

# Main Idea Funnel

## Directions:

1. Determine which details are the **most** important from the **BEGINNING**, **MIDDLE**, & **END** in the small circles below. Write only **ONE** important detail for each circle.
2. Look at your important details and write your **MAIN IDEA** in the big circle at the bottom of the funnel.

The diagram is a funnel-shaped graphic organizer. It consists of a large oval at the bottom, which is the widest part, and three rows of three smaller ovals above it, which narrow towards the top. The top row of ovals is labeled 'BEGINNING' on the left. The middle row of ovals is labeled 'MIDDLE' on the left and 'MIDDLE' above the first oval. The bottom row of ovals is labeled 'END' on the left. The large oval at the bottom is labeled 'MAIN IDEA:' on the left. The entire funnel shape is enclosed within a larger, irregular outline that tapers from the top to the bottom.

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