

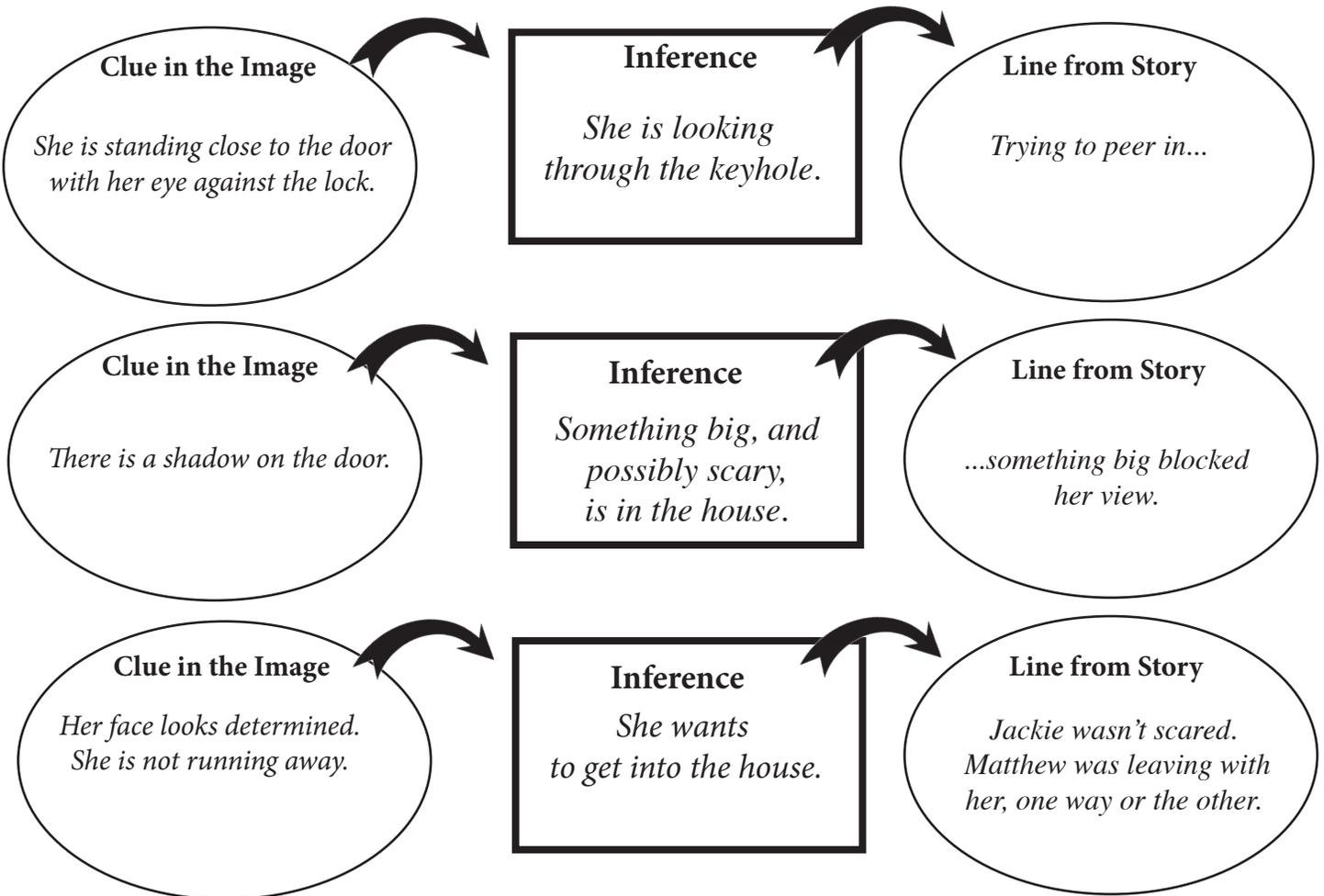


Connect the Dots Part 1

Making Inferences

Introduction: Making an inference is making a conclusion based on given information. It's like being a detective- you have to look at all of the clues and make decisions about what is going on. Details in the picture can help you to understand what is happening.

Story Example: Corn Dog Art™ Image *Through the Keyhole*



“Matthew, I know you’re in there!” she yelled, hoping he would answer. She knew she would find him. Pushing the door open, Jackie thought she saw Matthew run by, but she couldn’t be sure. Trying to peer in, something big blocked her view.

“You’re not wanted here,” said a deep, heavy voice. Unfortunately, it wasn’t Matthew’s voice.

Jackie wasn’t scared. Matthew was leaving with her, one way or the other.



Connect the Dots Part 2

Making Inferences

Introduction: *Inferencing* is making conclusions based on given information.

Writing Activity: Look carefully at the Story Starter image. Find some clues to tell you what is happening. Write the clue down in the first column. Then write the inference, or conclusion you make from that clue in the second column. In the last column write a possible line from the story. Use "Connect the Dots Part 1" to guide you.

Clue in the Image	Inference	Line from Story
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Based on your *inferences*, write your story here:
