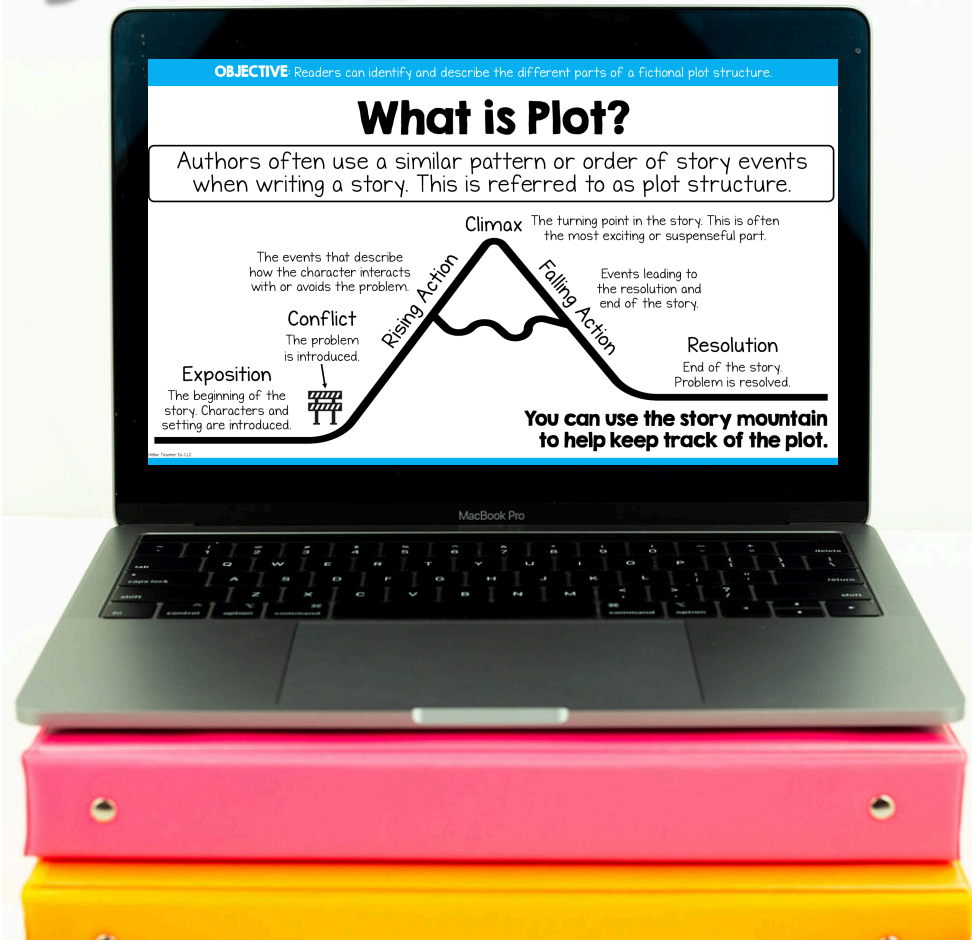
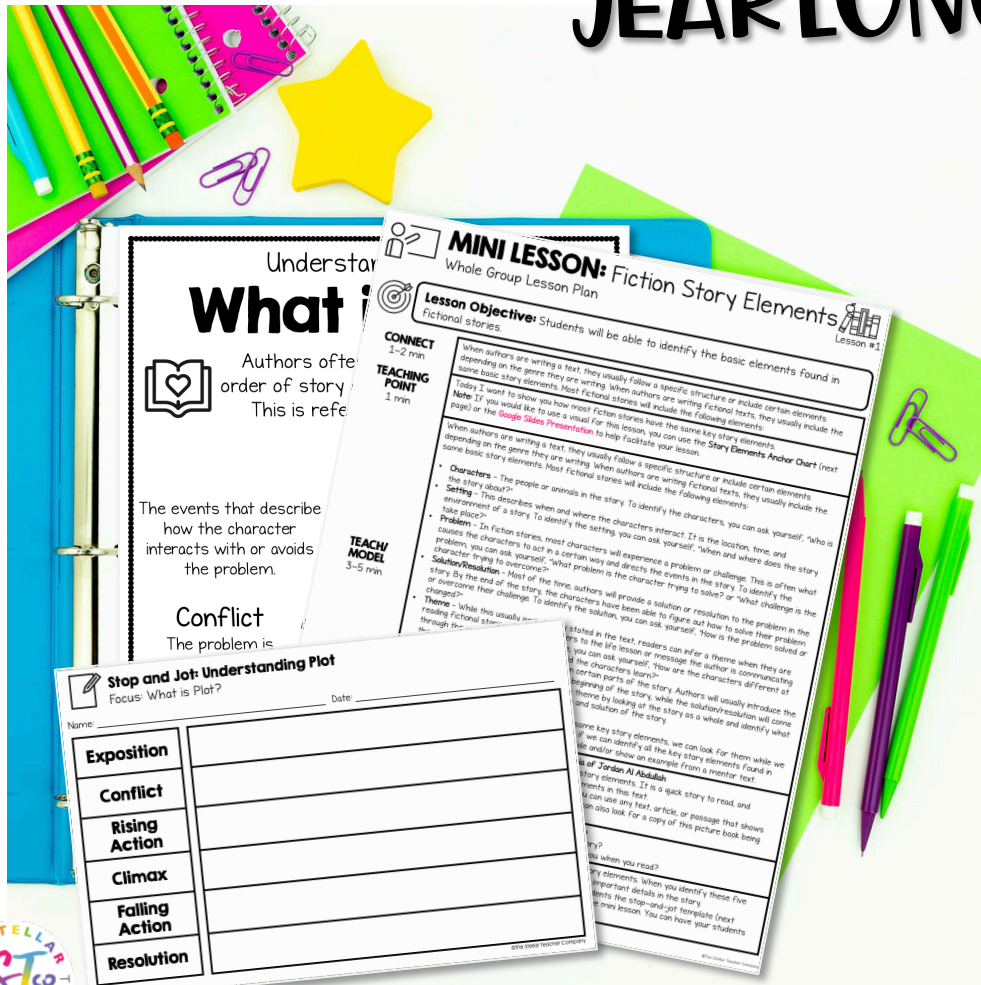


