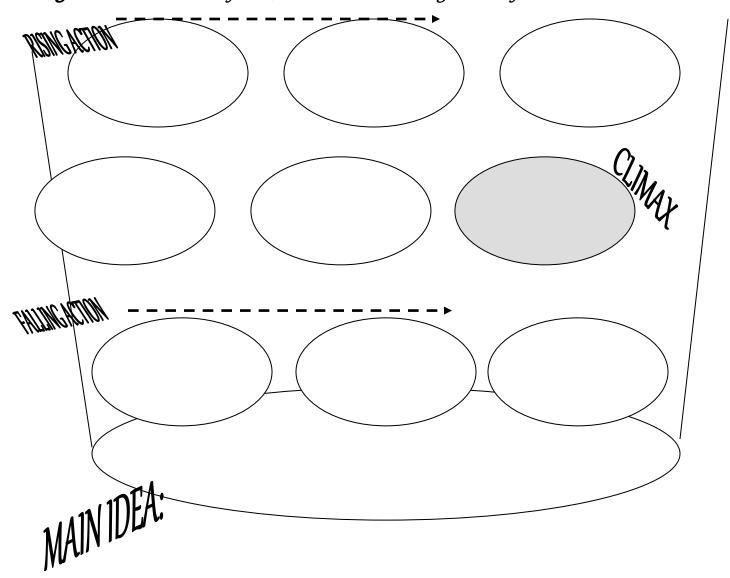
Main Idea Funnel

Directions:

- 1. Determine which details are the most important from the rising action, climax, & falling action in the small circles below. (REMEMBER... THEY HAVE TO SIGNIFICANTLY CHANGE THE STORY IN SOME WAY...!!) 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.
- 3. On the line below the funnel, write the author's message-THEME from the text.



THEME: