

RENAISSANCE SCIENCE, MAGIC, AND MEDICINE IN HARRY POTTER'S WORLD

Boggart and Fear

Student Name	
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Class Period	

Boggart Chart Questions

1. Review the shapes that the boggart turned into to frighten the characters in the <i>Harry Potter</i> excerpts, and identify wha think that shape may symbolize. For example, why do you think Ron fears spiders? What does his fear of spiders symbolized think that shape may symbolize and the symbolize of spiders symbolized the symbolized that the symbolize of spiders is a spiders? What does his fear of spiders symbolized the symbolized that shape may symbolize of spiders symbolized the symbol	-
2. Compare and contrast the boggart shapes and note any pattern you observe among them.	
3. Describe how to defeat a boggart. Why do you think this is an effective way to overcome fear?	
4. Provide your own explanation of why Mrs. Weasley was unable to defeat the boggart.	
5. Note any inferences you can make about the author's intent for including these two boggart scenes in the series.	

