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Author's Point of purpose View The mara is a South American rodent related to the guinea pig. They live on the plains in Argentina. Maras mate for life. After babies are born, the parents drop off their infants in one den. One mother cares for the babies while her mate guards the outside. The others return with food for the babies and their sitters. The babies all look a O. tŀ tc h Ś **PREVIEW** Please Sign In or Sign Up to download the printable version of this worksheet е education would benefit from a later school start time. Vote no on this proposition next week. I ran along the cliff, waving my arms frantically. If only a sailor aboard the ship would see me! But even if he did, would he realize I was warning them to turn back? The distance to the ship was too far for my voice to carry. Yet I couldn't stop shouting myself hoarse, hoping that somehow I could prevent the ship from wrecking on the reef.





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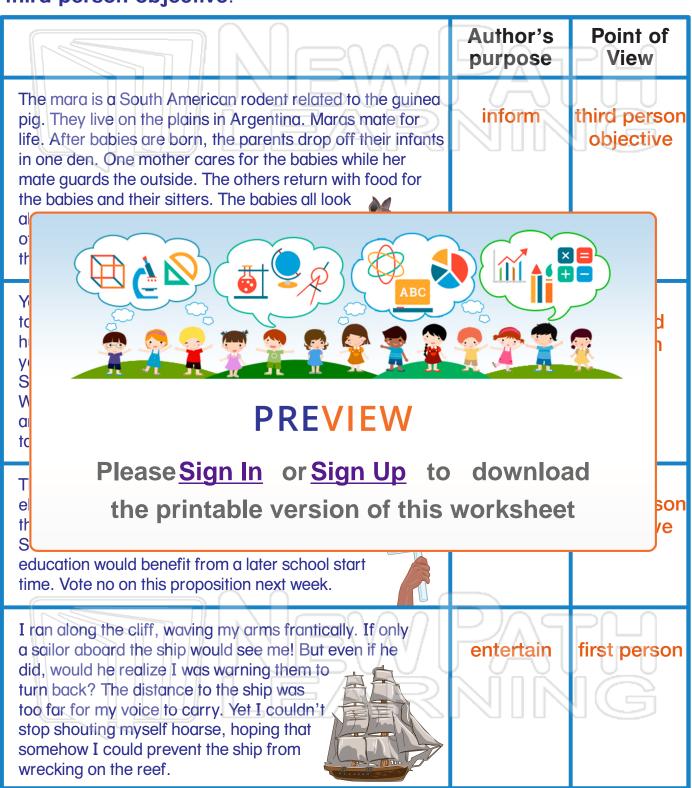




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