

# Prediction Chain

## What you'll need:

9-by-18-inch sheet of white construction paper, colored pencils or markers

## Steps:

- 1 Draw a 2-inch square in the top left-hand corner of the construction paper.
- 2 Write the title and author of your novel in the square.
- 3 Each time you finish reading a chapter, draw a circle on your paper and write the chapter number and a prediction about the next chapter. Put a star in the circle if you determine your prediction was correct after you finish reading that chapter.
- 4 Continue this process until you finish the novel. Draw a line to link your circles together to make a chain.
- 5 In the last circle, retell how the story ends.
- 6 On the back of your sheet rate your prediction skills from 1 (poor) to 5 (excellent).
- 7 Tell why you rated yourself the way you did.

## Grading Criteria

Adequate prediction details	15 points
Followed directions	10 points
Rating and self-reflection	5 points
Organization	5 points
Ending retelling	5 points
Mechanics	5 points
Neatness	5 points
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