Name _____

Interpretation Analysis

1. What kind of selection is this? ❒Prose Cat. A ❒Prose Cat. B ❒Poetry Cat. A ❒Poetry Cat. B

❒ Humorous ❒ Dramatic ❒ Duet/Duo

2. In what book did you find your selection? (title, author/editor, library call number)

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3. What is the title of your selection & author? _____

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4. Why do you think the author chose this title? _____

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5. Who is speaking? Be specific - someone is speaking. 'The narrator' is not enough. Tell something

about him/her. _____

6. To whom is he/she speaking? Specifically - even if it is the audience. Use your imagination.

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7. What is your character speaking about and why? _____

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8. How is your character speaking? _____

9. When and where does the story take place? _____

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10. What happens in the action before your selection begins? (The moment before) _____

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11. What is the mood at the opening of the selection? _____

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12. What kind of color or image do you imagine the mood to be? _____

Why? _____

13. What is the mood at the end of the selection? _____

Color or image change? (Describe) _____

14. What caused the change? _____

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15. At what point (word/line in your selection) does the change take place? _____

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16. Write down words you cannot pronounce and/or do not know what they mean. Include pronunciations and definitions. _____

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17. What will be difficult to perform in this selection? _____

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18. Summarize your selection: _____

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19. Why did you choose this selection? _____

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20. Give some background information on your author (age, date of birth, ethnicity, awards won, style of writing, and general information) _____

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