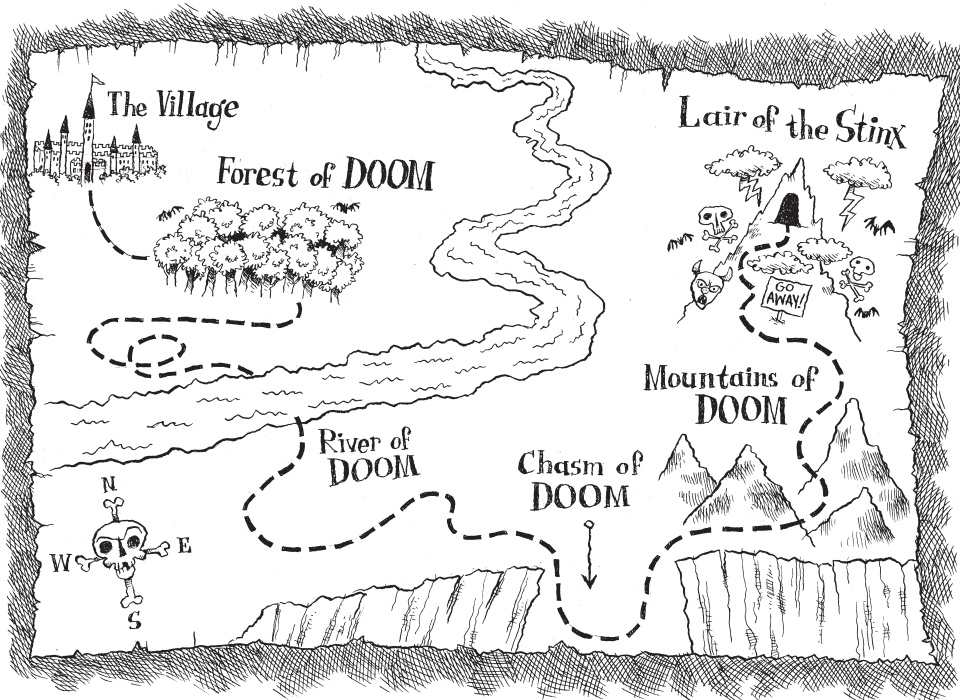


MAPPING THE QUEST

All About Location: Look at the map below. Use your imagination to predict what challenge you think awaits Tim and his companions at each location and why.



“There’s an awful lot of doom in our kingdom.” — Tim, upon seeing the map leading to the Lair of the Stinx.

A Hero's Quest

A hero's quest is a classic kind of a story in literature. Here's what it's all about.

- **The Hero** – character who sets out on an almost impossible journey
- **Three Quest Types** – rescue, collect something, deliver something
- **Skills** – hero learns special skills before embarking on the quest
- **Challenges of the Unknown (Problems)** – hero journeys from the familiar into the unknown where they face many challenges
- **Change** – hero is changed on the inside because of the quest, learning something new about themselves



Writers' Workshop

Begin a quest story for the character you developed in Activity 1. Complete the prompts to write about a challenge your character must face at the beginning, middle, and end of the quest plotline. Then on the back of this sheet, draw and map locations in your quest story.

My character (name of hero character from Activity 1): _____

My character's quest (explain the quest type): _____

Beginning location of quest story: _____

Problem the hero has at this location: _____

Middle location of quest story: _____

Problem the hero faces at this location: _____

Ending location of quest story: _____

Problem the hero faces at this location: _____