

“Rikki-Tikki-Tavi” Plot Diagram

Due: October 31, 2014

Your job is to create a “plot diagram” for Rikki-Tikki-Tavi.

Here’s what you need to have:

- Make it on good paper (NOT lined/notebook paper)
- Include a plot diagram (the “mountain” line that shows the progression of the story from beginning to end.)
- Include the following terms, correctly labeled on the plot diagram:
 - o Exposition (a separate box at the beginning that includes the **characters, setting, and main conflict**)
 - o Plot complications (label the four or five **main** advancements to the plot, like Rikki’s fight with Nag, etc.)
 - o Climax (what is the most exciting part of the story?)
 - o Denouement (what is the resolution of the story?)
 - o Rising action (show where the action is moving UP)
 - o Falling action (show where the action is moving DOWN)
- Include illustrations, pictures from magazine, pictures from the internet, etc. Yes, it is mandatory that you include an illustration or picture of some kind.

Here are some options for a REALLY good job:

- Instead of just labeling the simple plot line, show where the action rises and where it flattens out (ex: just before the exciting plot point of his battle with Nag, he is waiting in the bathroom for an hour)
- Frame the project on some form of cardstock, construction paper, or some pretty matting
- Illustrate the heck out of that thing! Include tons of art!
- Spell “NAGAINA” and “KARAIT” correctly—most students don’t. ☺

And, last but not least...REMEMBER: NO NAME = NO CREDIT!