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# Reading Journal

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My thoughts, chapter by chapter

**Reader:**

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**Book Title:**

The Lost Hero

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**Author:**

Rick Riordan

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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

*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.

## How might Jason's missing memories affect whom he trusts? Use something you have read to explain your thinking.

**Example answer:** I think Jason's missing memories make it hard for him to know whom to trust. Piper and Leo seem to know him, but he cannot remember them. I would feel confused if people knew things about me that I did not know myself. Jason needs help, but he also needs to ask questions instead of believing everything right away.

# Chapter 56

**What lesson about handling an unfamiliar situation could a reader learn from the story so far? Use a character's experience to explain.**

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**What do you think it means?**

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# Chapter 55

Which difficult choice might a character face soon? Explain the possible choices and what makes them difficult.

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## How to Answer (continued)

**What could the word 'lost' in the title mean based on what you have read so far?**

**Example answer:** I think 'lost' can mean more than being in the wrong place. Jason has lost his memories, so he does not understand his own past. Even when he knows where he is standing, he can still feel lost inside. The title makes me wonder how he will discover who he really is.

**What does bravery look like in The Lost Hero so far? Explain whether a character can be brave while also feeling afraid.**

**Example answer:** I think bravery means trying to help even when a situation is frightening. Jason tries to protect Piper during the danger at the Grand Canyon, even though he does not understand everything that is happening. To me, being brave does not mean knowing all the answers. A person can feel afraid and still choose to help someone else.

# Chapter 1

What is the biggest problem facing Jason, Piper, or Leo at this point in The Lost Hero? Explain what makes it difficult to solve.

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# Chapter 54

What advice would you give Jason, Piper, or Leo right now? Support your advice with something from the story.

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# Chapter 53

Whose thoughts would you most like to understand better after your latest chapter? Explain how that person's viewpoint could change your understanding.

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# Chapter 2

Which question about Jason's missing memories seems most important so far, and why?

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# Chapter 3

Choose a decision Jason, Piper, or Leo has made so far. What does that decision show about the character?

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# Chapter 52

Choose an object mentioned in your reading so far. Why does it matter to a character or to your understanding of the story?

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# Chapter 51

What might a character lose if the current problem is not solved? Explain why that possible loss matters.

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# Chapter 4

How does the place described in your latest chapter affect what the characters can do?

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# Chapter 5

Based on a clue you have read, what do you predict Jason, Piper, or Leo will discover next?

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# Chapter 50

What experience or feeling in Jason's, Piper's, or Leo's story can you connect to ordinary life? Explain the connection.

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# Chapter 49

How is a secret or missing piece of information affecting the characters at this point?

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# Chapter 6

Find an unfamiliar word in your latest chapter. What do you think it means, and which nearby words help you figure it out?

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# Chapter 7

Which action in your latest chapter do you agree or disagree with most? Explain your opinion.

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# Chapter 48

Which description in your latest chapter helps you imagine a sound, sight, smell, taste, or touch? Explain what it adds to the scene.

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# Chapter 47

Where do you see a character wanting to belong or be accepted so far? Explain what makes you think this matters to that character.

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New word I learned:

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# Chapter 8

What have you learned so far about friendship from Jason, Piper, or Leo?

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# Chapter 9

How might Jason's missing memories affect whom he trusts? Use something you have read to explain your thinking.

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# Chapter 46

Think back to an earlier prediction you made about The Lost Hero. What would you keep or change after your latest chapter?

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New word I learned:

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# Chapter 45

How does a character react when something does not make sense? Explain what that reaction reveals.

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# Chapter 10

What does the reader understand at this point that one of the characters might not understand yet?

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# Chapter 11

Which part of your latest chapter feels most tense, funny, or mysterious? Explain how Rick Riordan creates that feeling.

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New word I learned:

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# Chapter 44

What have you learned so far about the difference between having power and using power wisely?

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# Chapter 43

Which rule or expectation has affected a character so far? Explain whether you think that rule or expectation is reasonable.

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# Chapter 12

Where have you noticed ordinary modern life mixing with Greek mythology so far? Explain what makes that mixture interesting.

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# Chapter 13

What danger or warning seems most important at this point, and how are the characters responding to it?

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# Chapter 42

If you could include only three facts in a summary of your latest chapter, which would you choose, and why?

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# Chapter 41

What does bravery look like in The Lost Hero so far? Explain whether a character can be brave while also feeling afraid.

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# Chapter 14

If the characters continue with their current plan, what might go wrong? Support your prediction with a detail from your reading.

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# Chapter 15

Pick a line of dialogue from your latest chapter.  
What does it reveal about the speaker?

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# Chapter 40

Find a word in your latest chapter that you could  
replace with a simpler word. How would the  
change affect the sentence?

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# Chapter 39

How does humor affect a serious or confusing moment in your reading so far? If you have not noticed humor, explain where a funny remark might fit.

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New word I learned:

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# Chapter 16

Who seems to feel responsible for helping others so far? Explain how you can tell.

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New word I learned:

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# Chapter 17

Describe something Jason, Piper, or Leo has done that surprised you. How was it different from what you expected?

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New word I learned:

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# Chapter 38

Which relationship seems likely to change next? Explain what might change and why.

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New word I learned:

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# Chapter 37

What have you noticed so far about the importance of parents or family to Jason, Piper, or Leo?

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New word I learned:

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# Chapter 18

Choose a vivid word or phrase from your latest chapter. What picture does it create in your mind?

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# Chapter 19

Which strength shown by Jason, Piper, or Leo seems most useful right now? Explain how it could help with the current problem.

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New word I learned:

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# Chapter 36

Retell one moment you have read from another character's point of view. What might that character notice or care about most?

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New word I learned:

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# Chapter 35

What small detail from your latest chapter might become important later? Explain your prediction without skipping ahead.

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New word I learned:

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# Chapter 20

Imagine you could ask one character a question about what has happened so far. What would you ask, and why does the answer matter?

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# Chapter 21

When has a character needed help in your reading so far? Explain how someone responded, or how you think someone should respond.

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# Chapter 34

Has anyone been judged fairly or unfairly in your reading so far? Explain your view using a specific detail.

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New word I learned:

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# Chapter 33

Which feeling did your latest chapter leave you with, and what detail caused that feeling?

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# Chapter 22

How might two characters see the same problem differently at this point in the story?

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# Chapter 23

What could the word 'lost' in the title mean based on what you have read so far?

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# Chapter 32

How has something from a character's past affected the story so far? If that past is still unclear, explain what you want to learn about it.

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New word I learned:

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# Chapter 31

What challenge comes from the setting in your latest chapter rather than from another character?

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# Chapter 24

Find a part of your latest chapter where the action speeds up or slows down. How does that change your reading experience?

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# Chapter 25

What does loyalty seem to mean to one character so far? Support your answer with an action or choice.

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New word I learned:

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# Chapter 30

Select a word from your latest chapter that helps describe a character's personality. Explain why it fits.

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# Chapter 29

Which unanswered mystery do you think the story will focus on next? Explain the clue behind your prediction.

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# Chapter 26

Name an emotion Jason, Piper, or Leo shows in your latest reading. What words or actions help you recognize it?

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# Chapter 27

Which character seems most believable when giving information so far? Explain what makes you trust or question that character.

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# Chapter 28

How well are the characters working together at this point? Describe something that helps or hurts their teamwork.

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