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Subject: Unit 2 – Literary Words – Point of View p. 81

Educational Outcome: to determine the narrator's perspective to improve reading and writing skills

Point of View

First Person

"**I** am the star of the story!"

The narrator is **inside** the story, **talking about himself/herself**. They use the pronouns **I, me, my...**

Second Person

"**You** are the star of the story!"

The narrator is **outside** the story, **talking directly to the reader**, using the pronoun **you**

Third Person

"**Someone else** is the star of the story!"

The narrator is **outside** the story, talking about other people. They use pronouns like **he, she, they...**

Directions: Determine from which perspective the passage is narrated. Explain your answers.

1. "You must get the golden key from the Sugar Toast Forest," said **the Peanut Butter Wizard**. **He** knew that **their** quest would be hard, so **he** gave them a bit of advice, "All you have is one another, so stick together." **Jelly Girl** and **Banana Boy** nodded eagerly.

Narrator's Perspective: **Third Person**

Explanation: **The narrator is outside the story, using characters' names and words like he and their.**

2. **You** shouldn't argue with people on the Internet. It is a waste of time and energy. Do **you** want to spend your precious life energy trying to type sense into some delusional fool who will only hate **you** for your efforts? No, **you** don't. The next time someone makes some outlandish claim that infuriates **you**, **you** should either ignore them, unfriend them, or block them.

Narrator's Perspective: **Second Person**

Explanation: **The writer is talking directly to the reader, using the pronoun you.**

3. The dishes flew and the engine of turmoil raged. That was sound of **my** parents fighting. **I** wish they got along, but wishes don't amount to much in the real world. Goals do, however. And **I** have several goals.

Narrator's Perspective: **First Person**

Explanation: **The narrator is telling his/her own story using the pronouns I and my.**