NAME_____

Say Something

Sentence Starters

Use the sentence starters below to help if it's your turn to "say something." Remember that your comment should be rooted in the text. You should be able to show your partner exactly where in the text your thinking or question comes from. If you have trouble coming up with something to say, re-read with your partner.

MAKE AN INFERENCE	ASK A CLARIFYING QUESTION
• Based on what I know about _____ I think that… • Page _____ says _____. I think this probably means….	• Why did… • How is _____ like this _____? • After _____ happened, i thought _____, but now I see that… • Iagree/disagree with you about _____. I think…

MAKE A CONNECTION	MAKE AN ARGUMENT
• This reminds me of… • This part is like… • This character ____ is like _____ because… • I also/never (name something that happened in the text)… • This character/setting reminds me of…	Comparing Arguments • Of course…but… • Some may think…others think… Listing Arguments • It is also important to think about…My first/second argument is… Closing Arguments • So, you could say… • If you think about all that…