

Anticipation Guide

(Pre-read and after reading comprehension activity)

Name: _____ # _____ Date: _____

Title of the Reading: **A Carousel of Dreams**

Directions: First, read each statement and circle **true** or **false** in the Before Reading section. Next, read the information. Then, re-read each statement and circle **true** or **false** in the After Reading section. Compare your answers.

Statements	Before Reading	After Reading
1. The carousel at Riverbank State Park is a fantastic carousel.	T or F	T or F <small>page # _____</small>
2. The creatures on the carousel were copied from adult drawings.	T or F	T or F <small>Page # _____</small>
3. It was tough to choose only 40 drawings from over 1,000 that were created.	T or F	T or F <small>Page # _____</small>
4. People today seem to prefer faster, scarier, or more exciting rides than the carousel.	T or F	T or F <small>Page # _____</small>
5. At one time, carousels were considered rides for adults, not children.	T or F	T or F <small>Page # _____</small>
6. The horses and animals on the old carousels were carved by hand.	T or F	T or F <small>Page # _____</small>
7. The fanciest and most decorated horse on a carousel are the ones facing the inside to protect them.	T or F	T or F <small>Page # _____</small>
8. There are only about 200 major carousels that remain today.	T or F	T or F <small>Page # _____</small>

Did you change your response because of what you read? _____
