

Writing and Supporting Theme Statements

Fill in the blank:

The author is trying to teach the reader _____.

Remember to include what the author is trying to teach the reader and why the author is trying to teach this.

Cross out the words “The author is trying to teach the reader” and capitalize your first word—now you have your theme! Change the wording around so that you have a strong statement:

Find at least three examples from the book that support your theme.

First example: _____

Found on page: _____

Second example: _____

Found on page: _____

Third example: _____

Found on page: _____