



Reading Toolkit: Grade 7 Objective 3.A.3.i

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Standard 3.0 Comprehension of Literary Text

Topic A. Comprehension of Literary Text

Indicator 3. Analyze elements of narrative texts to facilitate understanding and interpretation

Objective i. Analyze the point of view

Assessment Limits:

Connections between point of view and meaning

Conclusions about the narrator based on his/her thoughts and/or observations

Selected Response (SR) Item

Question

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Correct Answer

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The Traveler

By Audrey Baird

Ravenous and savage from its long polar journey,	at my house,
the North Wind	trying to force its way in,
is searching for food—	until frozen nails
and <i>wild</i> to find shelter tonight.	<i>pop.</i>
Starved, it	Then, at eight o'clock,
<i>gnaws</i>	spent and weary,
on my house until roof groans,	it wraps around my chimney with a
and screams wail down my chimney.	<i>sigh</i>
Frigid, it	when Dad builds a fire.
<i>tears</i>	