

Create a Facebook Profile page for one of the characters.

facebook

Home

Profile

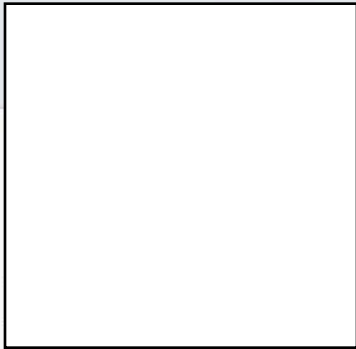
Friends

Inbox

Character Name: _____

Settings

Logout



Write something about yourself.

Information

Networks:

Relationship Status:

Birthday:

Friends

My Top 10 Friends

Wall

Info

Photos

Boxes

+

Edit Information

Basic Information

Networks:

Sex:

Birthday:

Hometown:

Current Residence:

Relationship Status:

Education:

Occupation/Employer:

Political Views:

Religious Views:

Personal Information

Activities:

Interests:

Favorite Music:

Favorite TV Shows:

Favorite Movies:

Favorite Books:

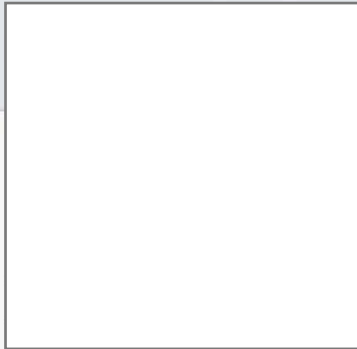
Favorite Quotations:

My Favorite Sayings:

Favorite Foods:

How I Spend My Free Time:

About Me:



Write something about yourself.

Information

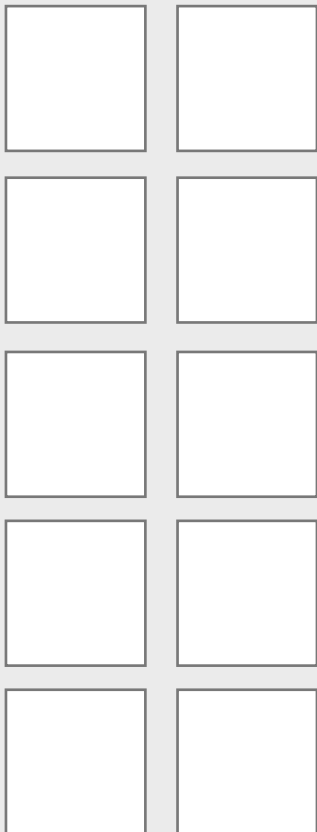
Networks:

Relationship Status:

Birthday:

Friends

My Top 10 Friends



Wall Info Photos Boxes +

Edit Information

Basic Information

Networks (City/School): _____

Sex: _____ Birthday: _____

Hometown: _____

Current Residence: _____

Relationship Status: _____

Education: _____

Occupation/Employer: _____

Political Views: _____

Religious Views: _____

Personal Information

Activities: _____

Interests: _____

Favorite Music: _____

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Favorite Quotations: _____

My Favorite Sayings: _____

Favorite Foods: _____

How I Spend My Free Time: _____

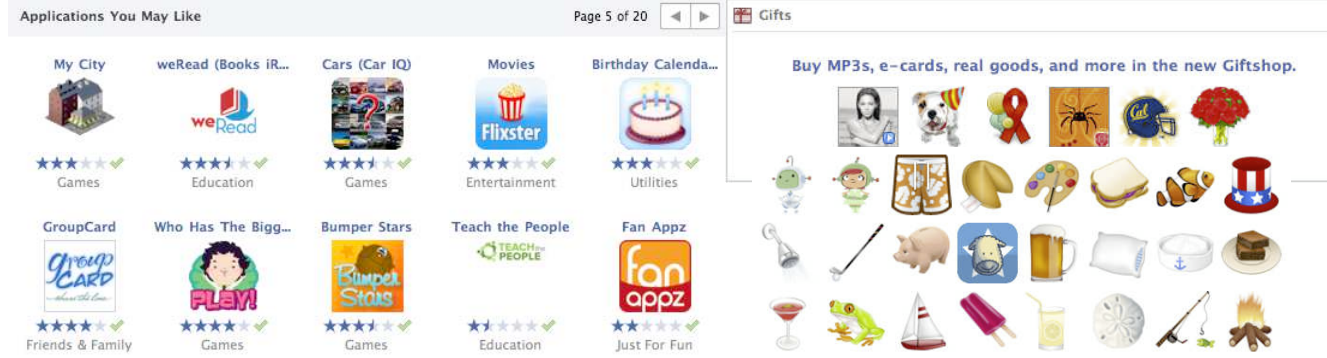
About Me: _____

Character Sketch - Facebook Template (Preview)

Name: _____

Below, or on a separate sheet of paper, create virtual “gifts” or applications related to the novel. Describe them & even draw an icon for it (see examples below). Which “gifts” would your character want for each chapter? Who would YOU send a gift to?

