**Narrative Frame Name\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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| **Main Characters:** *names and key characteristics* |
| **Setting:** *time, place, context* |
| **Initiating Event:** *..starts the action rolling. “Then one day…”* |
| **Main Characters’ Internal Response:** *main characters emotional reaction to initial event* |
| **Goal:** *what the characters decide to do* |
| **Consequence:** *what the characters try to do – the action* |
| **Resolution:** *how the goal turns out* |

**Narrative Frame Guiding Questions**

Who are the main characters?

When and where did the story tack place?

What was the place like?

What happened at the start of the story?

How did the main characters react to the event?

What did the characters decide to do then?

Did they set a goal?

What was it?

What did they do to try to accomplish their goal?

How did things turn out?

This is a model of a Narrative Frame, intended to illustrate the components. It may be modified to suit various grades. Components 3-7 can cycle as new events are added.

Adapted from Marzano, Pickering & Pollock (2001) and Hill & Flynn (2006)