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"The Life of Reilly – These Olympics are Unreal"

1. How does this story relate to media literacy?
2. Who created this message?
3. What creative techniques are used to get your attention?
4. What emotional appeal or persuasive devices are used?
5. How might different people understand this message differently?
6. Have you ever experienced anything in your personal life like this? Explain.

7. What values, lifestyles, and points of view are omitted from this message?
  
8. What questions came to mind as you read this story?
  
9. Why is this message being sent? What is the author's purpose in writing this article?
  
10. Was the author successful in accomplishing his purpose? Explain.
  
11. Do you think China was justified in any of the measures they took to make the Olympics look better? Explain your answer.
  
12. Which of China's actions upsets you the most? Why?

