

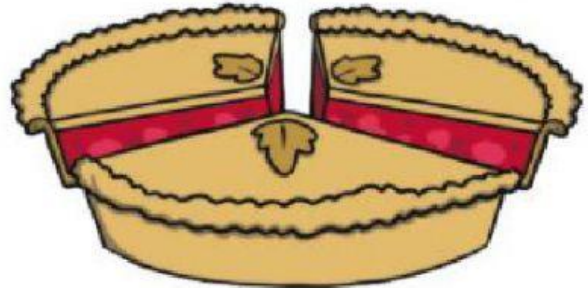
Name: _____

Author's Purpose

P: Persuade or convince the reader to do or believe something

I: Inform or tell the reader more information about a topic

E: Entertain the reader with an interesting or funny story



Decide if the author is trying to Persuade, Inform, or Entertain, then, drag the P, I, or E to the correct place.

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| 1. A newspaper article about a winter storm..._____ | P | I | E |
| 2. A commercial for a new candy..._____ | P | I | E |
| 3. A story about a friendly giant..._____ | P | I | E |
| 4. A billboard for a new store..._____ | P | I | E |
| 5. A fiction book about unicorns..._____ | P | I | E |
| 6. A thesaurus..._____ | P | I | E |
| 7. A biography of Abraham Lincoln..._____ | P | I | E |
| 8. A book of jokes..._____ | P | I | E |