

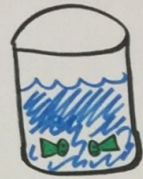
MAKING CONNECTIONS!

Avoid SURFACE connections!



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make DEEP connections!



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I have a sister too!!

↔ I can relate to the part in the story when via got mad at the kids in the park for making fun of August.



On pg. 3 the text stated, "One time on the playground the older kids were making noises and via started yelling at them. I can relate this to my life because my sister is also very over protective."

Can NOT Connect?

NOW WHAT?

- * I can not relate to this part in the story...
- * On pg. — the text stated...
- * The character was feeling...
- * I felt this way when...
- * This helps me understand my character more because...

Post-it Sentence Starters!

- * I can relate to the part in the story ...
- * For example on pg. — the text stated ...
- * I can relate this to my life because...