Dialectical Journal:

Claim & Reading Focus: According to the article/essay/ story, ""	
Identify Main Characters/Artchetypes	What character traits are revealed based on their role in the story?
The author states that, "He [Coyote] made the Indians, and put them out in tribes all over the world because Old Man Above wanted the earth to be inhabited all oer, not just in one or two places."	From this quote, I learned Coyote is an important figure in creation. He makes humanity and organizes them in "tribes" all over the world.
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Identify Main Characters/Artchetypes	Describe Trickster archetype
Coyote liked to play tricks. He thought about	This quote explains
himself all the time, and told everyone he was	
a great warrior, but he was not	
" is an important point.	
Depiction of Nature through Figurative Language	What idea does this represent about the state of nature?
The author explains that, " Some times he made mistakes, and even	This detail helps readers understand
though he was wise and powerful, he did many	
foolish things. But that was his way"	
Depiction of Nature through Figurative Language	What idea does this represent about the state of
Descriptions such as, "Coyote tried [to move the mountain], but he could not do it. He thought	nature? This information made clear that
this was strange. He tried again, but he could	
not do it	
What moral lesson is communicated through the story's resolution?	Analysis
According to the Nez Perce	This helps the reader realize that