

What Matters Most: How to Tell What's Important

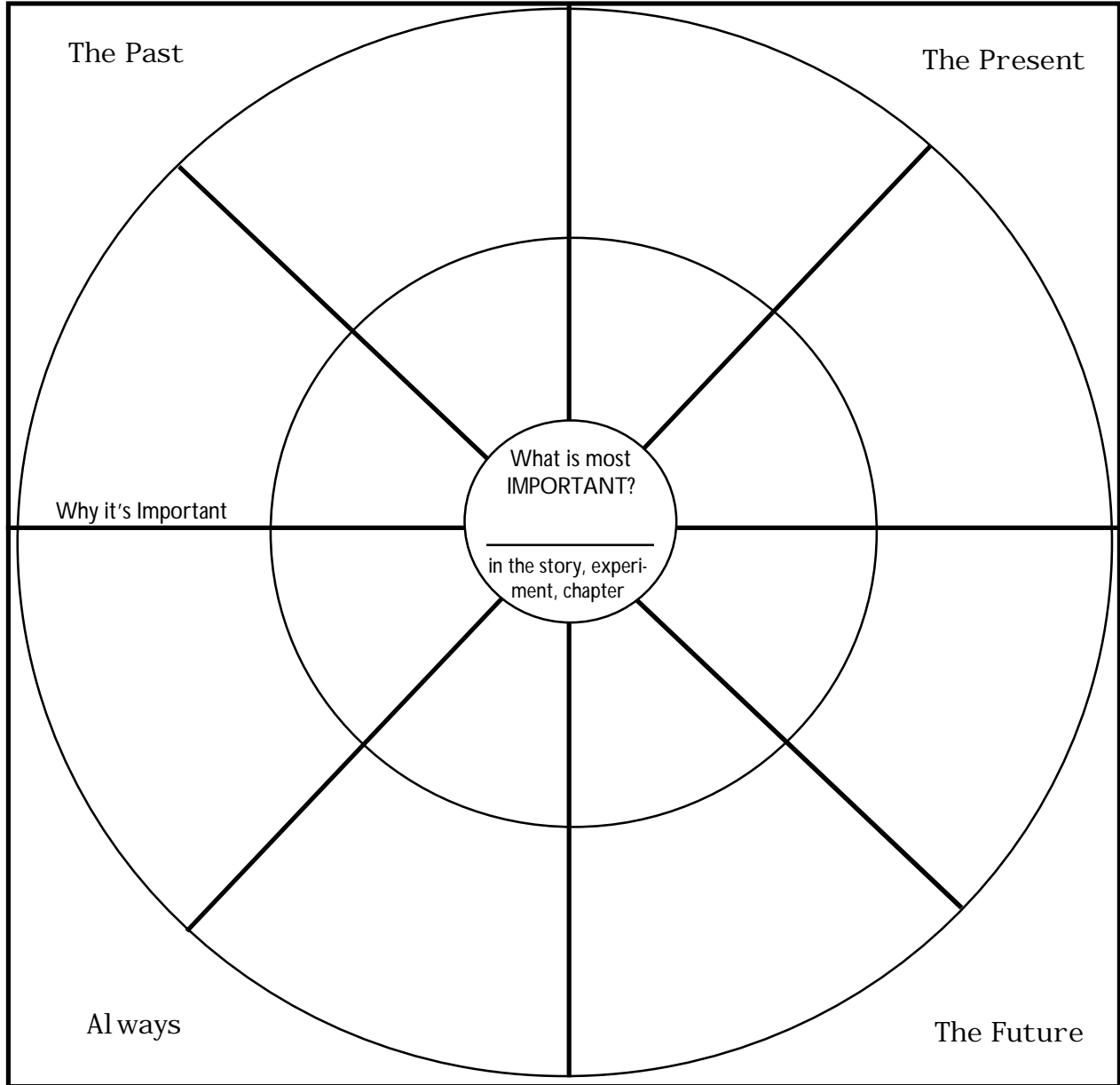
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Suggestions for Use: Fill in the blanks with words like Author, Teacher, Teenagers, Parents, Society, a character's name, or some other person or agency appropriate to your inquiry. Think also about *when* it is important: always, the past, present, or future.



0 _____ 10 Questions to Help Determine Importance

Continuum of Importance/Performance

Vocabulary of Importance

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| 1. important | 7. urgent | 13. necessary |
| 2. significant | 8. imperative | 14. prominent |
| 3. critical | 9. main | 15. remarkable |
| 4. essential | 10. substantial | 16. key |
| 5. crucial | 11. eminent | 17. major |
| 6. vital | 12. invaluable | 18. primary |

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