

UNIT 4: STORY OPENING



NAME/CLASS:

DIRECTION: Drag and drop the examples of the story opening and match them with correct the story opening techniques.

START WITH THE UNEXPECTED: start with something odd, strange, unusual	START WITH AN IMAGE: describe the setting at the beginning of the story. Use sensory details.	START WITH ACTION: start with an action from the character, create a tension, a problem at the beginning	START WITH A QUESTION, CURIOSITY: Leave some mystery at the beginning of the story so your readers will want to read further.

DRAG THESE EXAMPLES TO THE BOX

Ray reached into his pocket. "I'm pretty sure I still have a dime... Oh! Found it!"

He ran to the man in a red hat, handed in the coin, and jumped to the flying horse carousel. For that very moment, he was a little boy again!

From all the days I've had in my life. There was one day I would never forget. The day that changed my whole life. The day when i received the letter from my very own uncle Paul.

"It was a bright cold day in April, and the clocks were striking thirteen."

The room was dark. All I could see was just pitch-black walls around me. The cold breeze blew my scarf when suddenly, I noticed a creature was crawling on my feet.

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