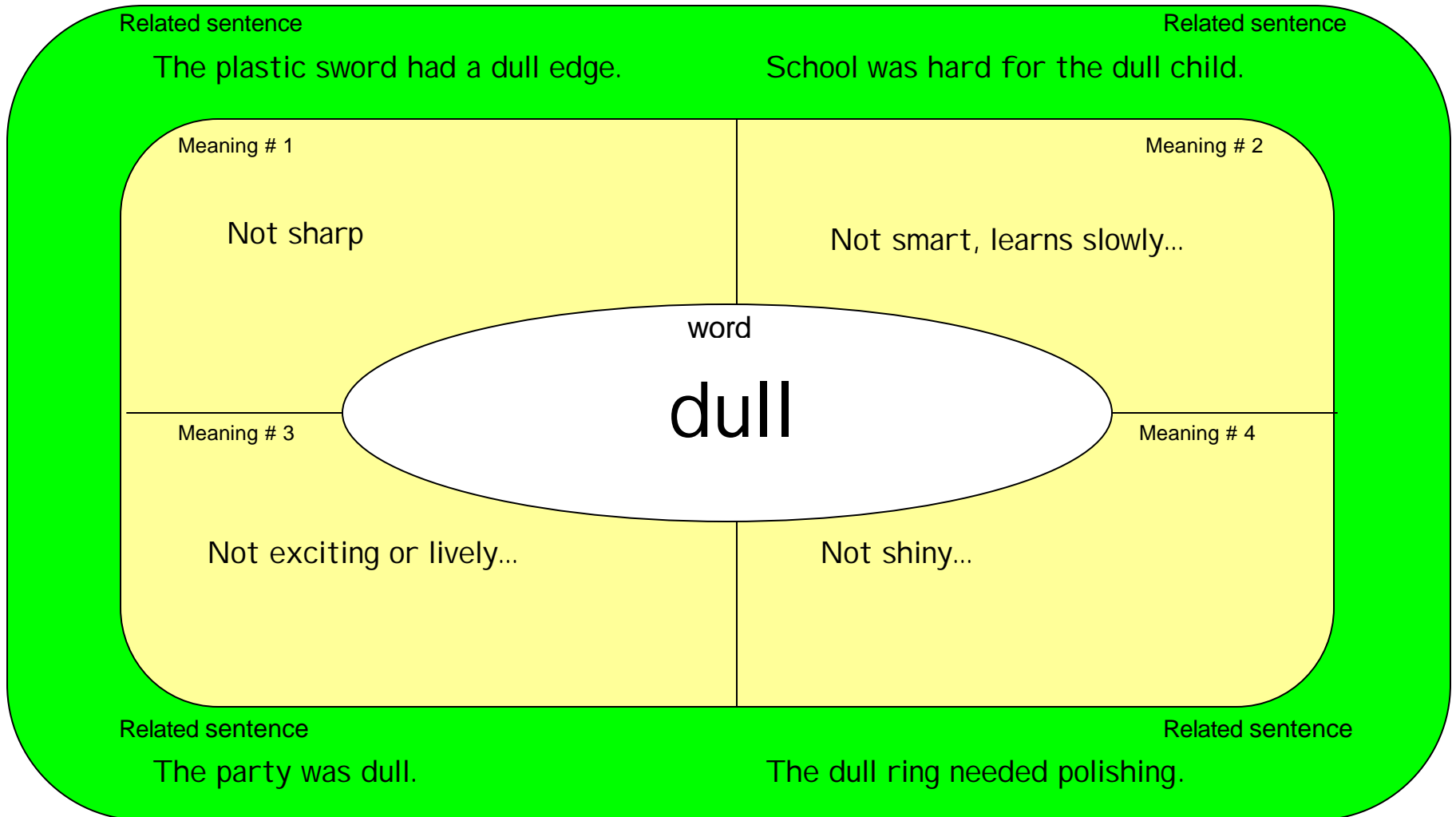




[The Day Jimmy's Boa](#)
[Ate the Wash](#)

by Trinka H. Noble

Name _____



Ginger by Charlotte Voake

WORDS

delicious

very tasty, very good to eat

beautiful

very pretty

pity

sad, feel sorry for

CONTEXT
(when talking about ...)