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THESE READING MINI LESSON SETS

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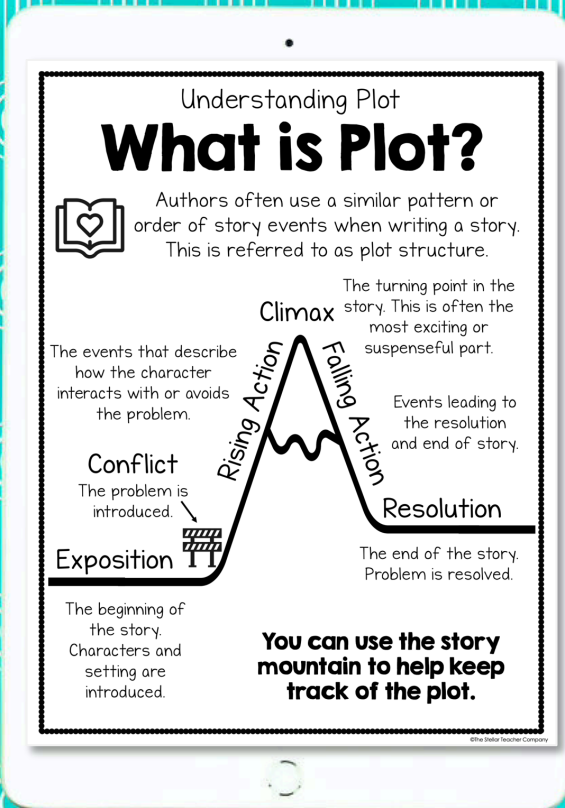
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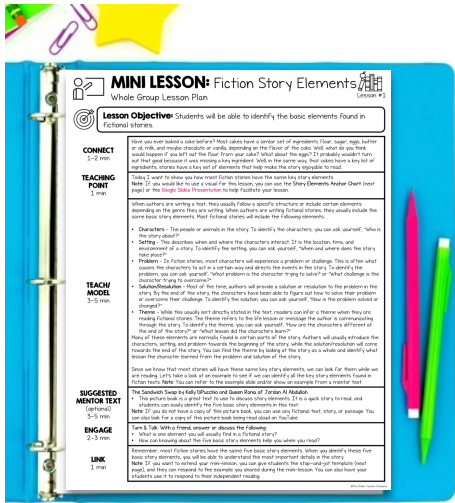
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WHAT'S INCLUDED?

