*The Secret Ingredient & Ants*

Answer the following questions on a separate piece of paper. Make sure each answer will receive a “2”!

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| Understanding | 1. Write a summary of *The Secret Ingredient.* |
| Analyzing | 2. How did Chef Rudy change from the beginning of the story to the end of the story? Use specific examples from the story.  3. How are the eating habits of harvester ants different from those of fungus-growing ants? |
| Evaluating | 4. What do you feel the theme of *The Secret Ingredient* is and why?  5. Why do you think large ant nests have many different chambers instead of one large chamber? |
| Creating | 6. Can you invent something that Chef Rudy or one of the other characters from *The Secret Ingredient* would be able to use? |