SAMPLE
SENTENCE

The girl made him
delicious meals...

I think ice cream is delicious.

The kitten liked to get
into Ginger's beautiful
basket

My mom is beautiful.

"It's a pity you can't be
friends"

It was a pity we lost the baseball game.

A Bad Case of Stripes by David Shannon

Word Scavenger Hunt

Keep these new words in mind as you read new material, watch TV or view a movie, listen to others or the radio. When you see or hear the new word being used, write down where it was used and how it was used. Try to use the words yourself when you talk to others!!

Word & Gist of what it means	Where the word appeared	How the word was used
Fretting: Today she was fretting even more than usual.	classroom	Mrs. Rainey telling us not to fret about the quiz
Extraordinary: "Most extraordinary!" he exclaimed. "I've never seen anything like it..."	Superman comic	"extraordinary powers"
Distraction: "She's too much of a distraction, and I've been getting calls from the other parents..."	classroom	Mrs. Rainey saying we are driving her o distraction
Filed: Then they filed out the front door, followed by Dr. Bumble.	playground	Coach asking us to file in line
Sob: "It just keeps getting worse and worse!" She began to sob.		
Plump: ... and there stood an old woman who was just as plump and sweet as a strawberry.		
Heaping: Camilla wanted a big, heaping plateful of lima beans more than just about anything..		
Vanished: Then she went outside and vanished into the crowd.	Haunted Houses of Alabama	"children vanished from the house"

Salt Hands by Jane Chelsea Aragon

Word	Meaning	Personal Connection (<i>this word makes you think of ...</i>)
Rustle: I heard something outside like a rustle or a breath.	a soft sound like things rubbing together	Getting scared when wading in the woods at night
Cast: The moon cast a shadow of his antlers on the ground.	to direct or project an image	He cast the bait into the lake.
Frighten: I didn't want to frighten the deer.	scare or startle	I like to frighten little kids at Halloween.
Sprinkled: I went in and sprinkled some salt into my hands.	to drop or scatter in small bits	Mom sprinkled candy on the ice cream.
Silently: I tiptoed outside and stepped toward him silently.	quietly, without a sound	Jane silently walked home.
Nibbled: I sang a song softly, while he nibbled on fallen pears.	to eat in small bites	I nibbled at the cake until it was gone.
Cautiously: He moved closer to me cautiously.	carefully	I cautiously went into the haunted house.
Gentle: They were gentle, and I knew he was not afraid	kind, soft, mild, not harsh	Everyone love the gentle dog.

STORY _____

The Spider and the Fly by Tony DiTerlizzi

Word
weary
Gist
very tired

This word reminds me of...
Being weary from too much homework

How the Word Was Used in the Story
Spider saying to the fly that he must be weary from flying

Word
merrily
Gist
happily, cheerfully

This word reminds me of...
Walking merrily along the street.

How the Word Was Used in the Story
merrily singing when coming out of the door...

Word
dismal
Gist
gloomy, sad

This word reminds me of...
A dismal ghost stuck in a haunted house

How the Word Was Used in the Story
Spider had a dismal den

Word
dull
Gist
boring, not interesting, not lively

This word reminds me of...
Reading a really dull story

How the Word Was Used in the Story
Eyes being dull as lead

Book Title

Stripe

Author: Joanne Partis

Word

spotted: to see, find, locate

Stripe spotted a cave in the distance.

Word

angry: really mad or upset

The bees were angry and chased poor Stripe away.

Word

cautiously: carefully

Cautiously, he swam to the surface pulled himself unto a log.

Use the word **spotted** to describe a time when found something that you had lost.

I spotted the pen that I thought I had lost a long time ago.

Use the word **angry** to describe a time when you broke something?

Mom was angry when I broke her dish.

Use the word **cautiously** to describe how you need to cross a busy street.

You need to cautiously look both ways before you cross the street.

Use the word **spotted** to describe an seeing an eagle.

Bill spotted the eagle flying over the trees.

