

Choices & CHALLENGES

Writing Options

1. Adventure Advertisement Write a persuasive copy for a poster or magazine advertisement inviting hunters to venture across time to hunt prehistoric creatures. Try to convince readers that this adventure is worth the high price and that it is important for them to responsibly follow every rule.

2. Incident Report Writing as Travis, compose a two-paragraph report to your superiors in which you describe the main incident from the story, what you presume are its consequences, and how you propose to make sure nothing like this happens again.



Activities & Explorations

1. Butterfly Drawing Create a fanciful picture of a butterfly in which you visually convey the notion—presented in the story through prose—that the butterfly contains within it the seeds of history. For example, you might include pictures on the wings. ~ ART

2. Video Adaptation As you view the clip from the film of "A Sound of Thunder," compare the way the dinosaur appears with the way you imagined it as you read. What did you find scarier, the tyrannosaurus you imagined or the one you viewed? Discuss your responses with other students. ~ VIEWING AND REPRESENTING

VIDEO Literature in Performance



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