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“Sizing Up” a Character

**Directions**: *First*, choose and write down specific text-based evidence from novel, along with character’s name and page # to which it connects. *Then*, write down what the evidence reveals about the character.

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| **TEXT-BASED EVIDENCE** | **CHARACTER’S NAME** | **PAGE #** | **WHAT THIS REVEALS ABOUT CHARACTER** |
| “I became what I am today at the age of twelve, on a frigid overcast day in the winter of 1975. I remember the precise moment, crouching behind a crumbling mud wall peeking into the alley near the frozen creek.” | the narrator | 1 | Based on this text evidence, I can infer that a significant event must have happened to the narrator at a young age in 1975 that affected life from that moment on. |
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*Finally*, choose ONE character and, based on your evidence, discuss what inferences you can make about this character at this point in the novel. In other words, what have you learned in connection to this character based on your evidence and evaluation? Be as clear *and* specific as possible, and be prepared to share. ☺

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