

Short Story Graphic Organizer

I. Setting

A. When?

B. Where?

II. Characters

A. Character #1

1. Name _____

2. Age _____

3. Physical characteristics

4. Emotional characteristics

5. Other characteristics

B. Character #2

1. Name _____ 2. Age _____

3. Physical characteristics

4. Emotional characteristics

5. Other characteristics

III. Plot

A. Rising action event #1

B. Rising action event #2

C. Rising action event #3

D. Climax

E. Resolution

Suggested Short Story Organizer Assessment

Student:

Date:

Note: Areas indicated by No will need to be redone on the Graphic Organizer.

1. Expanded outline contains additional adequate details for developing a short story. Yes No
2. Expanded outline contains plot elements that can be woven into a short story. Yes No
3. Graphic Organizer shows evidence of sequencing plot events. Yes No
4. Graphic Organizer contains enough setting details. Yes No
5. Graphic Organizer contains additional character details for character 1. Yes No
6. Graphic Organizer contains additional character details for character 2. Yes No