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## Lesson objectives

- Identify the key features of a Play scene.
- Write complete sentences, using capital letters and end punctuation.
- Write narratives in which they recount short sequence of events, include details to describe actions, thoughts, and feelings and provide a sense of closure.

# This week you will write a play scene.







A play scene is part of a play, or a story that is acted out.

You can write the speeches that the actors say in your play.



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?Who are the two characters in this play scene

Little Red Ant and Cactus

"Cactus, do you have sharp spines?" who said those words?

Little Red Ant

Who makes the next speech?

Cactus

underline what that character says

Yes, I have many sharp spines



Name

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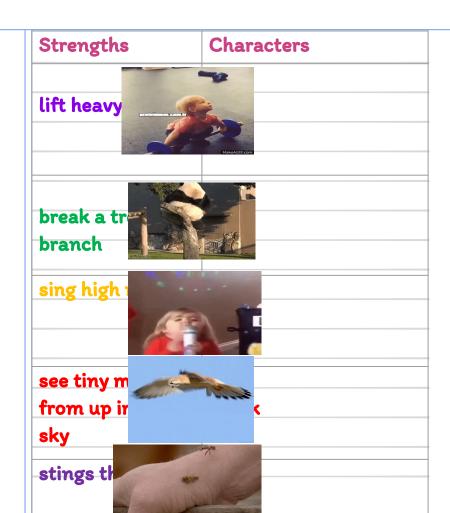
## **Writing Prompt**

The Strongest One is a .drama, or play

Think about the questions Little Red Ant asks the characters in the play.

Now write a play scene in which the ant asks another animal or a girl or boy about strength

Identifying possible characters and their strengths. Possible .ideas are shown



character

Little Red Ant

What I want

to know who is

the strongest

to stay away

from bees

one







**Four-Column Chart** 

What I am like

curious

by Quarter Lawring Company 1 C 9



Home Activity Your child is learning to write stories, poems, brief reports, nonfiction paragraphs, letters, and other products this year. Ask what your child is writing this week.

What I feel

puzzled

## Wrap up!

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