*Haroun and the Sea of Stories*

Chapter Four and Five Literary Comprehension and Analysis Questions

Please answer these questions on your own and bring them to class on Friday 5/12. (Include complex answers with specific references to the text)

1. Describe the Ocean of the Stream of Stories. Then, describe the Ocean of Notions. What characteristics do they both share?
2. Explain what happens when Haroun drinks the wish water?
   1. What does he want to wish for?
   2. What does he end up wishing for?
3. Describe Kahani. Why are they there? Who brought Haroun?
4. What story does Haroun “drink?” What is the effect of that story?
5. Explain what Gup and Chup are. Explain the conflict between Gup and Chup. How does this affect Haroun’s journey?
6. List all the new characters we meet in chapter five. Compare the amount of power each has.
7. Draw Kahani (include Gup, Chup, and the Wall of Force). Explore a real-world situation that is similar to that allegory.
8. We learn that Floating Gardeners and Plentimaw fishes communicate differently. What is a real world lesson that this allegory is trying to communicate?
9. Describe the “Library.” How is its hegemony organized? Who is in charge?
10. What is the twist at the end of the chapter? How does it personally affect Haroun?