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Reading Comprehension

Story Elements: Conflict

Match each conflict with the right definition by writing the correct letter on the spaces provided.

_____ Conflict in which one character's needs
or wants are at odds with another's.

a. Character vs nature

_____ Conflict that occurs in stories when
the character is placed in opposition with
society, the government, or a cultural
tradition.

b. Character vs self

_____ Conflict in which a character is set in opposition
to nature. This can mean the weather, the
wilderness, or a natural disaster.

c. Character vs character

_____ Conflict that means that the opposition the
character faces is coming from within.

d. Character vs society

B. Watch this short story and identify the conflict and the type.

Type of conflict _____

Conflict in the story _____