

# Character Development Worksheet

Basic Information			
Name:		Nickname:	
Age:	Birthday:	Birthplace:	
Language(s):		Nationality(-ies):	

Physical Appearance		
Height:	Weight:	Body type:
Distinguishing Mark:		
Eye color:	Hair color:	Hair style:
Skin color:	Skin tone:	
Typical outfit:	_____ _____	

Favorites		
Color:	Pet:	
Food:	Fruit:	Drink:
City:	Country:	Camping:
Sport:	Team:	Player:
Fiction Genre:	Book:	
Movie:	TV show:	
Music:	Music band:	
Most treasured possession(s):		

Dreams		
Job:	Journey:	

Personality		
Traits	Positive	• •
	Negative	• •
Motivation	External	
	Internal	
Flaws		
Fear/phobia		
Passion(s):		
Habits	Nervous h.	
	Insecurity h.	
Skills	Social	• •
	Emotional	• •
Voice	Favorite vocabulary	
	Sense of humour	

Family				
	Age	Job	Characteristic trait	Emotional connection with character
Mother				
Father				
Grandmother				
Grandfather				
Brother				
Sister				

Friends & Foes				
Name	Age	Gender	Describes the character as ...	Character describes him/her as ...

Character Arc		
Backstory	Fear	
	Misbelief	
	Lie	
	Wound	
Arc	Want/Desire	
	Need	
Obstacle:	personal weakness	

1. How this character is different than me (the writer)?

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

2. How this character is similar to me (the writer)?

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

3. What do I (the writer) wish the character does, but he/she didn't? Why?

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