

Text Evidence

about the character : _____

Name: _____ Hr: _____

Directions: Analyze one character from your reading. What are three words you could use to describe them? (you are not limited to the ones on this page). Pick three traits and find two quotes from the text that help prove each point.

This character is:

This character is:

This character is:

evidence of that trait taken word-for-word from the text

Quote: “

“(_____).
Author's Last Name Page Number

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Using Text Evidence

In writing about characters

Name: _____ Hr: _____

What to Include:

Topic Sentence

Name the title, author, character, and your claim (what you're going to prove about the character).

EXAMPLE: “ _____ (name), a major character in _____ (title) by _____ (author), is _____ (what you’re going to prove). ”

Body:

- 3 quotes from the text (phrases or sentences)
- Explanations of each quote
- More analysis as needed
- Good transitions

Concluding Sentence:

Reword the claim in your topic sentence.

"Therefore, throughout this text, _____ certainly _____."

Sample Sentence Stems

On page _____, the author says...

The text states...

The text describes ...

For example,...

The author shows...

Early in the text, the character...

For instance...

When the character says, “___” it shows....

As the character

This highlights the difference between...

Cite your quotes!

“.....” (Author’s Last Name _____)

Page Number).