

Name: _____ Date: _____

Read the Passage **Value 30%**

I Instructions: Read the story. Work in each activity given.

NO PROBLEM!

It was Sunday afternoon. I was in my bedroom watching a good movie about aliens when Mom poked her head in. You could tell by the look on her face that she wasn't happy.

"Just look at the state of this room, Jack," she said. "It looks like a pigsty. Turn off that screen and clean it up."

"In a minute," I answered, wishing she'd go away. The aliens were about to attack Earth and I wanted to see what was going to happen.



I asked Mom where she'd put my lunch. Usually it was on the bench.

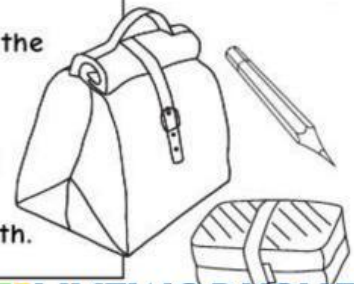
"Oh, I don't do lunches," Mom said. "You have to make your own sandwiches."

"I'm already late," I grumbled. "You're going to have to drive me to school."

Mom shook her head. "I don't think so, dear. I don't run a taxi service. You'll have to walk."

Grabbing my school bag, I raced out the door. Thanks to Mom, I didn't have a hope of getting to school on time.

On the way I tried to think of a good excuse to tell my teacher. I decided it was easier to tell Mr. Jones the truth.



II Instructions: Fill out the story map. **(2% e/o = 6%)**

Title:

Characters:

Setting:

III Instructions: Drag the correct answer for each question.
(4% e/o = 12%)

1. What was Jack watching?
2. How did Jack's room look like?
3. Who did come by his room?

III Critical Thinking: Make your own judgements and write a conclusion from the text for each question. **(4% e/o = 12%)**

1. What can you conclude about who usually made Jack's lunch?

2. Do you think Jack was good, when did not behave his mom?

3. Do you think the way Jack's mom act the next day was correct?