

The Lorax

A film based on the book by Dr. Seuss



Questions

1. Who are the two main characters of this film? Describe the job/role of each main character.
2. Name some of the creatures in the land. In what order, and why, do they leave?
3. What is/are the resource(s) the industrialist uses in Once-Ler. What type of products does the industrialist make from this/these?
4. What does the industrialist tell the boy at the end of the film?
5. What is the main message of the film? How does it relate to the old interpretation of the Genesis story that talks about “dominion over the earth”?
6. How is this film an analogy of what is happening in the world? Use specific scenes from the film to compare them to current environmental issues we studied in class (e.g. climate change).