



Antagonist Questionnaire For Middle School Students

1. What is your antagonist? A person? An animal? Something else?

2. Where does your antagonist live? Does he or she like it there?

3. What does your antagonist look like? Hair color? Height? Distinguishing features?

4. What is your antagonist's greatest weakness?

5. What is the one thing your antagonist is afraid of more than anything else? Is it your main character? Or is it something unexpected, like being alone?

6. What does your antagonist want more than anything else in the world?

7. Now, look back and see what your protagonist wants more than anything in the world. How is the antagonist preventing your protagonist from getting what he or she wants and why?

8. What is your antagonist's fondest memory?

9. What does your antagonist do in his or her spare time?

10. What can your antagonist do better than anyone else?

11. What is your antagonist insecure about?

12. What makes your antagonist angry?

13. What are your antagonist's parents like? How about the rest of his or her family?

14. What's one secret your antagonist hasn't ever told anyone?

15. What do people think when they first meet your antagonist?

16. Describe your antagonist in three words:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

17. Pretend for a moment that your antagonist is really nervous. What does your antagonist do with that nervous energy? (Do they tap their toe against the floor? Hum a song?)

18. Write a sentence describing how your antagonist walks.

19. Write a sentence describing how your antagonist stands. What's his or her posture like?

20. Is there anything likeable about your antagonist? Does he or she have a soft spot or a good side?

21. What do you dislike most about your antagonist?



Even More Questions

If you finish with all the questions above, and you want to answer even more questions about your antagonist, give these a try!

1. If your antagonist could change his or her name, what would it be?

2. What is your antagonist's favorite band? Song? Type of music?

3. What is your antagonist's favorite book, and why?

4. What is your antagonist's favorite season?

5. What places, other than where he or she lives now, has your antagonist lived or visited on vacation? Which one was his or her favorite and why?

6. What does your antagonist's house look like? What is hanging on your antagonist's bedroom walls?

7. What is the best thing that ever happened to your antagonist?

8. What is the worst thing that ever happened to your antagonist?

9. Think about your antagonist's different moods. Now, try to imagine what your antagonist does with his or her body during these moods. (For example, some people pound their fists on the table when they are angry, or they whistle when they are happy.) Write a few words describing your antagonist's body during these different moods:

Happy

Angry

Sad

Thoughtful

Curious

10. Is your antagonist superstitious? If so, how?

11. What makes your antagonist most uncomfortable?

12. Describe how your antagonist speaks. Does your antagonist have a lisp? An accent? Does he or she use a lot of slang, or end every sentence with “okay,”etc.?

13. If a song played every time your antagonist walked into a room, what song would it be?