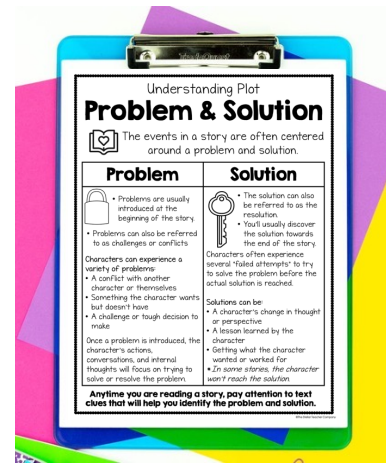
For each of the 130+ lessons, you'll get:

A SCRIPTED LESSON PLAN



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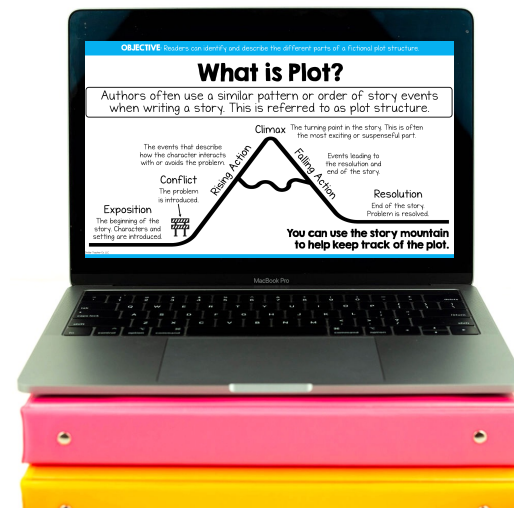
Each lesson comes with a full-page printable anchor chart. Post it in your classroom after your lesson, or shrink it down to 85% and have students glue it in their notebooks.

MINI GRAPHIC ORGANIZERS



Each lesson includes a half-page graphic organizer. Students can use this during your lesson, or you can assign it to them as independent practice after your lesson.

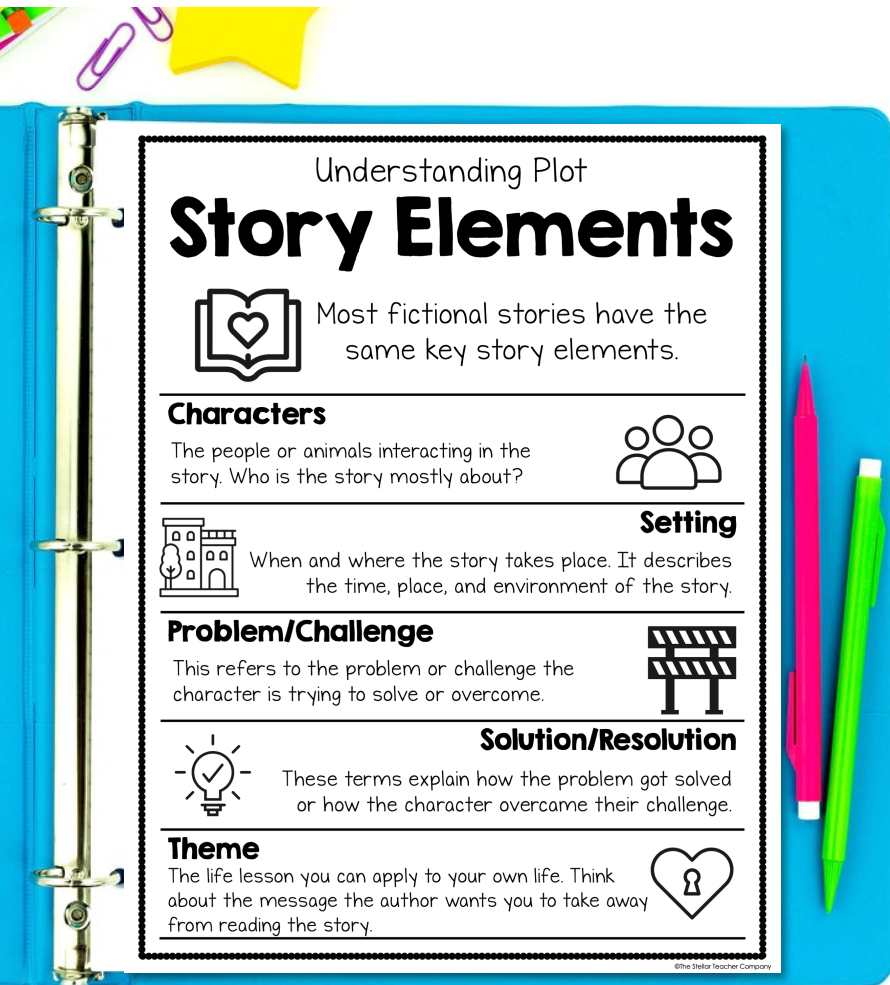
TEACHING SLIDES



Each lesson includes a set of teaching slides to help you teach, practice, and discuss the objective. These slides help you deliver an effective and engaging lesson.

WHAT LESSONS ARE INCLUDED?

This resource includes **130+** lessons that are all connected to reading standards taught in upper elementary. You can teach all **130+** lessons or select the lessons that are most relevant to what your students need. These lessons are also great if you need to quickly spiral or review a concept.



