



NOW YOU TRY: YOUR SLEUTH'S QUEST

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In a sentence or two, describe your sleuth's quest. What does she want or need to achieve before the novel ends? Where does the quest start, and where does it end? Then make a list of plagues—potential setbacks, roadblocks, and other forms of misery you might throw in her way. Finally, decide how you're going to raise the stakes.

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Plagues

How the Stakes Are Raised