Use the word **angry** to describe a time when your team did not win the game.

The coach was not angry at us when we lost.

Use the word **cautiously** to describe how you would drink hot chocolate.

I always cautiously take a tiny sip of hot chocolate to see how hot it is.

Use the word **spotted to** describe looking at a *Where's Waldo* book.

I spotted Waldo in six places.

Use the word **angry** to describe how your mom would feel if you did not tell the truth.

My mom would be angry if I lied.

Use the word **cautiously** to describe how you would clean up broken glass.

Handle the piece of broken glass cautiously or you will cut yourself.

Poem

My Brother's Bug
By Jack Prelutsky

Word

plump: round and full

Use the word **plump** to describe an orange.

Juice dripped
from the
plump orange

Word

soiled: made dirty

Use the word **soiled** to tell a time when you spilled juice.

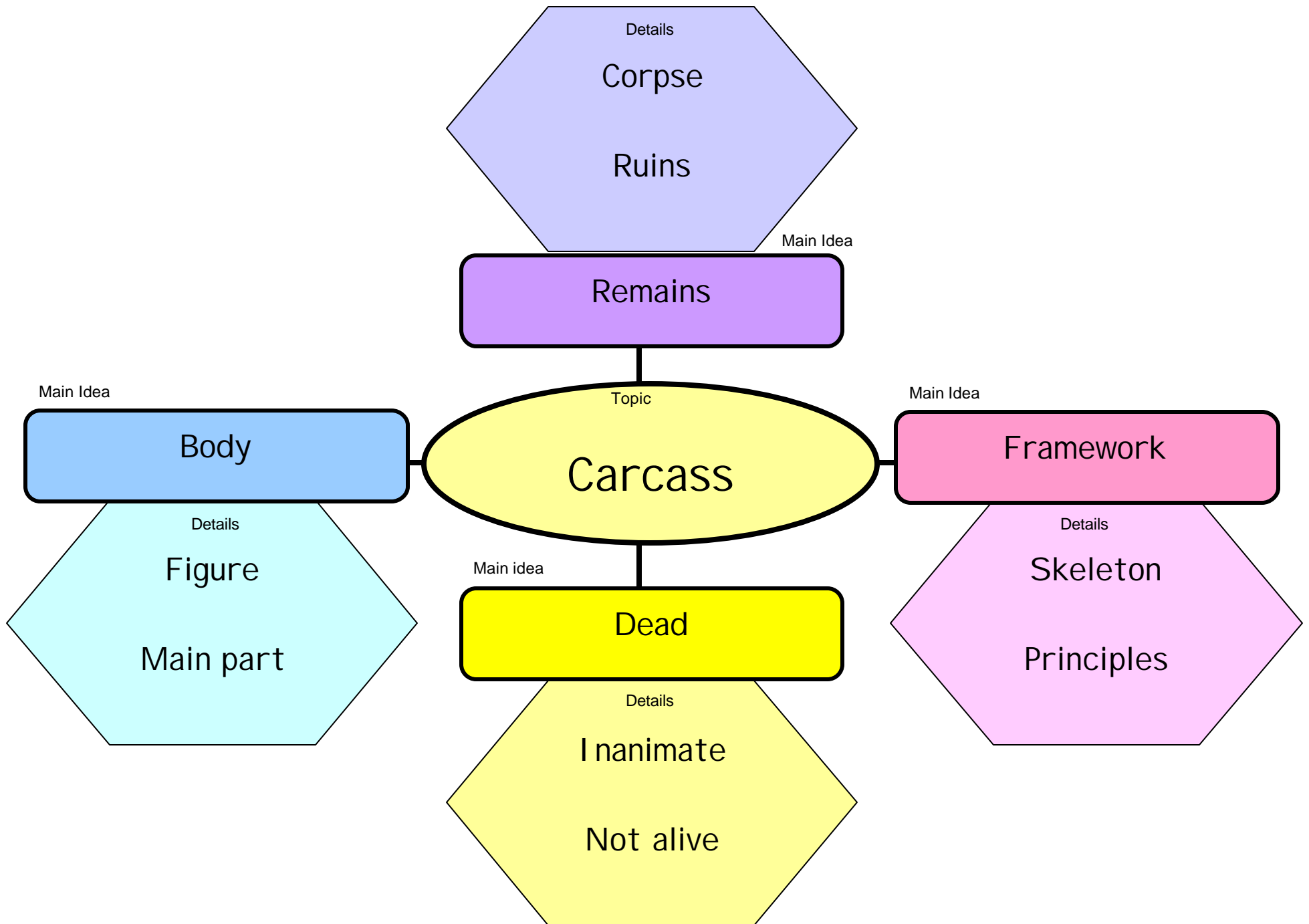
The spilled
grape juice
soiled my
dress.

