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Plagiarism Worksheet

Read the entire article titled “Harry Potter and the Chamber of Lawyers”—it’s the link on Ms. J’s website called Harry Potter Dinner Party. Next, read the letter from the lawyers—it’s the link on Ms. J’s website called harrypotterlawyerletter. Don’t download it, just open it to read it.

Next, fill in the table below.

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| Evidence of plagiarism | Reasons it doesn’t seem like plagiarism |
| 1. | 1. |
| 2. | 2. |
| 3. | 3. |
| 4. | 4. |

Now take a stand! If you were the judge in court deciding if these dinner parties were plagiarism or not, how would you rule? Write 1 paragraph (5 sentences) telling what your ruling is a why you decided on that ruling. Hint: use evidence from the table above.

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