Animals are often important to a story. Many comic strips use animals in their stories. Look in the newspaper and find comic strips that include animals. Choose one of those animals and tell:

**Animal:** __________________________________

1. What it looks like

2. What it thinks about

3. Why it is important to the comic strip

Conduct research and **SHARE** what you learn about someone who creates a comic strip that includes an animal as a character. Why do you think the cartoonist chose an animal as a main character?

Provided by the N.C. Press Foundation.