Writing Prompt

“The Faery Handbag” is a story that can be read many different ways. Some who read it say the handbag itself is a way to talk about death: Rustan, Jake, and Zofia’s family are all dead, and that “jumping in the handbag” is a euphemism for death. Others say the handbag is a means to talk about break-ups or those we love who leave us with no resolution. Prove, in a paragraph, how you see the metaphor of the handbag.

Claim: Though many see Link’s tale, “The Faery Handbag,” as a metaphor for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, the true meaning of the phrase is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Cite: When Genevieve tells us “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_...

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Conclusion: