

Main Idea

This activity accompanies chapter 84 from *The Count of Monte Cristo* by Alexandre Dumas, record number 5585.

Activity Title: Main Idea

Description: The students will write the main idea and supporting details of the chapter.

Subject: Reading/Language Arts

Skill: Main Idea and Supporting Details

Behavioral Objective:

- The student will write the main idea and supporting details of the chapter.

Materials:

- *The Count of Monte Cristo*, chapter 84, available in audio and print form at <http://etc.usf.edu/lit2go/>
- Paper and pencils

Procedures:

Read the chapter with the students, or have them read it on their own. Then, have the students work individually to write the main idea and supporting details of the chapter. When the students have finished working, have them meet in small groups to discuss their answers.

