
Worksheet: What is a Character Trait? - Definition & Examples

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1. 'May I borrow your phone please?' asked Jessica. 'No!' screamed Yvonne. 'It is my phone, get your own!' Knowing what you know about character traits, which of the following words could be used to describe Yvonne?

- Cruel
- Dishonest
- Selfish
- Happy

2. Read the statements below, and identify which example would be best used for the character traits of someone who is kind?

- Justin was approached by a homeless man for money. Justin lied to the homeless man and said he didn't have any.
- Justin was approached by a homeless man for money. Justin has always had a paranoia about talking to strangers. He ignored the homeless man and continued to walk away.
- Justin was asked by a homeless man for money. With no hesitation, Justin gave the homeless man money. He has always been recognized by people around as someone who is affectionate, compassionate, courteous, and humane.
- Justin was asked by a homeless man for money. Justin told the homeless man to get a job and leave him alone.

3. Using character traits can create an ____ connection for the reader. They will be able to relate to the characters in the story, due to similarities in both reader and story character traits. This will lead to an engaging reading experience for the reader.

- Engaging
- Emotional
- Entertaining
- Authentic

4. Which of the following statements is true?

- Character traits are used to strictly describe the physical appearance of the character in the story. The author will use several adjectives to this. This process will give the reader the opportunity to visualize what the characters in the story look like.
- Character traits are descriptive nouns used to describe someone through their actions during certain situations. These can be good or bad. The author will use this process to describe the main characters in their stories.
- Character traits are descriptive adjectives used to describe someone through their actions in certain situations. These can be good or bad, and are commonly used by authors when writing about characters in their stories.
- Character traits are strictly used in books to describe the cause and the effect of the actions from the main character in the story. This process will allow readers to predict what is going to happen in the story by the actions made by the main character.

5. Which of the following statements is an example of character traits?

- People who saw the accident said it was horrifying. People who did not see the accident said they could hear it from miles away.
- There are many theories to how Earth was created; one of the most popular theories was the Big Bang Theory.
- Jason was eight years old when he first began to read. His teachers were excited each time he read aloud in class.
- Everyone was shocked when Jason got into trouble. He was always known to be a responsible, nice, and kind person.