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Close Readings

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# Close Reading Resources

**Fiction Close Reading 1** Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Chapters **1-10**

**Setting**

- \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ of a story.
- Setting affects \_\_\_\_\_, creates a \_\_\_\_\_, and develops/drives \_\_\_\_\_.

Setting can also extend beyond just time and place. It can also include several other elements such as:

- \_\_\_\_\_ - Country, state, house, basement, rural/urban
- \_\_\_\_\_ - Day, night, weather, season, physical details
- \_\_\_\_\_ - Values, ideals, attitudes, politics
- \_\_\_\_\_ - Time period, year, major events
- \_\_\_\_\_ - Time elapsed, time of day, flashbacks, between scenes

**Identifying Aspects of Setting**

Directions: In the chart below, identify the various aspects of the setting: the mall and Ivan's domain. Be as specific as possible.

Aspect	Setting: Mall	Setting: Ivan's Domain
Geographical		
Physical		
Cultural/ Political		
Historical		
Time		

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➤ 15 Close Reading Assignments

➤ Notes for Literary Elements

➤ Graphic Organizers to Scaffold Learning

➤ Literary Skills-Based

# Close Reading Resources

Setting Analysis	
Directions: Now that we've identified all the aspects of the mall and Ivan's domain, let's examine both for their effects on the characters, the mood they create, and the conflict they emphasize.	
Question	Setting Analysis of the Mall
How does this setting affect the characters?	Answer:
	Evidence:
What mood does this setting create?	Answer:
	Evidence:
What conflict does this setting emphasize and/or create?	Answer:
	Evidence:
Question	Setting Analysis of Ivan's Domain
How does this setting affect the characters?	Answer:
	Evidence:
What mood does this setting create?	Answer:
	Evidence:
What conflict does this setting emphasize and/or create?	Answer:
	Evidence:

➤ 4 Whole Novel Analysis Assignments

➤ Rigorous & Creative Tasks

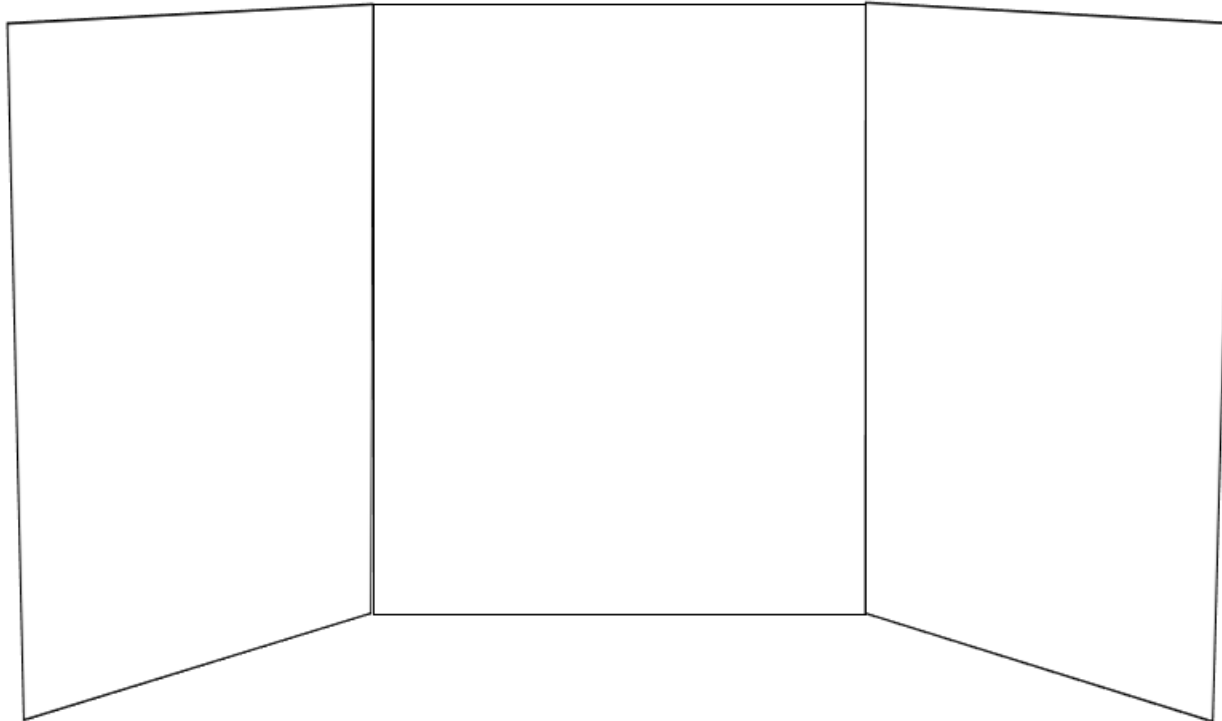
➤ Accommodate for ALL Learners

➤ Text-Based Questions & Analysis

# Close Reading Resources

## Setting Analysis & Windows

Directions: Imagine you are standing in Ivan's domain. Draw what Ivan sees out of his three windows, as described by him. Do your best to capture the mood the view creates.



