



CLOSE READING PURPOSE:

Folklores are short stories that include a lesson and sometimes involve a character on a quest. A quest is a journey where a character must show strength and courage to overcome obstacles. Complete the chart with examples of each genre feature.

Text: _____

A QUEST HAS:	TEXT EVIDENCE:
Hero	_____ _____
Hero's journey	_____ _____
Journey's goal	_____ _____
Obstacles to overcome	_____ _____



APPLY IT!

How does the valiant tailor overcome the giant's challenges?

- A. He finds a way to escape the giant before getting killed.
- B. He becomes friends with the giant instead.
- C. He convinces the giant that he doesn't need to play along with his games.
- D. He outsmarts the giant.

How does Chi Li defeat the serpent?

- A. She stuffs him full of rice balls until he no longer likes rice.
- B. She tricks the serpent and chops his head off.
- C. She has her hound attach the serpent.
- D. She scares the serpent away forever.