- 12 Analyzing Character Lessons
- 9 Argumentative Text Lessons
- 10 Author's Purpose Lessons
- 7 Cause & Effect Lessons
- 5 Describing Setting Lessons
- 8 Figurative Language Lessons
- 5 Finding Theme Lessons
- 5 Key Comprehension Lessons
- 12 Main Idea Lessons
- 5 Making Connections Lessons
- 10 Nonfiction Text Features Lessons
- 7 Nonfiction Text Structure Lessons
- 14 Poetry Lessons
- 10 Plot Structure & Story Events Lessons
- 6 Point of View Lessons
- 5 Summarizing Fiction Lessons
- 6 Summarizing Nonfiction Lessons

TAKE A CLOSER LOOK...

SCRIPTED TEACHER LESSON PLAN

This plan is included for every lesson and provides you with the exact language you can use to teach that objective. These lesson plans will help keep your lessons quick and concise.

Each lesson plan includes the following sections:

- Connect & Introduce Objective
- Teach & Model
- Suggested Mentor Text Title
- Engage Questions
- Closure



MINI LESSON: Fiction Story Elements

Whole Group Lesson Plan



Lesson #1



Lesson Objective: Students will be able to identify the basic elements found in fictional stories.

CONNECT

1-2 min

Have you ever baked a cake before? Most cakes have a similar set of ingredients. Flour, sugar, eggs, butter or oil, milk, and maybe chocolate or vanilla, depending on the flavor of the cake. Well, what do you think would happen if you left out the flour from your cake? What about the eggs? It probably wouldn't turn out that good because it was missing a key ingredient. Well, in the same way, that cakes have a key list of ingredients, stories have a key set of elements that help make the story enjoyable to read.

TEACHING POINT

1 min

Today I want to show you how most fiction stories have the same key story elements. Note: If you would like to use a visual for this lesson, you can use the [Story Elements Anchor Chart](#) (next page) or the [Google Slides Presentation](#) to help facilitate your lesson.

When authors are writing a text, they usually follow a specific structure or include certain elements depending on the genre they are writing. When authors are writing fictional stories, they usually include the same basic story elements. Most fictional stories will include the following elements:

- **Characters** - The people or animals in the story. To identify the characters, you can ask yourself, "Who is the story about?"
- **Setting** - This describes when and where the characters interact. It is the location, time, and environment of a story. To identify the setting, you can ask yourself, "When and where does the story take place?"
- **Problem** - In fiction stories, most characters will experience a problem or challenge. This is often what causes the characters to act in a certain way and directs the events in the story. To identify the problem, you can ask yourself, "What problem is the character trying to solve?" or "What challenge is the character trying to overcome?"
- **Solution/Resolution** - Most of the time, authors will provide a solution or resolution to the problem in the story. By the end of the story, the characters have been able to figure out how to solve their problem or overcome their challenge. To identify the solution, you can ask yourself, "How is the problem solved or changed?"
- **Theme** - While this usually isn't directly stated in the text, readers can infer a theme when they are reading fictional stories. The theme refers to the life lesson or message the author is communicating through the story. To identify the theme, you can ask yourself, "How are the characters different at the end of the story?" or "What lesson did the characters learn?"

Many of these elements are normally found in certain parts of the story. Authors will usually introduce the characters, setting, and problem towards the beginning of the story, while the solution/resolution will come towards the end of the story. You can find the theme by looking at the story as a whole and identify what lesson the character learned from the problem and solution of the story.

Since we know that most stories will have these same key story elements, we can look for them while we are reading. Let's take a look at an example to see if we can identify all the key story elements found in fiction texts. Note: You can refer to the example slide and/or show an example from a mentor text.

SUGGESTED MENTOR TEXT (optional)

3-5 min

The Sandwich Swap by Kelly DiPucchio and Queen Rania of Jordan Al Abdullah
• This picture book is a great text to use to discuss story elements. It is a quick story to read, and students can easily identify the five basic story elements in this text.
Note: If you do not have a copy of this picture book, you can use any fictional text, story, or passage. You can also look for a copy of this picture book being read aloud on YouTube.

ENGAGE

2-3 min

- Turn & Talk: With a friend, answer or discuss the following:
- What is one element you will usually find in a fictional story?
 - How can knowing about the five basic story elements help you when you read?

LINK

1 min

Remember, most fiction stories have the same five basic story elements. When you identify these five basic story elements, you will be able to understand the most important details in the story. Note: If you want to extend your mini-lesson, you can give students the stop-and-jot template (next page), and they can respond to the example you shared during the mini-lesson. You can also have your students use it to respond to their independent reading.



