The Journey of Perseus

Directions: The action of a story is called the plot. In *The Snake-Haired Monster*, the plot follows Perseus as he makes a challenging journey. Answer the questions under each box below to help you identify the parts of the plot. Then, in the box, draw a picture of the action.

1. The Setup

Where is Perseus in the beginning of the play?
What’s happening with his mom?

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2. The Big Challenge

What happens that starts Perseus on his journey?

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3 Along the Way

What problems does Perseus face along the way? How does he get past them? Explain and illustrate three.

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4 The Climax!

What is the most exciting—and challenging—part of the journey?

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5 The Wrap-up

What does Perseus do when he gets back to Seriphos that solves a big problem?

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