**“The Sneetches” by Theodor Geisel**

Through his short story "The Sneetches," Theodor Geisel attempts to convey to the reader an important lesson about human behavior.

After carefully reading the story, write a multi-paragraph essay in which you examine the lesson Geisel was trying to express through this tale. Make sure to include examples and details from the text to support your answer.

As you write, remember your essay will be scored based on how well you:

 develop a multi-paragraph response to the assigned topic that clearly communicates your thesis to the audience.

 support your thesis with meaningful examples and references from the text, carefully citing any direct quotes.

 organize your essay in a clear and logical manner, including an introduction, body, and conclusion.

 Use well-structured sentences and language that are appropriate for your audience.

 edit your work to conform to the conventions of standard American English.

Use any of the tools available to you, such as the **Checklist**, **Spellchecker**, or **Graphic Organizer**.