

Homework: Finding and Analyzing Description Note-catcher

Name: _____ **Date:** _____

Directions: Find five examples of precise descriptions in a narrative text. Carefully copy the sentence in which the description was found in the first column. Make sure you copy the entire sentence correctly. Highlight or underline the precise words and phrases used in the description (W.4.3b, W.4.3d, L.4.3a). Explain what the description helps the reader understand about the character or events in the second column (W.4.3b, W.4.3d). Follow the example in the first row.

| Source | Precise Descriptions | What does the description help the reader understand about the character or events? |
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| <i>Can You Survive the Wilderness?</i> p. 12 | "Your <u>heavy</u> back-pack contains a <u>warm</u> sleeping bag and a <u>small fold-up</u> tent." | <i>The supplies are heavy; the character planned ahead by making sure to bring a sleeping bag that was warm and a tent that folds up.</i> |
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