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**Close and Critical Reading Questions**

Use your reading of the selection to answer the four levels of close and critical reading questions about the article.

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| **Questions** | **Title:**  |
| What does the text say? (Briefly summarize the selection at a literal level.) |  |
| How does the text say it? In other words, how does the author develop the text to convey his/her purpose? (What is the genre format, organization, features, etc.) |  |
| What does the text mean? (What theme/concept is the author trying to get across?) |  |
| So what? (What does the message/theme/ concept mean in your life and or the lives of others? Why is it worth sharing/telling? What significance does it have to your life and/or the lives of others?) |  |