

**1. The Beginning**

Where do you start? Introduce your characters and setting.

**2. The Middle up**

What happens? What is your main character's goal in the beginning?

**3. The Problem or Challenge**

What problem does your main character face? How does it affect the story?

**4. The Resolution**

How do you solve the problem? What happens at the end of the story?

**5. The Ending**

What is the final result? How does the story conclude?

**THE STORY MOUNTAIN PLANNER**