TAKE A CLOSER LOOK...

PRINTABLE ANCHOR CHART




You can either print this chart and display it under a document camera to help teach your lesson or you can give students a copy of the anchor chart after the lesson to glue in their notebook.


These anchor charts include all the key information students need to remember from your lesson.





Understanding Plot


Story Elements


 Most fictional stories have the same key story elements.

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The people or animals interacting in the story. Who is the story mostly about?


 **Setting**
When and where the story takes place. It describes the time, place, and environment of the story.

Problem/Challenge
This refers to the problem or challenge the character is trying to solve or overcome.


 **Solution/Resolution**
These terms explain how the problem got solved or how the character overcame their challenge.

Theme
The life lesson you can apply to your own life. Think about the message the author wants you to take away from reading the story.


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MINI GRAPHIC ORGANIZER

Each lesson includes a half-page graphic organizer related to the objective. These graphic organizer work with any text.

You can use them during the lesson to help model the concept to your students.

Or, you can give them to students after the lesson and have them practice applying the objective to their independent reading.

You can also use them during your small group lessons.



Stop and Jot: Understanding Plot Focus: Story Elements Directions: Use the chart below to write down all the basic story elements of the story you read.

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Who are the characters?	What is the setting?
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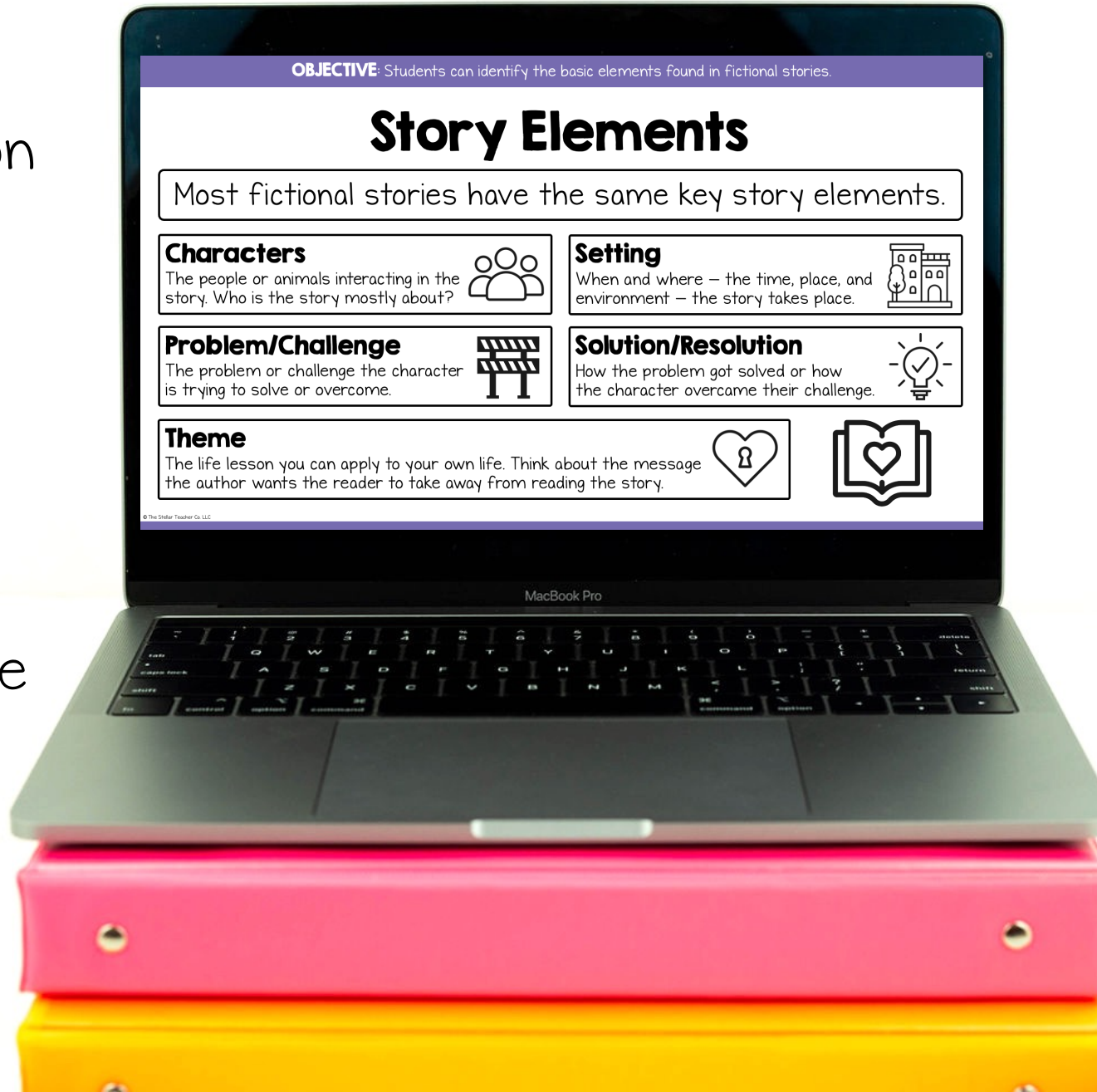


TAKE A CLOSER LOOK...

