

Name: _____ Date: _____ Class: _____

Title of Book: _____

Scavenger Hunt for Information Author's Purpose and Text Organization

Directions: Complete this scavenger hunt as you read the chapters in your book. After you read each chapter, take some time to complete one of the activities. Turn this paper in to your teacher when you finish.

Author's Purpose	Text Organization
<p>There are different reasons why authors write nonfiction texts:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ To convince or persuade➤ To entertain➤ To inform or teach	<p>Authors structure nonfiction texts in different ways:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Cause and Effect➤ Compare and Contrast➤ Description or List➤ Problem and Solution➤ Question and Answer➤ Sequential or Chronological Order

Scavenger Hunt #1: As you read, identify the author's purpose for writing the chapter. Explain how you figured out the author's purpose.

Title of Chapter: _____

<u>Author's Purpose</u>	<u>Evidence</u> (How You Figured It Out)
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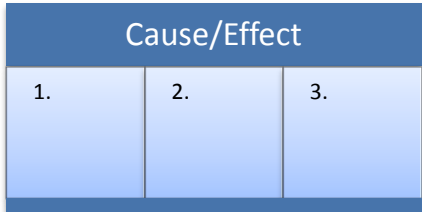
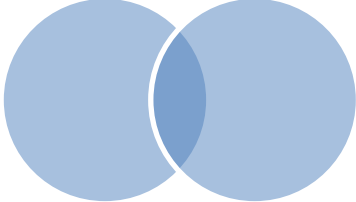

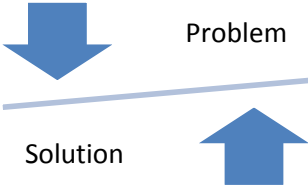
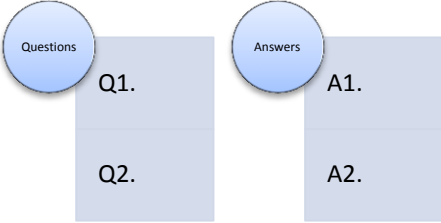
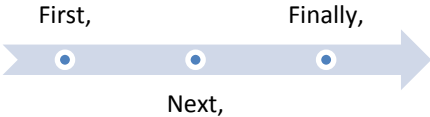
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Scavenger Hunt #2: As you read, pay close attention to the way the author organizes the information. Use one of the diagrams below to take notes. Choose the graphic organizer that best matches the text organization for your favorite chapter. Draw your diagram and write the notes in the space below.

Title of Chapter: _____

<p style="text-align: center;">Cause and Effect</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;">Compare and Contrast</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;">Description or List</p> 
<p style="text-align: center;">Problem and Solution</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;">Question and Answer</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;">Sequential Order</p> 

Title of Chapter: _____

Text Organization Style: _____