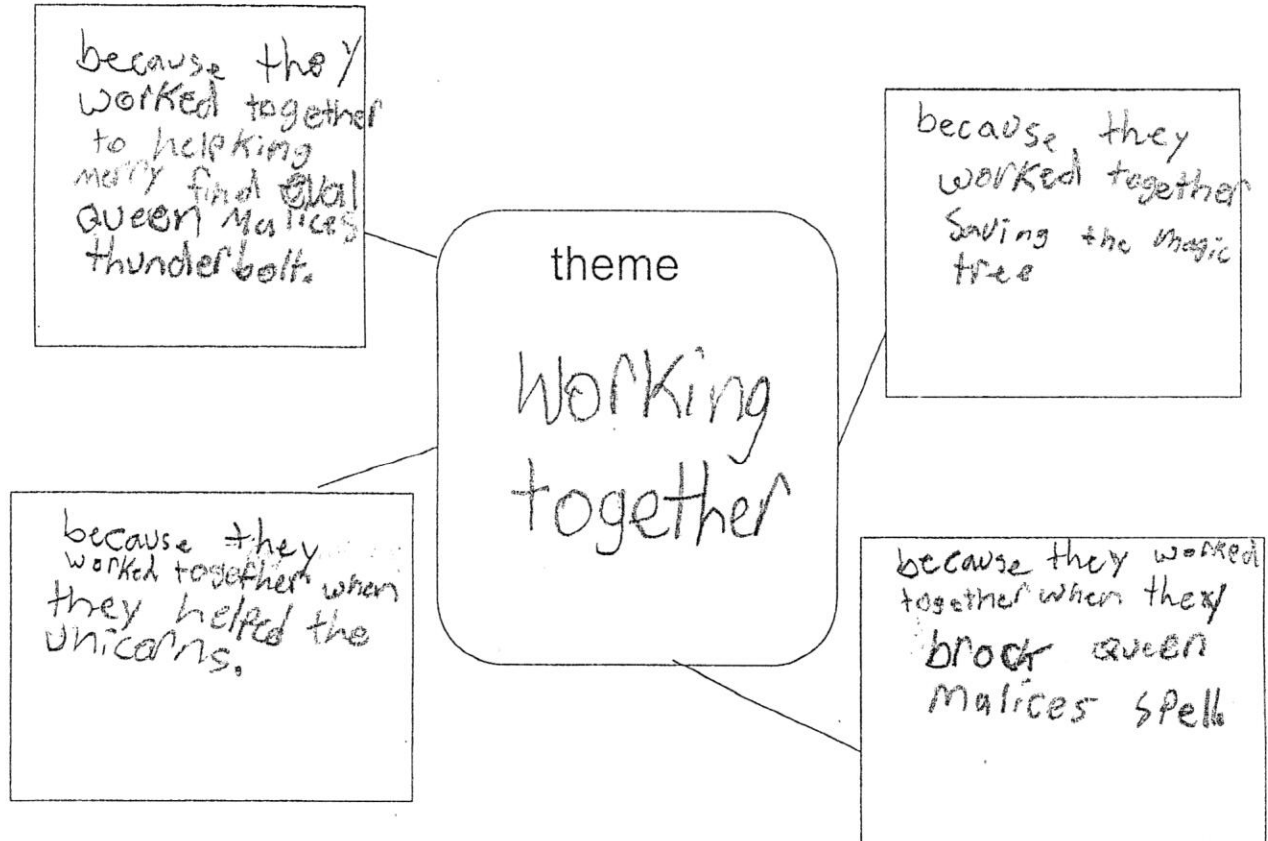




## Identify and Support the Theme of a Story

CCSS Anchor Reading Standard 2. Determine central ideas or themes of a text and analyze their development; summarize the key supporting details and ideas.

Secret Kingdom (Unicorn Valley)



### Think it through.

The theme of a story is a way of thinking about the whole story.

You can start with the theme or start with important parts of the story and then write the theme.

Write words or draw pictures that show parts of the story that the writer uses to communicate the theme.