GOOGLE SLIDE SET: TEACHING SLIDE

This slide includes a lot of the same information on the anchor chart.

It is a great slide to display during the teach/model portion of your lesson. It will help you clearly communicate the objective to your students.



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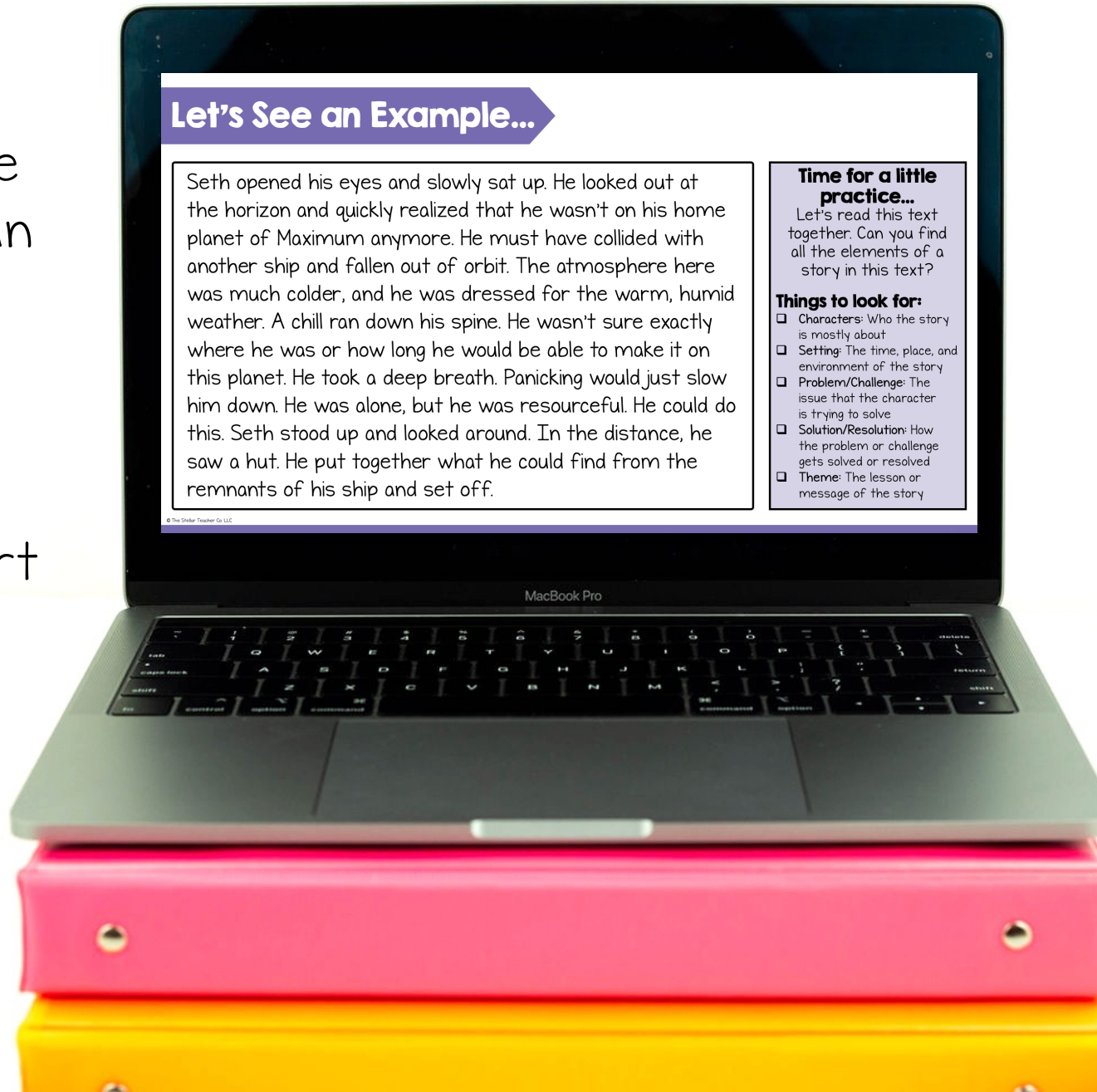


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GOOGLE SLIDE SET: EXAMPLE SLIDE

Each lesson includes an example slide. The example slide is a great slide you can use to either model or practice with your students.

