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**{Main Idea & Theme}**

[Pre-Assessment]

Question: *What is the difference between main idea & theme?*

[Let’s Brainstorm!]

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[Reflection on Main Idea & Theme Sort]

Question #1: *How are main idea & theme the same, and how are they different?*

Question #2: *How can you tell the difference between main idea & theme?*

Question #3: *What does the main idea include that the theme doesn’t?*

Question #4: *What generalizations can you make about theme?*

*Reminder:* In your composition notebook, you have defined these terms & completed a main idea/theme sort with specific examples.