



## Camp Nowhere #3: I'm Squatching You

Author: \_\_\_\_\_

Illustrator: \_\_\_\_\_

### BEFORE YOU READ

Do you believe that animals called "Bigfoot" or "Sasquatch" are real? \_\_\_\_\_ Give three reasons for your

opinion. \_\_\_\_\_

### WHILE YOU READ

Look for these words. Write down the page number where you first see them. When you're finished, use context clues to match them with their meanings.

**context clue** = information you get by looking all around the word

page ☐ steep

keep repeating the 1st sound of a word

page ☐ paranoid

**complain in a low voice**

page ☐ commit

stop feeling nervous or pressured

page ☐ stammer

**someone who is sure to die**

page ☐ goner

decide to keep going, never give up

page ☐ grumble

**goes almost straight up**

page ☐ relieved

believe people are always trying to hurt you

### AFTER YOU READ

**setting** = where and when a story happens

Describe the setting of this book. Include at least 3 details. \_\_\_\_\_

Does the narrator like this setting? \_\_\_\_\_

**exposition** = introduction to a story; gets you ready for the main story

In the exposition, Cooper summarizes (repeats using only few words) what happened in the last book. Why are they hiking? \_\_\_\_\_

What are they following? \_\_\_\_\_

**conflict** = the problem in the story

There are different types of conflict. One kind of conflict is person vs. self. A person is fighting inside his head: should I do this or that? What's the best choice? Cooper is showing person vs. self conflict when he says, "My words might be big, but my bravery feels small." Explain. \_\_\_\_\_

Give an example of another time Cooper is in conflict with himself. \_\_\_\_\_

Cooper asks, "Are you sure this is a good idea?" What is he talking about? Why does he ask this? \_\_\_\_\_