

## Sample Paragraph – “Hey Little Ant”

Prompt: What does “Hey Little Ant” try to teach the reader?

In the story, “Hey Little Ant,” the author tries to teach the reader that they should not judge others before they know them. As stated in the story, “Anyone knows that ants can’t feel. You’re so tiny, you don’t look real,” (Hoose, 1). This quote shows that the Kid in the story judges the Ant without knowing him. Due to the fact that the Kid is pre-judging the Ant, he will miss the chance to get to know who the Ant really is and what his life is really like. The story “Hey Little Ant” clearly shows that having prejudice toward others is wrong.