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| Paper size          | US Letter (8.5 × 11 in)                |
| Orientation         | Landscape                              |
| Print on both sides | On (two-sided / duplex)                |
| Flip on             | Short edge                             |
| Scale               | 100% / Actual size — not “Fit to page” |
| Pages               | All                                    |

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1. Take the whole stack out of the printer. Keep the sheets in order.
2. Fold the stack in half, so this page is on the outside.
3. Staple twice along the fold.



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# Reading Journal

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My thoughts, chapter by chapter

**Reader:**

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**Book Title:**

Bunnicula

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**Author:**

Deborah Howe

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**Date Started:**

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**Date Finished:**

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*Keep reading. Keep wondering.*  
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# How to Answer

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*Your answer does not have to be perfect. Just answer in complete thoughts and use details from the chapter.*

## How to structure your answer

A strong answer usually has a few parts. Try these steps:

1. **Answer the question.** Start with one sentence that answers the question directly.
2. **Give an example.** Add a detail or moment from the chapter that shows what you mean.
3. **Explain why.** Tell why it mattered, or how it made you think or feel.
4. **Wrap it up.** Finish with a closing thought, a question, or a prediction.

**Chapter 3: When the family finds the strange white vegetables, what different explanations do Harold and Chester seem to have? Which explanation makes more sense to you so far, and why?**

**Example answer:** I think Harold is confused by the white vegetables, but he is not ready to believe something scary is happening. Chester thinks Bunnacula might be a vampire because the vegetables look drained. So far, Harold's explanation makes more sense to me because Chester is using stories and movies instead of real proof. Still, the vegetables are very strange, so I can understand why Chester is worried.

## How to Answer (continued)

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**Chapter 5: What does Harold's reaction to Chester's worries show about Harold's personality? Use at least one event from the chapter in your answer.**

**Example answer:** Harold's reaction shows that he is calm, friendly, and not as dramatic as Chester. When Chester worries about Bunnacula, Harold listens, but he does not panic right away. He seems to care about keeping peace in the house. I think Harold is a good narrator because he notices funny details and tries to be fair.

**Chapter 10: What lesson or message do you think the story gives about jumping to conclusions? How do Harold, Chester, and Bunnacula help show that lesson?**

**Example answer:** I think the story teaches that you should not decide something is true without enough evidence. Chester jumps to the conclusion that Bunnacula is dangerous, and that causes problems. Harold is more careful because he watches what happens and thinks about it. Bunnacula also helps show the lesson because he may seem strange, but being strange does not always mean being bad.

# Chapter 1

Chapter 1: How does Harold describe the Monroe family and the night they find the rabbit? What details help you understand the story's setting and mood?

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# Chapter 10

Chapter 10: What lesson or message do you think the story gives about jumping to conclusions? How do Harold, Chester, and Bunnacula help show that lesson?

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# Chapter 9

Chapter 9: What prediction can you make about what will happen to Bunnacula after the events in this chapter? What clues make you think that?

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# Chapter 2

Chapter 2: What are some unusual things Chester notices about Bunnacula? How do these details make Chester feel about the new pet?

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# Chapter 3

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# Chapter 8

Chapter 8: Do you think Chester is trying to protect the family or just causing trouble? Explain your opinion using evidence from the story.

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# Chapter 7

Chapter 7: How do Chester’s plans to stop Bunnacula affect the other characters? What problems do his actions cause?

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# Chapter 4

Chapter 4: How does Chester use what he knows from books and movies to decide what Bunnacula might be? Do you think Chester is being smart, silly, or both?

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# Chapter 5

Chapter 5: What does Harold’s reaction to Chester’s worries show about Harold’s personality? Use at least one event from the chapter in your answer.

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# Chapter 6

Chapter 6: Choose one new or interesting word from this chapter. What do you think it means, and how does the sentence around it help you figure it out?

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