Instructions: This exercise will help you organize your thoughts as you create interesting stories with believable characters. Complete the characterization chart below.

	Indirect Characterization Method	Your Text
Speech	What does the character say? How does the character speak?	
Thoughts	What is revealed through the character's private thoughts and feelings?	
Effects on Others	What is revealed through the character's effect on other people? How do other characters feel or behave in reaction to the character?	
Actions	What does the character do? How does the character behave?	
Looks	What does the character look like? How does the character dress?	