Fantasy Forest (original wiki document on BlackBoard, before students changed it)

Once there was a bustling forest. Large, looming tree branches swayed in the gentle breeze. There were creatures of different shapes and sizes. There were long, slithering snakes rustling through the leaves. Fluffy brown rabbits scurried about looking for vegetables. Hungry squirrels quickly gathered nuts. Watchful owls scanned the forest for small mammals. Frightened mice hid from the powerful owls. Colorful song birds flitted about making nests for their babies. Even insects busied themselves. Hundreds of Army ants were hard at work finding food for their demanding queen. The sweet aroma of beautiful flowers filled the air. Suddenly, the wind grew stronger. Dark clouds covered the sky. First, small raindrops sprinkled the forest floor. Then, large, heavy drops pounded the ground. Animals hastily ran for cover. The bustling forest was now dark and quiet.

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How could you change this non-fiction story into fantasy?

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Once there was a magical forest.Large trees were hugging in the gentle breeze . There were animales of different shapes and sizes. There were 100,000 legged monkeys rustling through the trees. One eyed giants looking for antie gorillas to eat. Hungry fliying horses and dogs gatherd hot dogs to hibernate. Watchful owls scanned the forest for

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The following screen shots are of students' discussion of their favorite fantasy.

Thread:	The Lion the Witch and the Wordrobe	**Posted Date:**	February 11, 2010 9:16 AM
Post:	The Lion the Witch and the Wordrobe	**Status:**	Published
Author:	Staunton Hatch		

I like the Lion the Witch and the Wordrobe beacause Lions are one of my favorite animals and I like to play war with my little brother.

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Thread:	Fantacy	**Posted Date:**	February 11, 2010 9:11 AM
Post:	Fantacy	**Status:**	Published
Author:	Karolyn Lewis		

My favorite fantasy book is WHERE THE WILD THINGS ARE I just love the adventure that they go thrue.

Thread:	how i became a pirate	**Posted Date:**	February 11, 2010 9:51 AM
Post:	how i became a pirate	**Status:**	Published
Author:	Jaret Cherry		

I like the story how i became a pirate because the little boy teaches the pirates how to play soccer and then the shark eats the ball because they kicked the ball of the boat and then the pirates got mad and i like how the little boy asked the pirate for a kiss and the pirates said no way and then he asked them to read a book to him and they said they only had maps and i like that they putted the boy in a box during the storm and this let the box go all over the place

Post:	WINTER FAIRY	**Status:**	Published
Author:	Heiress Hodges		

I LIKE THE STORY WINTER FARIY BECAUSE IT GETTING SAD THE LITTLE FAIRY LOST HER WINGS AND SHE HAS LOOKED ALL OVER SNOWVILLE AND SHEIS JUST FOUR I WONDER WHATS GOING TO HAPPEN NEXT I HOPE SHE FINDS HER WING . BUT HERSISTER HAS ALL HER WINGS AND SHE IS JUST A BABY FARIY. BUT THE RESON THAT SHE LOST HER WING IS THAT SHE WAS FLYING TO THE STORE AND ON THE WAY THERE SHE BUMT INTO A THE HER SISTER LAGHT AT HER BECAUSE SHE LOST HER WING AND HER SISTER TOKE A PIC OF HER AND MADE A COPY OF IT AND SENT IT TO EVERYONE IN SNOWVILLE

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Thread:	Vamsi Gorrepati	**Posted Date:**	February 11, 2010 9:53 AM
Post:	Vamsi Gorrepati	**Status:**	Published
Author:	Vamsi Gorrepati		

I like stories too I always want to know what comes next it is a mysteries to me.

Its fun to read and have fun.

Student,

Vamsi Gorrepati

Thread:	The series of Narnia	Posted Date:	February 11, 2010 9:11 AM
Post:	The series of Narnia	Status:	Published
Author:	Audrey Royall		

I like like the the series of Narnia because it has aventure in it.

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Thread:	The Lion the Witch and the Wardrobe	Posted Date:	February 10, 2010 4:14 PM
Post:	The Lion the Witch and the Wardrobe	Status:	Published
Author:	Tamika Lowe		

I enjoy many fantasy stories. I like Alice in Wonderland and the Wizard of Oz. The Lion the Witch and the Wardrobe is becoming my favorite because I don't remember reading it when I was younger. As I read it for the first time, I get to feel the excitement and mystery of Narnia because I really don't know what is going to happen next!

This last one is my posted comment. I usually post first so they can see what kinds of information they can include in their responses.

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