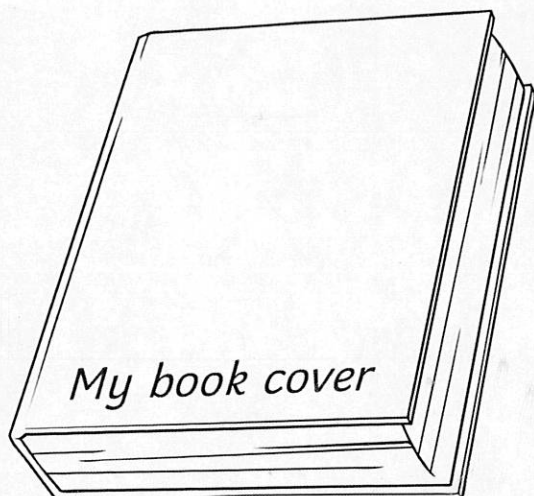


Book Review



Book Title _____

Author _____

Illustrator _____

Genre (tick as many as apply to your book)

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|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| ☐ fiction | ☐ scary | ☐ animal story |
| ☐ non-fiction | ☐ fairy tale | ☐ biography |
| ☐ fantasy | ☐ adventure | ☐ historical |
| ☐ humour | ☐ sports | ☐ mystery |
| ☐ other _____ | | |

Plot

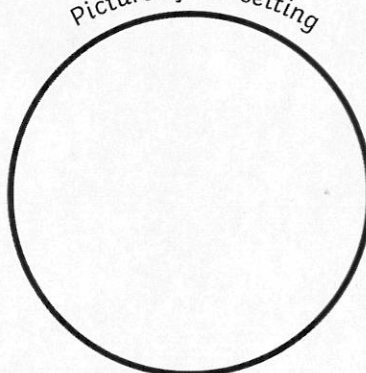
Event 1 _____

Event 2 _____

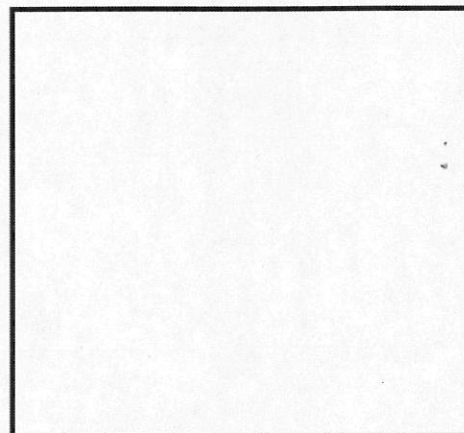
Event 3 _____

Setting

Picture of the setting



Character



Name _____

Personality _____

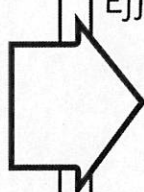
Physical Appearance _____

How I feel about this character
and why: _____

Cause and Effect of one of the events in the book

Cause

Effect



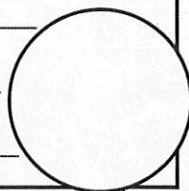
My Star Rating



Why I rated the book _____ stars

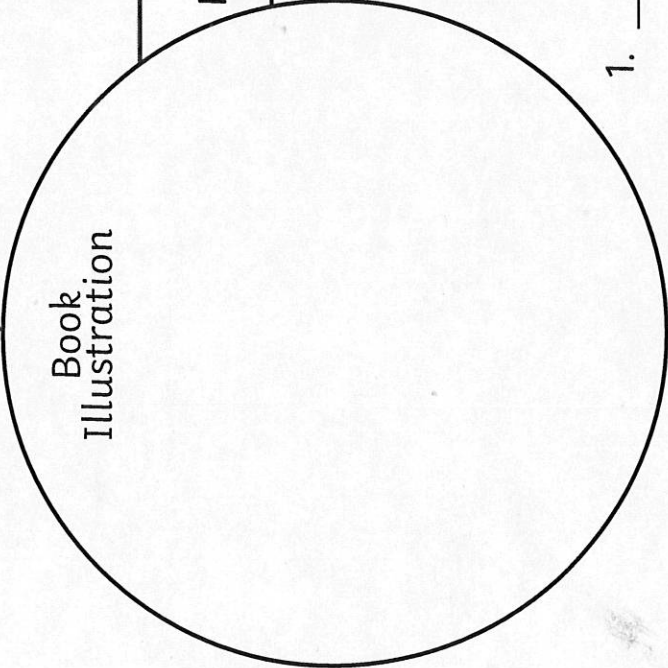
This book made me feel

_____ because



draw how you felt!

Book Review

Book Title: _____	Who would you recommend the book to? Why?
Author: _____	
Fiction or Non-fiction: _____	
What is the book about?	
Book Illustration 	
Rating: ☆☆☆☆☆	
Can you write three facts you have learnt or three things you have learnt about one of the characters?	
1. _____	
2. _____	
3. _____	

Features of a Book Review Checklist

Have I...



included the title and the name of the author (and illustrator if required)?	
used capital letters appropriately?	
included my name and age in brackets?	
used the present tense?	
used the first person (I, me, my)?	
engaged the reader by asking a question at the beginning?	
written a short summary of the book?	
commented on characters I particularly like or feel empathy with?	
made sure that I have not given away the ending?	
stated where this book sits in a series, and whether I will read the next book?	
used powerful verbs to describe the action?	
used powerful adjectives and adverbs to add further detail?	
given my opinion using phrases such as 'because', 'in my opinion', 'I think that'?	
stated who I would recommend this book to, and why?	
given marks out of ten or a star rating?	
made predictions, especially about the ending?	