

Dear 2nd Grade Families,

We are so excited to get to know each one of your children. To ensure that your child is practicing the skills needed for 2nd grade, we encourage them to work on the assigned skills on IXL throughout their summer break. The skills to be practiced will be starred for students to easily access.

Students must sign in through Sacred Heart's IXL portal. All students have username/passwords for IXL. The link for IXL is provided below.

<https://www.ixl.com/signin/shschool>

In addition, students should be reading 20-30 minutes each day to maintain their progress and hard work from the school year. Students are required to choose three books and complete a graphic organizer for each book in their reading packet.

Parents, thank you for instilling the value of reading and excitement for reading in your child's daily life. Upon completion, please sign the Reader's Journal. The complete Reader's Journal will be collected on the first day of school. We are so excited to hear about the adventures you went on and where your stories took you over the summer!

See you in September!

Mrs. Alexander and Ms. Griffin

Days 1-5

Day	IXL skills
Day 1	Count using stickers - up to 10 VNE
Day 2	Count shapes in rings - up to 10 79V
Day 3	Show numbers on ten frames - up to 20 HZM
Day 4	Skip-count by tens W6M
Day 5	Add with pictures - sums up to 5 LZY

Days 6-10

Day	IXL skills
Day 6	Complete a sequence - up to 10 5A2
Day 7	Add two numbers - sums up to 5 YAX
Day 8	Fewer, more, and same FLW
Day 9	Addition word problems with pictures - sums up to 10 7VF
Day 10	Fewer and more - compare by counting Y2E

MY READING JOURNAL



READER: _____

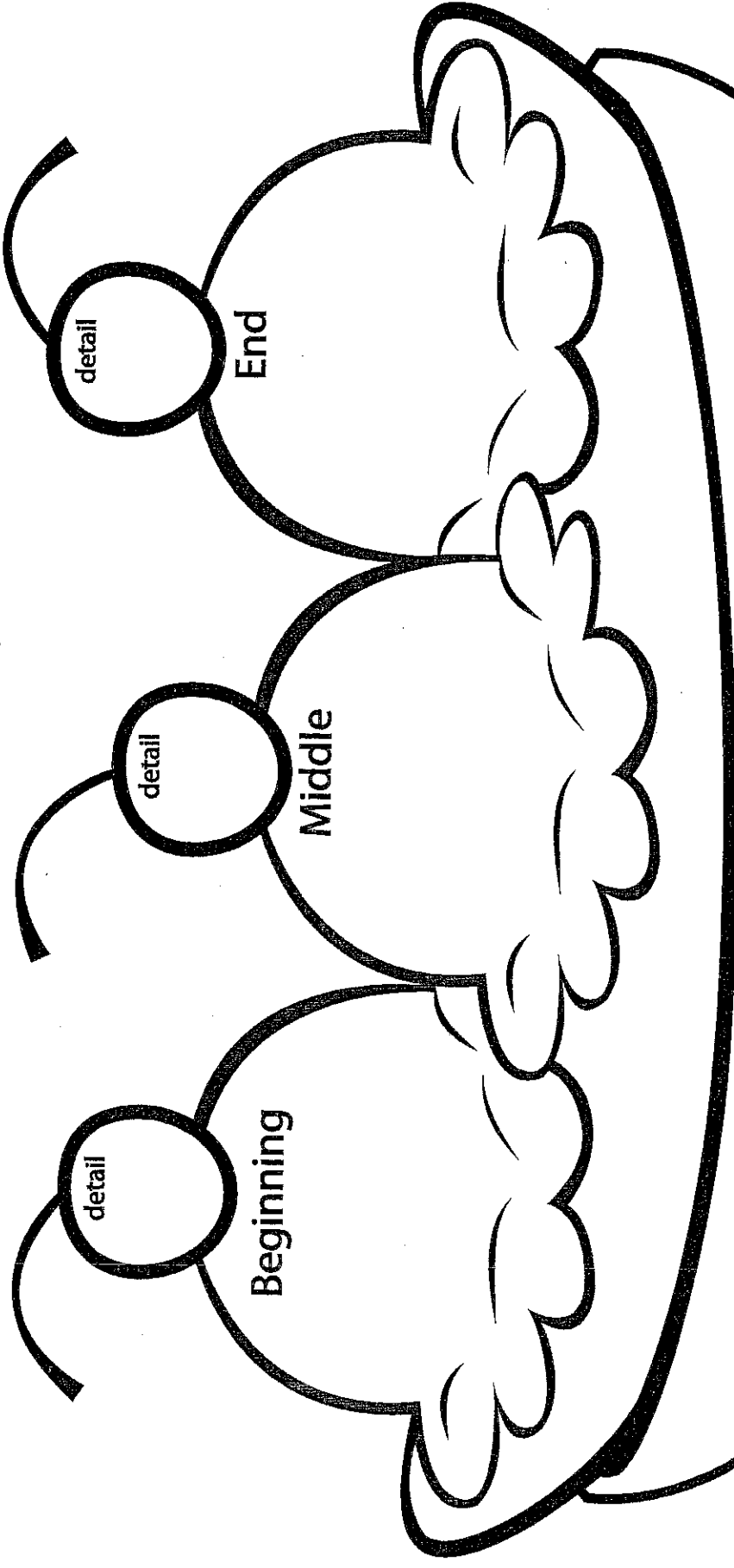
Parent Signature: _____

Name: _____

Date: _____

Sundae Summarizing

Write **notes** in each ice cream scoop about the story's **beginning, middle, and end**. Add one detail to each. Finally, **summarize** the whole story in one or two sentences below.

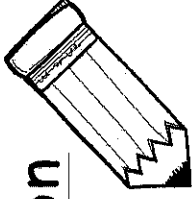


Whole story summary

Novel or Story #2

Name: _____ Date: _____

Reading Response: Plot-Problem and Solution



Title: _____

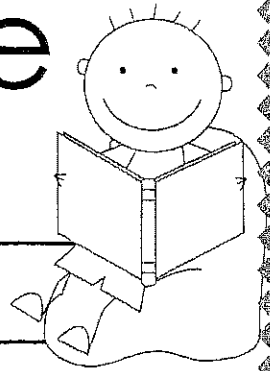
Problem:

Steps to Solution:

Solution:



Author's Purpose



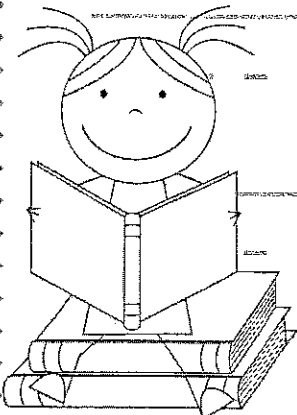
Title: _____

Author: _____

Why did the author write this story?

- To inform the reader.
- To entertain the reader.
- To persuade the reader.

How do you know?



Novel of Story #3