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| **Content:**  --Story and wording are clear and appropriate for chosen audience (1)  --Book has a creative title (1)  --Content is accurate (2)  --Includes 5 new facts (5) | 9-7 | 6-4 | 3-1 | 0 |  |
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