

**Snapshot Response to
“Night Letters”
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1. Think about what Lily does in the Selection Snapshot. What kind of girl do you think she is? What examples helped you decide?

Students may think Lily is quiet, studious, interested in nature, observant. Examples: she is alone, she spends a lot of time observing nature, she loves to write.

2. If you could interview Lily about her night letters, what is one question you would like to ask her?

Responses will vary. Questions should address Lily and somehow relate to the text.

3. Find some compound words in the story. Look at the boldface words to get you started. Use one of the two small words in each to make a new compound word. You may want to use a dictionary. Here is a sample:
notepad—notebook.

Responses will vary but could include *outdoors—outside; hawkmoth—mothball; fireflies—firefighter; backyard—backboard; indoors—inside.*