It will either include a short paragraph or a chart or some other example related to the objective of the lesson.



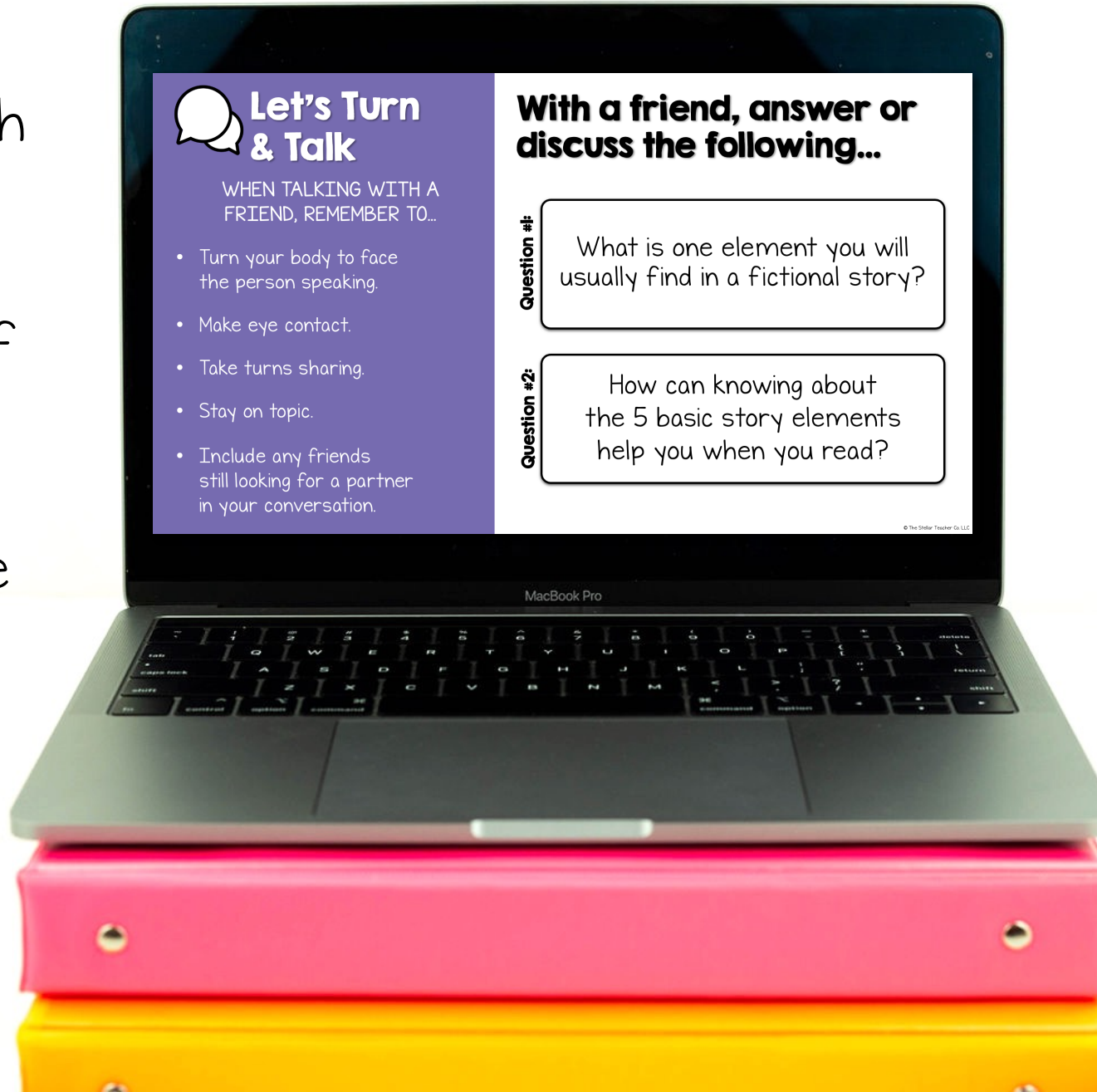


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GOOGLE SLIDE SET: TURN & TALK SLIDE

Each lesson includes a turn-and-talk slide with two questions you can use for whole group discussion at the end of your lesson.

The turn-and-talk slide also includes key reminders for how students should be engaging in discussion with their peers.



