

# SPACE CAT

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Text Title \_\_\_\_\_

<b>S</b>	<b>SPEAKER:</b> Who is the speaker/writer? What do we know about them? What can you tell or what do you know about the speaker that helps you understand the point of view expressed?	
<b>P</b>	<b>PURPOSE:</b> What is the speaker/writer hoping to accomplish? What is the reason behind this piece? What do they want the audience to do after having listened?	
<b>A</b>	<b>AUDIENCE:</b> Who is the speaker/writer trying to reach? How do we know? Do they indicate a specific audience? What assumptions exist in the text about the intended audience?	
<b>C</b>	<b>CONTEXT:</b> What is the time and place of this piece? What is happening in the world as it relates to the subject of the speech or the speaker/writer?	
<b>E</b>	<b>EXIGENCE:</b> What was the spark or <b>catalyst</b> that moved the speaker/writer to act/write? How did that event impact the speaker/writer?	
<b>C</b>	<b>CHOICES:</b> What are the rhetorical choices that the speaker/writer makes in the speech? Think about overall structure, devices, diction, syntax, etc.	
<b>A</b>	<b>APPEALS:</b> Which of the three rhetorical appeals (ethos, logos, pathos) are present in the text? Where? Why?	
<b>T</b>	<b>tone:</b> What is the speaker/authors attitude toward the subject? Is the tone the same throughout the whole piece? Where does it shift? What evidence is there to demonstrate the tone?	