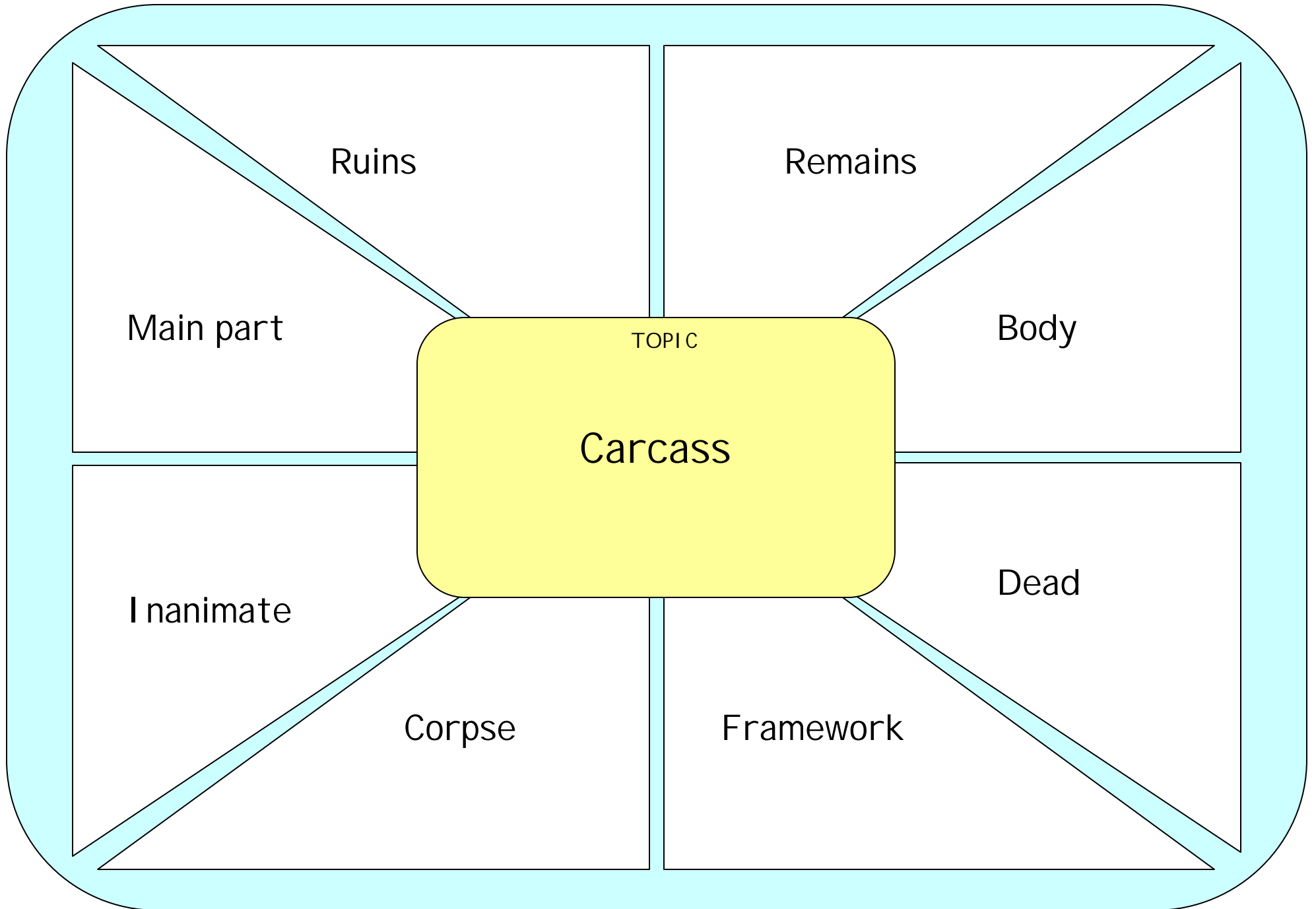
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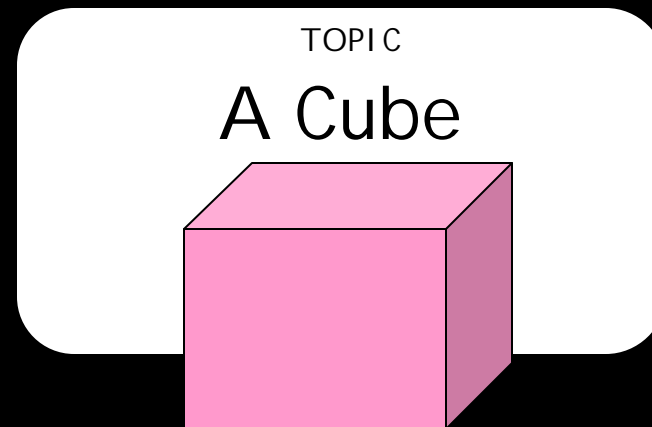
beneath: under




