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**RL6.3-Independent Practice / HW**

**Directions: Answer each question with a logical inference and two supporting details**

What unexpected conflict will he face on his journey?

*from* **Zlateh the Goat**

Short story by **Isaac Bashevis Singer**

The sun was shining when Aaron left the village. Suddenly the weather changed. A large black cloud with a bluish center appeared in the east and spread itself rapidly over the sky. A cold wind blew in with it. The crows flew low, croaking. At first it looked as if it would rain, but instead it began to hail as in summer. It was early in the day, but it became dark as dusk. After a while the hail turned to snow.

In his twelve years Aaron had seen all kinds of weather, but he had never experienced a snow like this one. It was so dense it shut out the light of the day. In a short time their path was completely covered. The wind became as cold as ice. The road to town was narrow and winding. Aaron no longer knew where he was.

1. How does the author convey the changing of the weather in the story? Cite two details to support your analysis

2. Describe the conflict that Aaron is facing? Cite two details to support your analysis