The Writer's Craft

CHARACTER NAME:

MAIN CHARACTER ☐   **MINOR CHARACTER** ☐

CHARACTER'S ROLE

AGE:	GENDER:	RACE:	EYE COLOR:

COMPLEXION:

BUILD (HEIGHT / WEIGHT):

STYLE OF DRESS:

HAIR COLOR / STYLE:

THE MOST STRIKING OR MEMORABLE PHYSICAL FEATURE:

CHARACTERISTICS / MANNERISMS:

DESCRIBE HIS/HER SPEAKING VOICE AND LIKELY VOCABULARY:

PERSONALITY

STRENGTHS:	WEAKNESSES:

CRITICAL FLAW AND HOW IT INFLUENCES THE STORY:

BACK STORY:

INNER JOURNEY

WHAT DOES THE CHARACTER REALLY WANT?

WHAT IS THE CHARACTER MOST AFRAID OF?

WHAT IS THE CHARACTER'S MASK THAT LETS HIM HIDE FROM THE WORLD?

WHAT WOULD THE CHARACTER WANT TO BE REMEMBERED FOR?

CHARACTER'S JOURNEY: AT THE END OF THE STORY LOOKING BACK—WHAT (CHARACTER NAME) DIDN'T KNOW…

IDENTIFICATION FACTORS

HOW HAVE YOU SET UP THE STORY TO HELP YOUR AUDIENCE RELATE TO THE CHARACTER IN THE FIRST 30 PAGES OF YOUR NOVEL?

CHARACTER FLAWS AND HOW THEY ARE INTRODUCED TO THE STORY:

INTERNAL CONFLICTS:

EXTERNAL CONFLICTS:

MEETING WITH OTHER CHARACTER OR PIVOTAL SCENE FROM THIS CHARACTER'S VIEWPOINT: