Cane Toads: The Conquest

Directions: As you watch the video, "Cane Toads: The Conquest," please write down notes on the graphic organizer below that will help you understand the following four main ideas about the cane toad, an invasive species that has plagued Australia for the last seven decades. When you are done, share your thoughts with your teacher by writing a paragraph in response to the writing prompts on Page 2 of this graphic organizer.

Main Idea #1: How the cane toad spread to Australia and how they have spread so rapidly through the Australian Outback.	Main Idea #2: The problems cane toads have caused for the people and wildlife of Australia.
Main Idea #3: The ways the people of Australia been trying to control or even eradicate the cane toad in Australia.	Main Idea #4: The opinions people of Australia have of the cane toad.

Writii	ng Prompts for Visual Thinking:
1	Explain why the cane toad is in Australia and why it has spread so rapidly throughout the country.
	Explain why the citizens of Australia see this as a major problem for their country.
2. 2	Explain why the cluzens of Australia see this as a major problem for their country. Explain what you think of the Australians' efforts to control the cane toad's spread. Are they justified? Humane? Effective?
ა. ⊿	Explain the lessons you think other countries can learn from Australia's experience with the cane toad.
4.	Explain the lessons you think other countries can learn from Australia's experience with the cane toau.