READING & WRITING STATION INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Read any books you want in each collection.
- 2. Write 3 or more complete sentences to answer the question that goes with each collection.
- 3. Be sure to use text evidence from the books in your writing.
- 4. Use the COPS rubric to assess your writing.

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PERSEVERANCE & PROBLEM SOLVING

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"Keeping Billie safe was Ollie's **favorite** thing to do. He'd put his head on Billy's chest and **listen** to his heart."

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"A **junkyard** is a sad but **wondrous** place, a place of **memories** and times long gone, filled with pieces and parts of lives that have moved on. And when these broken and **forgotten** things are tossed away, they become junk."

WEATHER

What do you do in a storm?

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"Then it started to thunder. Just a **rumble** or two at first, but soon louder and closer. This was 'bad news' and **'bummer'** and 'in **trouble'** all put together."

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"Now was a chance to be **useful** again. USEFUL! To be of use! And so they **banded** together - constructing themselves into the most unlikely **cavalry** of the cast off, the **forgotten**, and the brave - to help."

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"The all-**terrain** mobile-junk attack vehicle was a **triumph** of design on the fly, and it functioned like a champion. They were at full **throttle** and sail, bouncing through the overgrown grass and puddles and roots with wicked, if **wobbly**, **ease**."