Let's Turn & Talk

WHEN TALKING WITH A FRIEND, REMEMBER TO...

- Turn your body to face the person speaking.
- Make eye contact.
- Take turns sharing.
- Stay on topic.
- Include any friends still looking for a partner in your conversation.

With a friend, answer or discuss the following...

Question #1:

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Question #2:

How can knowing about the 5 basic story elements help you when you read?

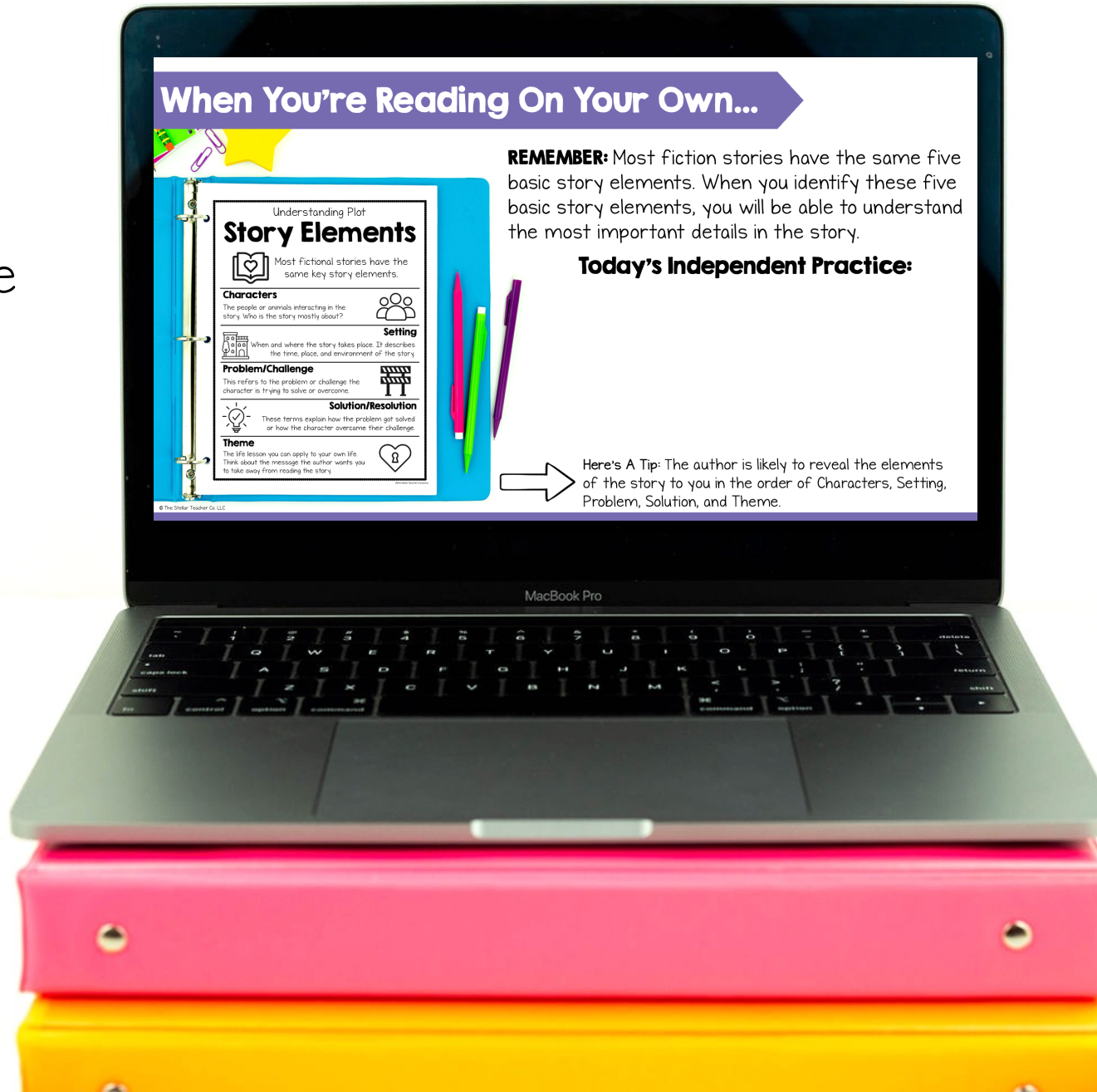
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GOOGLE SLIDE SET: CLOSING SLIDE

The final slides includes a reminder of what you taught and then blank space for you to customize the independent practice assignment for the day.

This is a great slide to leave up during your independent practice so students can be reminded of what you taught as well as know what they should be working on.



LOOKING FOR OTHER RESOURCES TO HELP WITH READING?

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