

Name: _____

Class: _____

THE TWO BROTHERS

BELLRINGER

Directions: Match at least two motivations with fitting obstacles by drawing arrows, then record the conflict type for each pair in the chart.

Motivations (What Stanley Wants)

- Acceptance from the group
- Relief from digging in the heat
- Fairness/credit for his hard work
- To feel confident in himself

Obstacles (What Gets in His Way)

- The unbearable sun and dry ground
- X-Ray's demand to hand over anything he finds
- The Warden's authority and rules
- His own self-doubt

Your Matches

| <u>Motivation (Stanley wants...)</u> | <u>Obstacle (Gets in the way...)</u> | <u>Conflict Type</u> |
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PART 1: ATHANASIUS'S CHOICES

As you read, track the important choices Athanasius makes.

| Choice (What he decides) | His Reasoning (what he tells himself) | Evidence (quote or detail) |
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Finds the gold

Decides to use it

Builds houses and gives money

PART 2: CONFLICT ANALYSIS

1. What was Athanasius's main motivation when he chose to take the gold?
2. What conflict did this create (what he wanted vs. what got in the way)?
3. Was this conflict more internal (his own thoughts/values) or external (someone else/force)? Explain.

PART 3: CHARACTER EVALUATION

Directions: Read the three options below. Circle the one you agree with most. Then, write 3–4 sentences explaining your choice. Be sure to include at least two pieces of evidence from the story to support your answer.

- Athanasius was mostly selfless.
- Athanasius was mostly selfish.
- Athanasius was a mix of both.

Sentence starter to help you:

Athanasius was mostly _____ because... One piece of evidence is... Another piece of evidence is... This shows that...

EXIT TICKET
