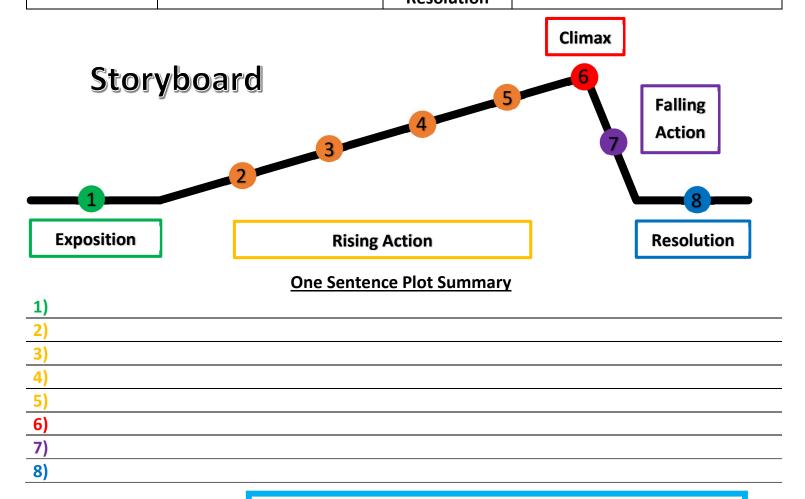
Setting Conflict Character Trait Theme Other / Miscellaneous Climax (Date)



Characteristics of Flash Fiction

Brevity Complete Plot Surprise Ending

How to Write Flash Fiction:

- 1) Stick to one theme and one moment of time
- 2) Choose great words that convey strong imagery
- 3) Focus on just one or two characters
- 4) Try first person to create an instant connection with your reader
- 5) Make your ending a twist or surprise to prompt readers to think about the deeper meaning of the story

Flash Fiction Storyboard Instructions: Complete the page on the reverse side of this, then expand your plot summary sentences to a paragraph each. Remember to write first and edit second! When finished, give it a great title and you're done. Keep these stories and over time you will have a portfolio showcasing your writing skills and improvement. Below is a reference to help you with idea generation.

Setting: Airport - Apartment Building - Arcade - Bank - Bar - Beach - Cabin - Casino - Castle / Pyramid / Palace - Cave - Graveyard - Circus - Colony - Community Center - Concert Hall - Condominium - Desert - Distant Past / Future - Dorm - Encampment - Factory - Famous Place - Farm - Festival / Celebration - Forest / Woods - Fort / Military Base - Funeral Home - Gallery - Garden - Grasslands - Gymnasium - Vacation - Harbor - Hospital - Hot Springs - Hotel - House - Island - Jail - Jungle - Junkyard - Laboratory - Lake / Pond - Landfill / Dump - Library - Lighthouse - Mansion - Market / Mall - Metropolis - Mine - Mountain - Movie Set - Museum - Nursing Home - Office - Opera House - Orchard - Outer Space - Park - Party - Pharmacy - Place of Worship - Foreign - Landmark - Rainforest - Ranch - Research Facility - Rest Stop - Restaurant - River / Stream - Journey / Road Trip - Rooftop - Ruins / Historical Site - Salon / Spa / Sauna - Sanctuary - School - Secret Hideout - Sewer - Shelter - Slums - Special Event - Stadium - Station - Store - Swamp - Theater - Town - Treehouse - Tundra - Underground - Undiscovered Place — Vehicle - Village - Warehouse - Waterfall - Zoo

Conflict: Character vs Self – Character vs Character – Character vs Nature - Character vs Supernatural – Character vs Technology – Character vs Society

Character Trait: Affectionate - Aggressive - Ambitious - Antisocial - Apathetic - Appreciative - Arrogant - Barbaric - Biased - Boisterous - Cautious - Charismatic - Charitable - Cheerful - Clever - Clumsy - Combative - Compassionate - Confident - Cooperative - Courageous - Courteous - Cowardly - Criminal - Deceitful - Diligent - Disrespectful - Easygoing - Energetic - Foolish - Mute - Forgetful - Fortunate - Friendly - Frugal - Gentle - Graceful - Greedy - Healthy - Honest - Humorous - Ignorant - Imaginative - Immature - Impartial - Impatient - Impoverished - Inquisitive - Intelligent - Irresponsible - Jealous - Lazy - Loyal - Mature - Merciless - Mischievous - Miserable - Modest - Obnoxious - Optimistic - Peculiar - Pessimistic - Picky - Powerful - Professional - Rational - Reliable - Remorseful - Renown - Responsible - Restless - Sarcastic - Secretive - Selfish - Sensitive - Serious - Sick - Spiritual - Spoiled - Strict - Stubborn - Submissive - Supportive - Talented - Temperamental - Timid - Tolerant - Trustful - Unfaithful - Vicious - Virtuous - Weak - Wealthy - Weary - Wise

Theme: Abuse of power - Adultery - Adversity - Aging - Alienation - Ambitions - American dream - Arrogance - Art -Autonomy - Beauty - Beliefs - Betrayal - Bravery - Capitalism - Celebration - Chance - Change versus tradition - Chaos and order - Character - Childhood - Circle of life - Class - Climate change - Colonialism - Coming of age - Com- Communication -Companionship - Conservation - Conspiracy - Convention and rebellion - Corruption - Courage - Creation - Crime - Darkness and light - Death - Dedication - Depression - Desire - Despair - Destiny - Disappointment - Disillusionment - Displacement -Dreams - Economics - Education - Empowerment - Everlasting love - Failure - Faith - Fame - Family - Fate - Fear - Feminism -Forbidden love - Forgiveness - Free will - Freedom - Friendship - Fulfillment - Future - Gender - God - Good vs evil -Government - Gratitude - Greed - Growing up - Guilt - Happiness - Hate - Health - Heartbreak - Hero - Heroism - History -Honesty - Honor - Hope - Humankind - Human nature - Humility - Hypocrisy - Identity - Ideology - Imagination - Immortality -Imperialism - Impossibility - Individuality - Inequality - Injustice - Innocence - Inspiration - Isolation - Jealousy - Joy - Justice -Kindness - Knowledge - Law - Legacy - Life - Loneliness - Loss - Love - Loyalty - Madness - Manipulation - Materialism -Maturity - Medicine - Memories - Mercy - Money - Morality - Motherhood - Music - Nationalism - Nature - Neglect - New year - Normality - Not giving up - Oneness - Opportunity - Oppression - Optimism - Overcoming - Passion - Peace - Peer pressure -Perfection - Perseverance - Personal development - Politics - Poverty - Power - Prayer - Prejudice - Pride - Progress -Propaganda - Purpose - Race - Realism - Reality - Rebellion - Rebirth - Redemption - Regret - Relationship - Religion -Repression - Resistance - Revenge - Revolution - Sacrifice - Sadness - Satire - Science - Self-awareness - Self-discipline - Selfreliance - Self-preservation - Simplicity - Sin - Society - Solitude - Stoicism - Subjectivity - Suffering - Suicide - Surveillance -Survival - Sympathy - Technology - Temptation - Time - Tolerance - Totalitarianism - Tragedy - Travel - Trust - Truth -Unconditional love - Universe - Unrequited love - Unselfishness - Value - Vanity - Vices - Violence - Virtue - War - Waste -Wealth - Willpower - Winning and losing - Wisdom - Work - Working class struggles - Xenophobia - Youth