Genre Walk

Directions:
1. Choose a partner. Each of you, take a Genre Walk Record from the envelope. Write your name and your partner’s name on the lines.
2. Choose a reading selection from those available on the walk. Read through the selection with your partner. You may move to a more comfortable location while you read. (In some cases you might not have to read the whole thing to determine the genre.)
3. After you are done reading, step on the first block and read the question. Answer this question on your paper and then talk it over with your partner.
4. Move to the next block. Answer the question on your paper and then share again. Continue until you have completed the Genre Walk.
5. Keep the Genre Walk Record form in your Literacy Log.
Genre Walk Record

Title ______________________________

1. __________________________________

2. __________________________________

3. __________________________________

4. __________________________________

5. __________________________________

Name __________________________________
Partner ________________________________

Genre Walk Record

Title ______________________________

1. __________________________________

2. __________________________________

3. __________________________________

4. __________________________________

5. __________________________________

Name __________________________________
Partner ________________________________
What genre is the selection?
#2

What kinds of characters are in the selection?
#3
What is the setting?
(Name both time and place.)
# 4
What other clues in the selection help you decide the genre?
#5
What genre do you think it is now?
(Did you change your mind? If so, why?)