

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Wednesday, November 30

Start reading the book *Arctic Tale*  
You have 15 days to read this book.

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.  
I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Here is what happened today:

Who is telling this story?

Thursday, December 1

You have 14 days left to finish *Arctic Tale*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.  
I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Here is what happened today:

Do you like the story so far? Why or why not?

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Friday, December 2

You have 13 days left to finish *Arctic Tale*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Here is what happened today:

Did the first chapter of the book draw your attention? Why or why not?

Saturday, December 3

You have 12 days left to finish *Arctic Tale*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Here is what happened today:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Sunday, December 4

You have 11 days left to finish *Arctic Tale*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Here is what happened today:

(from Chapter 3-4)

Why do female walruses learn to judge the singing abilities of the male walruses?

Create a map of the story’s setting. Include a map key, compass rose, and a title. Describe your drawing:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Monday, December 5

You have 10 days left to finish *Arctic Tale*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Here is what happened today:

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Tuesday, December 6

You have 9 days left to finish *Arctic Tale*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Here is what happened today:

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Choose one character. Write one sentence to explain what he/she looks like.

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(from Chapters 5-6)  
What happened when Seela went exploring?

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Wednesday, December 7

You have 8 days left to finish *Arctic Tale*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Here is what happened today:

Which character do you like best?

Thursday, December 8

You have 7 days left to finish *Arctic Tale*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Here is what happened today:

Which characters are friends? Which ones don't get along well?

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Friday, December 9

You have 6 days left to finish *Arctic Tale*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Here is what happened today:

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Do you think the author was good at explaining things so you can easily understand the story? Why or why not?

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Saturday, December 10

You have 5 days left to finish *Arctic Tale*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Here is what happened today:

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This story is making me think about...

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

(from Chapters 7-8)  
Why don't the walruses want to go back onto Rock Island in the same place they had been chased from?

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**Sunday, December 11**  
You have 4 days left to finish *Arctic Tale*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.  
I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Here is what happened today:

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If you could jump into your book and become a new character in the story, who would you be?

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**Monday, December 12**  
You have 3 days left to finish *Arctic Tale*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.  
I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Here is what happened today:

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

(from Chapters 9-11)  
Why did Seela's calf need a new auntie?

Wednesday, December 14

Finish reading the book *Arctic Tale*  
Finally, you can finish this book today!

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.  
I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

Here is what happened today:

Which character has learned a lesson in this story?

What piece of information did you find the most interesting in this book?

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Write a paragraph about Nanu and how she survived.

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\_\_\_\_\_ Why do the walruses need the ice floes to survive?

- A. The ice floes give them protection from the ocean waters.
- B. They need the ice floes to float around the Arctic Ocean on.
- C. They rest on the ice floes after hunting for food and to stay away from polar bears.
- D. The ice floes are the walrus's natural environment.

\_\_\_\_\_ Why are the animals of the Arctic having trouble surviving?

- A. Their prey is taking over their environments.
- B. Their prey is all extinct, and there is nothing for them to eat.
- C. Their prey have all gone inland or out to sea.
- D. The weather is so warm that their normal hunting procedures are affected.

\_\_\_\_\_ Why is Nanu hungry when she has all kinds of food around her?

- A. She will only eat meat.
- B. She will only eat plants.
- C. She will only eat clams.
- D. She is an omnivore.