Examples:



Description of Application(s):

Icon/Pic(s) of Application(s):

TO VIEW THE DIRECTIONS & ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES, PLEASE PURCHASE FACEBOOK CHARACTER SKETCH FULL VERSION, FOUND HERE:

<http://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Product/Facebook-Character-Sketch-Lesson-Any-Novel-Full-Version-PDF>

IT INCLUDES (13 PAGES):

- UPDATED FACEBOOK LAYOUT FOR "WALL" & "HOME" PAGES
- LEARNING OBJECTIVES
- OLD FACEBOOK "WALL" TEMPLATE
- PROFILE TEMPLATE
- GIFT/APPLICATION ACTIVITY
- STATUS UPDATES FOR CHAPTER SUMMARIES ACTIVITY
- SAMPLE FACEBOOK CHARACTER SKETCH PAGES
- TEACHER GRADING RUBRICS
- TEACHER INSTRUCTIONS

Facebook Project Grading Criteria (Sample)

Facebook Wall Must Include (28 pts. possible):

- Picture of Character 6 pts.
- Write something about yourself! (brief description of character like what he/she does for a job, or even a favorite subject) 2 pts.
- Informations
- Friends (4)
- At least 2
- At least 2
- At least 2
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| Character "Wall" | Excellent Point Value | Good Point Value | Needs Improvement/ Lacking | POINTS |
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Information for the Teacher

Age Level: 7th through 12th grades

Objectives:

1. Students will analyze character qualities and motives.
2. Students will summarize and make generalizations from the content.
3. Students will make connections to the reading.
4. Students will evaluate relationships among characters.
5. Students will explore, evaluate, and make predictions about character development through assuming the persona of a literary character.

Directions: Because most students are familiar with social networking sites, this list on the character sketch or analysis may be more meaningful to them, as well as serve as a motivational tool for reluctant learners.

Use the samples on the following pages to show the students how to create a character Facebook "profile" & "wall." If you have your own Facebook, show them. If possible, students may use the provided handouts or choose to use poster board or create it in a word processing or design document.

Let the students know your expectations beforehand; for example, I may tell them (or write on the board) that they must include:

1. Picture or icon for character
2. Minimum of one status update (Facebook limits status updates to 420 characters)
3. Three posts from friends (that relate to that particular chapter or the novel in general)
4. Two advertisements (for fictional businesses relating to the novel)
5. Four or more other characters they are "friends" with, and so on.

You may adjust how much information you want them to include and how many visual enhancements are required. Adapt it to your needs. Also, this may be used as a group or partner project.

After completing this assignment, assign the students to write a "status update" for each chapter or section of the novel in one of the character's voices. It's a great way to check if they are grasping the most important part of the chapter & it forces them to try to understand what the character is thinking or feeling.

For fun and enhanced learning, use the handout for students to create a "gift" or "application" relating to the novel.

A sample grading rubric is included on the last page of this document.

FOR OTHER CREATIVE PROJECTS, CHECK OUT MY OTHER PRODUCTS:

Creative Activities for ANY Novel or Short Story:

<http://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Product/Creative-Activities-for-ANY-Novel-or-Short-Story-with-Handouts>

40+ Poetry Formulas to Help ANY Student Write Poetry!

<http://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Product/Writing-Poetry-40-Formulas-to-Help-Students-Write-Poems>

Shakespeare's Life and Times Powerpoint - In-depth & Visually Appealing to go with the FREE Student Handout/Worksheet

<http://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Product/Shakespeare-Life-Times-Introduction-Powerpoint-Presentation>

FREE Shakespeare Handout to Correspond with Powerpoint

<http://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Product/Shakespeare-Life-Times-Introduction-Powerpoint-Questions>

Looking for a new novel to teach? Consider *The Hunger Games* by Suzanne Collins. It's appropriate for or any student from 5th - 12th grades, and especially effective for reluctant readers. Every kid I know has loved it--including those who admit they never really read a book before. It has universal appeal. I've created a unit with check quizzes, tests, powerpoint review games, fun activities, vocabulary, character organizer, and so much more. You won't need anything else but this--and it's only \$9.99! **Find it here:** <http://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Product/Hunger-Games-Novel-Unit-Lessons-QA-Tests-Activities-Quiz-Vocab-Maps>

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