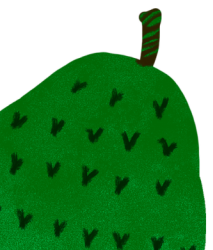
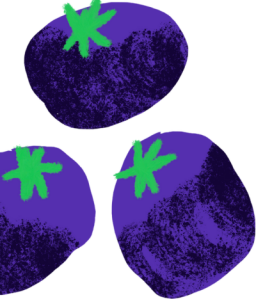


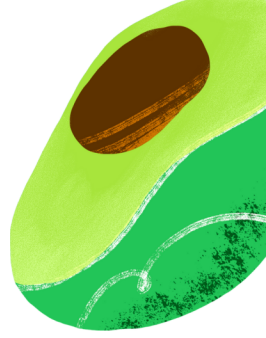
Esperanza Rising

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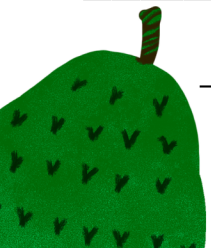
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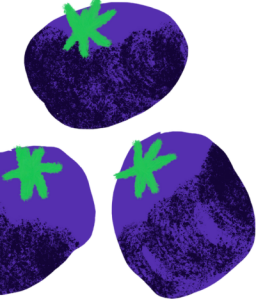


1. Where is our current setting? Describe it using details from the text.

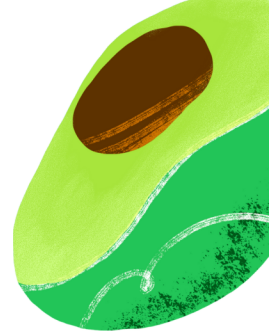
2. Who do you think will be our main character? Why do you think that?

3. What figurative language has already jumped out at you in the first few pages? Explain what it means.





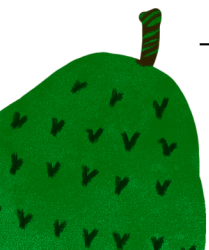
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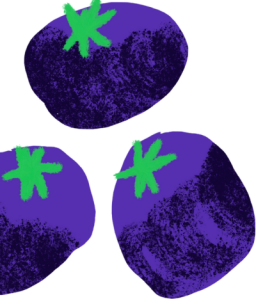


1. If we are now six years later, how old is Esperanza now? What is she getting ready for?

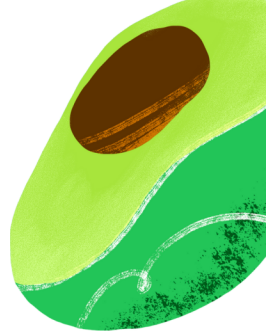
2. What does campesinos mean? How are the dresses for the harvest?

3. When abuelita said, "No hay Rosa sin espinas" what was she really saying? Do you agree with her?





Author's Note



1. Was this book based on a true story? Explain.

2. According to the author's note, what was happening in the 1930's?

3. What does Esperanza mean? Why is its meaning fitting for the story and the people it represents?