## Analysis Questions

1. What does your drawing reveal about the setting that the story does not? Support with examples from your image and the text.

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2. How might Ivan's perspective influence a reader's view of and feelings about the novel's overall setting? Support with textual evidence.

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3. Do you think Ivan's domain is an acceptable living space for him? Why or why not? Support with evidence from the text.

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➤ Answer Key

➤ Pre-made Text Boxes for Students in Digital Format

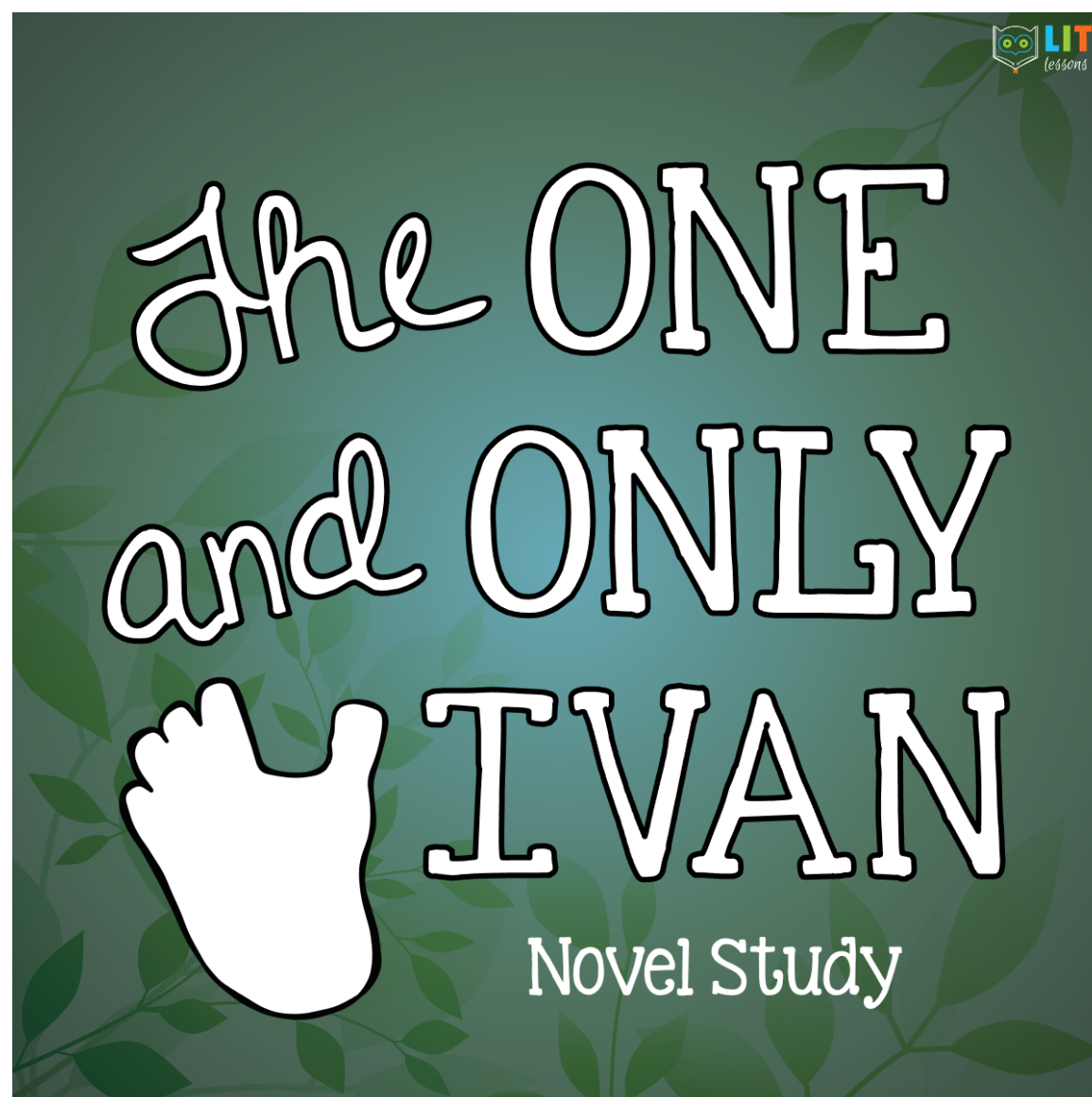
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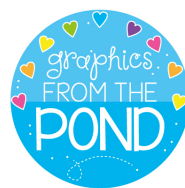
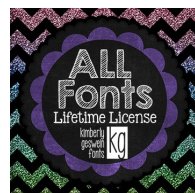
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