



Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### What's the Point?

Choose an article and respond to the following *using complete sentences*:

1) Look at the photos and illustrations. What information do they give? \_\_\_\_\_  
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2) What are three facts you learned?  
a. \_\_\_\_\_  
b. \_\_\_\_\_  
c. \_\_\_\_\_

3) Find an unfamiliar word in the passage.  
a. What is the word? \_\_\_\_\_  
b. What do you think the word means? \_\_\_\_\_  
c. Look the word up in a dictionary, and write the dictionary definition. \_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_

4) What is one question that you have about the topic? \_\_\_\_\_  
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5) What is one connection you have to the topic? \_\_\_\_\_  
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6) What does the author of this story really want you to know? \_\_\_\_\_  
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7) Do you think this is a good topic for kids to know about? Why or why not? \_\_\_\_\_  
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8) Write a three to five sentence summary of this story. \_\_\_\_\_  
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