Use the word **beneath** to describe your bed.

My bed is
beneath the
window.







<p>New Term</p> <p>Censorship</p> <p>Remindi Send</p>	<p>Essential Definition</p> <p>Not allowing certain information to be communicated</p>	<p>LINCing Story</p> <p>When the soldiers send letters home, parts of the info are blacked out.</p>	<p>LINCing Picture</p> <p>Dear Amy, We are in XXX. The army plans to XXX. My</p>
<p>New Term</p> <p>1st Amendment</p> <p>Remindi Men</p>	<p>Essential Definition</p> <p>The bill allowing freedom of speech (expressing any ideas you want)</p>	<p>LINCing Story</p> <p>The men in the army stated how angry they were with the decisions made by the president.</p>	<p>LINCing Picture</p> 
<p>New Term</p> <p>Yellow Journalism</p> <p>Remindi Journal</p>	<p>Essential Definition</p> <p>Published information on what the writer speculated happened, rather than the facts</p>	<p>LINCing Story</p> <p>The reporter made up the information he wrote in his journal rather than writing about true facts</p>	<p>LINCing Picture</p> 
<p>New Term</p> <p>Misinformation</p> <p>Remindi Information</p>	<p>Essential Definition</p> <p>Providing false information on purpose to fool the reader</p>	<p>LINCing Story</p> <p>The CIA put out false information to fool the enemy</p>	<p>LINCing Picture</p> 

PERSON

Christopher Reeve

Is about someone who

Starred in several movies, most memorable, *Superman*

What

When

BEFORE ...

Reeve's most famous movie portrayal was Superman

ALWAYS

Words that always describe this person
OR this person's actions

Very talented
 Handsome
 Physically fit & Strong
 Popular among movie goers

SOMETIMES

Words that sometimes describe this person OR
his/her actions

He wanted to branch out from
the "Superman" identity
 He wanted to act in more
serious dramas

NEVER

Words that never describe this person
OR this person's actions

Was publicly negative about his
career

 Did anything publicly to tarnish
his Superman reputation

What caused the person to change?

A tragic equestrian accident that left him a quadriplegic

AFTER

ALWAYS

Words that always describe this person
OR this person's actions

Very positive about his injury
 Supportive of those with
disabilities
 Thankful and humble

SOMETIMES

Words that sometimes describe this person OR
his/her actions

He was in great pain and
discomfort
 He felt depressed over his
condition
 Being a public figure was tough

NEVER

Words that never describe this person
OR this person's actions

Gave in to his condition and
faded away
 Stopped encouraging others
 Stopped making public
appearances