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Before, During, After Thinking Guide

Monster by Walter Dean Myers

(pg.45-58)

***Before:*** Match the vocabulary word to the correct definition. You may use a dictionary for help.

1. Overruled (pg 55) a. to decide against what someone asked for
2. Pertinent (pg 55) b. to call people together to meet again
3. Adjourn (pg 57) c. to end a meeting
4. Reconvene (pg 57) d. having to do with

***During:***

1. Describe how Steve feels about the detention center. (pg 45)

1. Who are the characters that testify in this chapter? (pg 47)

1. What do you think the word ‘crew’ means when King states, “all you need is a crew…?” (pg 50).

1. Draw an illustration of how you think Steve’s facial expressions are during the trail.
2. A *Haiku* is a three lined poem. The first line has 5 syllables. The second line has 7 syllables. The third line has 5 syllables.

Example:

Sherman Alexie (5 syllables: Sher-man-A-lex-ie)

Wrote a book about his life (7 syllables: Wrote-a-book-a-bout-his-life)

He went through a lot (5 syllables: He-went-through-a-lot)

Create **two** different Haiku poems. The Haikus will be from the point of view of the characters in the novel. Use the information you have read about the characters to create the Haiku. They should not be generic but **extremely specific** to the detail in the book.

**King**

**Steve**

1. Write the positives and negatives to the trail so far.