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FIRST CRITIQUE

1. Is there a clear plot line? Give a basic summary of the story so far. Are all the parts of the short story evident?
2. How many characters are involved in the story? Does the write give details about each of the main characters?
3. Where and when does the story take place? How is the setting described?
4. Does the writer “show” us rather than “tell” us what is going on? Could anything be changed to make this more effective?