

Name _____

Symbols Speak

Open-Ended Response Answer Key

1. Answers will vary, but students may describe times they felt different and how they responded.
2. People may try to fit in because they want to be liked or fear being left out.
3. Some students may say yes, because Stargirl was special, while others may say no, understanding Leo's fear of judgment.
4. Other symbols include Cinnamon the rat, which represents innocence, and Stargirl's ukulele, which represents joy and self-expression.

