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Understanding Character

In works of literature, a character's actions and words reveal a lot about him or her. Use the graphic organizer below to help you analyze a character in *Romeo and Juliet*.

Directions: Choose one character from *Romeo and Juliet*, and write his or her name in the space below. Then think of two ways to describe the character. Finally, list the character's actions and dialogue that help support your descriptions. Possible characters to analyze: Romeo, Juliet, Tybalt, Mercutio, Friar Laurence, or the Nurse.

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