**Holes Expository Essay: Changes in Stanley**  Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Introduction Paragraph**

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| Hook:  **A**necdote,  **Q**uestion,  **Q**uote,  **S**tatement | **Anecdote** – In the gray of dawn, I found a shovel in the garage and walked down the hill to where the lawn meets the woods. There, beneath the wild cherry tree, I began to dig.  **Question** - Have you heard of the story about giving up everything for the one you love?  **Quote** – There is a saying, “Dogs make us human.”  **Statement** – What they don’t understand about birthdays and what they never tell you is that when you’re eleven, you’re almost ten. And when you wake up on your eleventh birthday you expect to feel eleven, but you don’t.  (Challenge: Use the anecdote, quote or statement option) |
| Bridge: Two or three sentences that tell a little about the story. | Possible ideas to include:   * Title and author of the novel * Explain back ground information about the main character * Give a quick description of the setting |
| Thesis Statement: copy from Thesis/Topic Sentence worksheet |  |