

A Close-Up Look at a Picture Book

Name _____

Title of Picture Book _____

Author _____ Illustrator _____

Date of publication _____ Publishing information _____

1. On a scale of 1 to 10, how would you rate this picture book? Explain.
2. Is the text as strong as the art? Are the illustrations as strong as the text?
Is there a balance of information between verbal text and art?
3. What is the medium/style of art used by the illustrator? How appropriate is the art to the information?
4. Which illustration(s) had the most impact on you? Why?
5. What would you tell someone about this picture book?
6. Who do you think might be interested in reading this picture book? Why?
7. As you were reading this picture book, what did you wonder about?
8. How appropriate is the title? Can you suggest an alternative ?
9. Is the ending of this book satisfying? Explain.
10. Summarize this book in exactly 25 words.
11. Draw a picture you think could be included in the book.