

THE BINGE READING CLUB

During the winter holidays, we are going to read “Strong Female Character” by Fern Brady. When you finish reading it, get ready to design a roadmap of this autobiography.

MAPPING OUT THIS BOOK

Introduction:

When you use Google Maps on your computer, phone, or tablet, you can search, explore, and find your way around the world. As you know, this technology employs signposts superimposed on map images so that users can find their location, get directions, find out real-time traffic conditions and places of interest, and plan their trips by foot, car, bicycle, and air, among their many features.

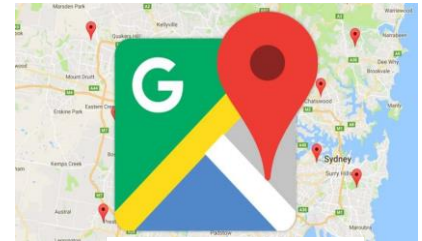


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What about mapping out this book as if it were a Google map by using one of these educational technology platforms (or any other platform you are familiar with and which can be accessed for free)?



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These are the signposts that your interactive, dynamic roadmap must have:



Signpost 1

- Read two or three biographies about the writer of the selected book. Then answer briefly:
If the writer of this book visited your country, which three pieces of news would s/he read? Why?
Use the information you have read about him/her to back up your answers in a 100-to-150-word paragraph.



Signpost 2

- Design a tattoo for the main character. Describe it in a 150-to-200-word paragraph.



Signpost 3

- Design a creative, interactive activity to reconstruct the plot of this story. This must contain 8 to 10 central events and you can't create a True or False exercise or provide students with a set of questions. Briefly describe the procedures, main objectives, and expected outcome(s) for this activity. Don't forget to provide the key.



Signpost 4

- Include three hashtags to discuss (alternative) interpretations of the ending of this story. Choose one and explain it in detail. Write your answer in an 80-to-100-word paragraph.



Signpost 5

- Find a text-to-world and a text-to-media connection.

Copy and paste the links to the audiovisual material (less than four minutes) you've chosen for your two connections. Explain each of them in a 100-to-150-word paragraph. Include a juicy question to spark off debate in class for each of the options.



Signpost 6

- Design an original task based on a key issue on this book and with the aim of integrating Comprehensive Sexuality Education (CSE) in a specific teaching context. Briefly describe topic selected, the context (level of education, proficiency level, and learners' needs), procedures, main objectives, and expected outcome(s) for this activity. Reflect on the importance of your task to help these students and teachers protect their health, well-being, and integrity. Use 250 to 300 words to write your answers.



Signpost 7

- Make a list of the references consulted using the 7th Edition of APA Style.

References:

Brady, Fern (2023). *Strong Female Character*. Hatchette Australia.