

Are You Similar to or Different From Your Favorite Character?

THIS STRATEGY HELPS YOU ... make personal connections and deepen your understanding of what makes your favorite character tick.

Directions:

1. Think about your favorite character or the person in your biography or autobiography. Use the questions in the box to discover what the character or person is like.
2. Complete the chart below to discover how you are similar to and different from your favorite character or person. Give one example for each category.

Questions for Figuring Out What Makes the Character Tick

What are his or her problems? His or her fears? Does he or she make good decisions? How does the character relate to others? Do you like this character? Why or why not? How are you similar to and different from the character?

Title and Author of the Book

CHARACTER (<i>What the character is like</i>)	ME (<i>Are we similar or different?</i>)
PROBLEMS	
FEARS	
DECISIONS	
RELATIONSHIPS	