

UNIT 8: HOW THE TIGER GOT ITS STRIPES
WRITING: SETTING, CHARACTERS AND PLOT

Exercise 1: Based on the story 'How the tiger got its stripes, complete the table.

Setting

Where did the story take place?



Characters

Who were the characters?



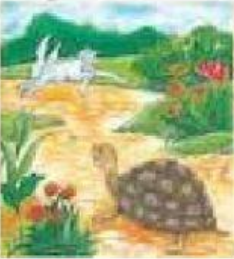
Plot

What happened at the beginning of the story?

What happened in the middle of the story?

What happened at the end of the story?

Exercise 2: Read the story of 'The Rabbit and the Tortoise'. Then, complete the tree map below.

	Once upon a time, there lived a rabbit and tortoise. The rabbit could run fast. He was very proud of his speed. While the tortoise was slow and consistent. One day, the tortoise was walking very slow in a forest. The rabbit looked and laughed at the tortoise. The rabbit said, "<i>You walk so slowly! How can you survive like this?</i>". The tortoise only listened to everything and felt ashamed by the rabbit's words.
	Suddenly, the tortoise challenged the rabbit for running race. The rabbit was surprised by the challenge but he accepted the challenge because he thought he can win easily. The next day, the tortoise and rabbit met at the track and started the race. The rabbit was as usual very fast and went far away. While the tortoise was left behind.
	After a while, the rabbit looked behind. He said to himself, "<i>I am confident; I can win even if the tortoise passes me. I should rest a bit</i>". He slept under a tree. Sometime later, the tortoise passed the rabbit when the rabbit was still sleeping.
	The rabbit suddenly woke up after sleeping for a long time. He saw that the tortoise was about to cross the finishing line. He started running very fast but it was too late. The slow turtle has won the race. The rabbit was very disappointed with himself but he had learned his lesson. The tortoise said goodbye to the rabbit and left that place calmly and happily.

The Rabbit and the Tortoise

Setting

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Characters

1. _____
2. _____

Plot

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2. _____
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