

ELA Monday

Week of 8/12

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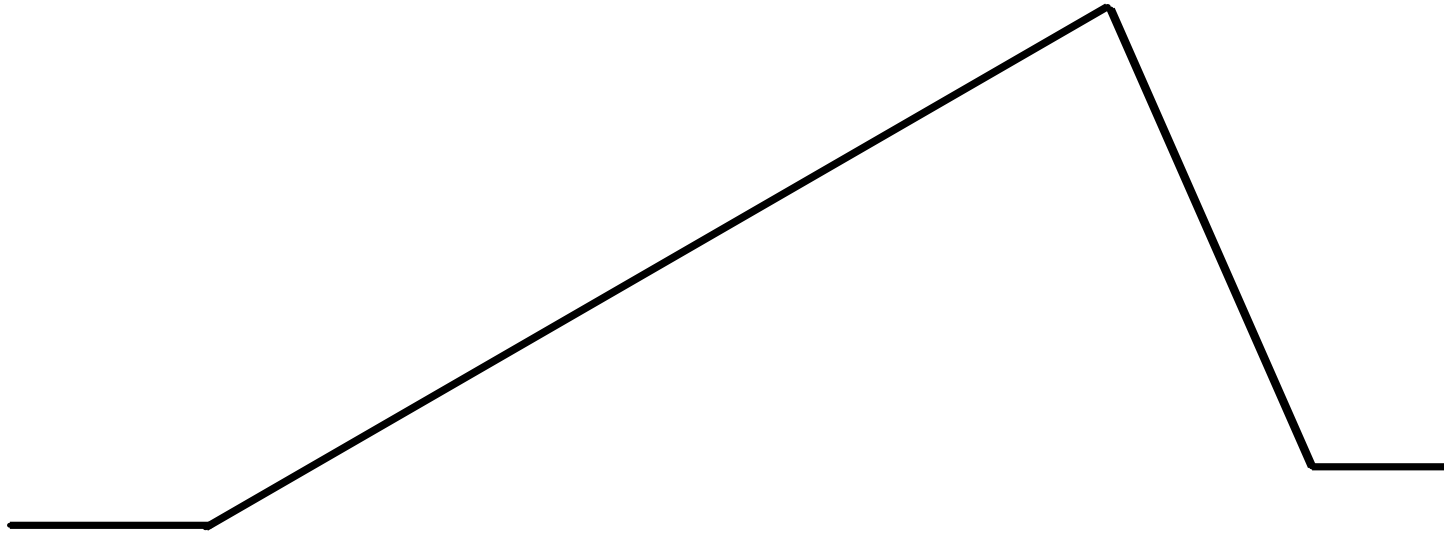
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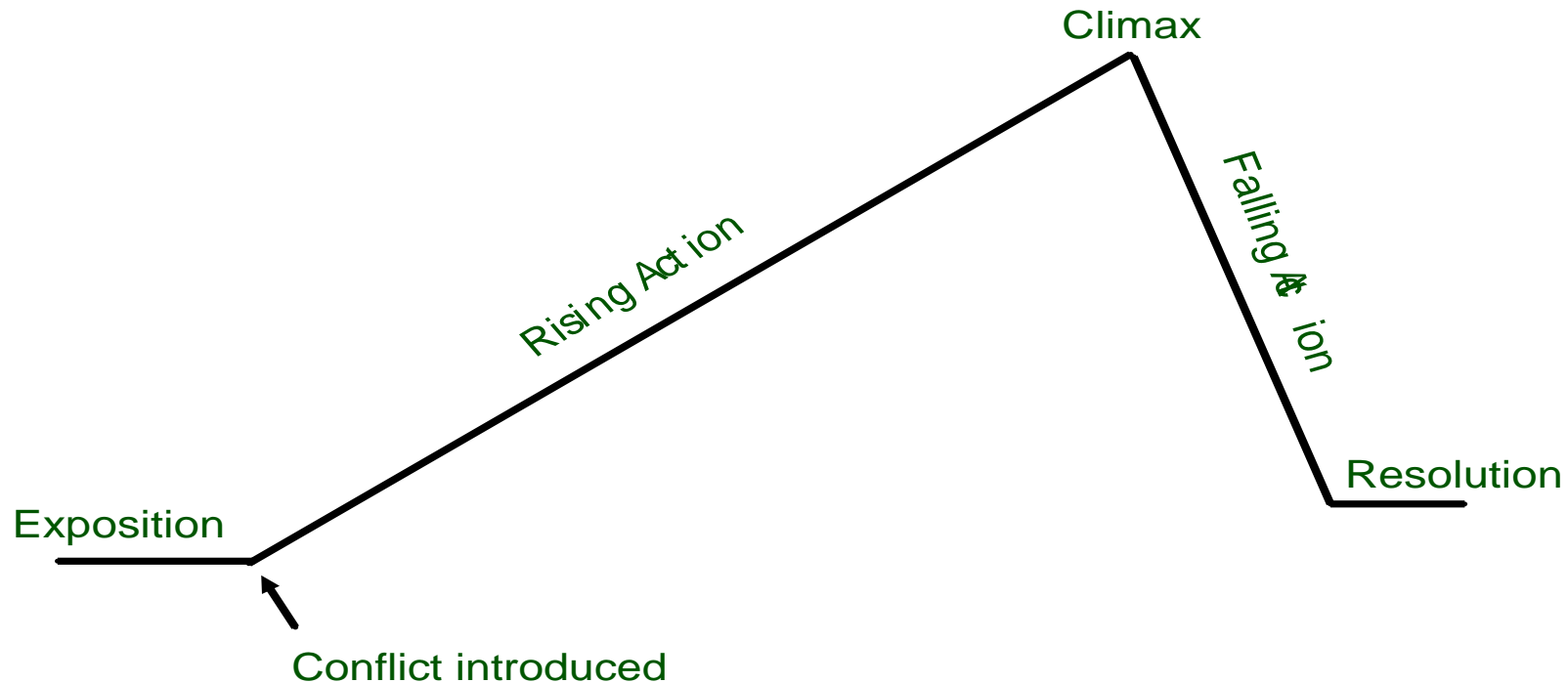
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Lesson

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slipshod (adj.)

definition: showing a lack of care or thought

synonym: **botched/sloppy**

antonym: **exact/perfect**

sentence: Greedy contractors ruined my aunt's house with slipshod work.

nefarious (adj.)

definition: wicked or criminal

synonym: evil

antonym: angelic

sentence: The nefarious activities of the mafia family were caught on tape.

precursor (noun)

definition: a person or thing that comes before another of a similar kind

synonym: forerunner

antonym: result

sentence: Seedless watermelons were a precursor to a slew of new bioengineered foods.

impregnable (adj.)

definition: unable to be captured or broken into

synonym: **secure**

antonym: **vulnerable**

sentence: The castle was surrounded by an impregnable stone wall.

demure (adj.)

definition: shy or modest

synonym: reserved

antonym: obnoxious

sentence: The demure girl blushed during the health teacher's lecture.