

Why you'll love it!

✓ Roll and write story planning

✓ Guided paragraph planning

✓ Vocabulary lists

✓ Filled in example

✓ Engaging format

STORY ELEMENTS
Secret Agent

Roll a character.

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Bring your character to life.

Visualize it! Draw your character.



What's included?

Story starter

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Roll a story starter.

1	A renowned secret agent is betrayed by a long-time partner, leading to an impossible choice of betraying a friend or completing a mission.
2	An elite spy is the sole survivor of a mission that left the rest of the team dead.
3	A top-secret encryption key goes missing and a rookie spy is recruited to find it.
4	A legendary hacker named the "Ghost Network" discovers a way to make all technology useless.
5	A technology scientist is kidnapped by a mysterious organization and it is a race against the clock for a secret agent to find them.
6	An old secret project called the "Crimson Rose" resurfaces as a biological weapon and a spy agency must stop it.

This is the start of your story.

Write the story starter in your own words.
Crimson Rose is an old secret project. It comes back into attention when a biological weapon appears.

Highlight the most important words.
"Secret" "spy agency" "biological weapon"

Write down your first thoughts from this story starter.
The old project called Crimson Rose was found during a war. The spy agency destroyed it when they found it. But now the spy agency recovers the files when a biological weapon is announced by an enemy country.

TOP SECRET

Design a setting

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Roll a story setting.

Setting	Nouns	Adjectives
Bustling Metropolis	Skyscrapers, neon lights, crowds	Busy, hectic, chaotic
Alpine Fortress	Mountain, helicopter, headquarters	Freezing, isolated, hidden
Casino Resort	Surveillance, games, island	Luxurious, glamorous, warm
Research Facility	Laboratory, machinery, equipment	Abandoned, desolate, freezing
Underwater Base	Laboratory, technology, submarine	Glass windows, vast, blue
Caribbean Island	Bunkers, surveillance, traps	Dense, tropical, mysterious

Add detail to the setting.

What nouns will you use? You can write some of your own.

- Mountain
- Helicopter
- Headquarters
- Casino
- Luxury hotel

Describe the nouns using pictures and/or adjectives.

- Dense
- Mysterious
- Tropical
- Weather

Visualize it! Draw a part of the setting.

Create a character

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Story problem

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Roll a story problem.

1	During the mission, your character accidentally causes a power outage.
2	Your character is betrayed by someone, and then betrays someone else.
3	An enemy takes your character hostage in a remote location.
4	Your character is caught between two powerful allies who are fighting each other.
5	An untraceable assassin puts a hit on your character.
6	Your character must solve a complex cryptographic clue.

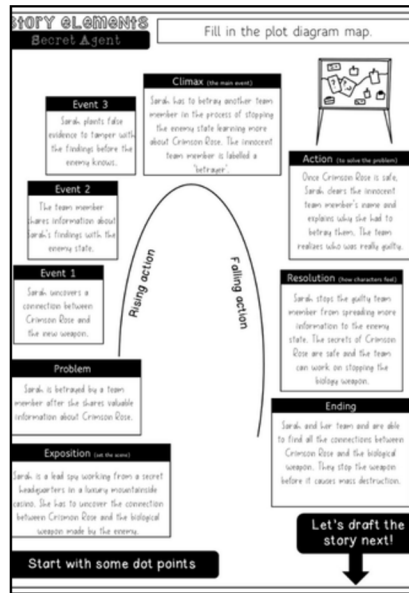
Plan out the main problem.

Problem	Action taken	Solution
Sarah Mitchell is the lead spy to recover Crimson Rose and find the connection to the biological weapon. She is betrayed by a team member who she shared valuable information with.	Sarah realizes she has been betrayed, so she plants false evidence for another team member to find. This team member is then accused of being on the "wrong side."	Sarah confesses that she planted the false evidence to clear the second team member's name. Once the team understands the initial betrayal, they forgive her.



What's included?

Plot diagram



Paragraph planning

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Add more detail to your story.

Use your imagination to add details!

WHO else is in the story?
Sarah and her team of six spies.

WHERE else does the story take place?
• The Casino headquarters is the main setting as this is where Sarah and her team work on the Crimson Rose file.

WHEN does the story take place?
Some day, some night. The betrayal events happen at night.

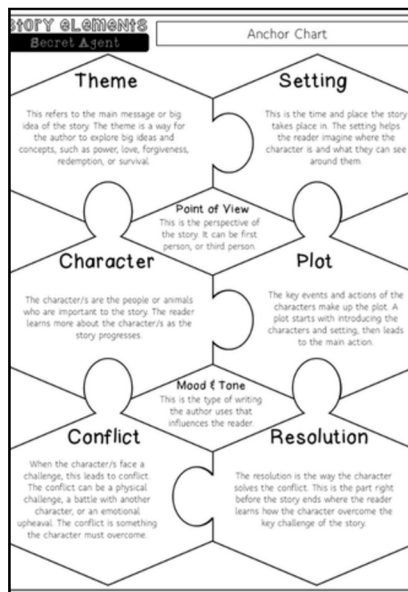
HOW does the character act in the story?
Sarah is logical and analytical, taking a no-nonsense approach to solving the mystery.

WHAT are the main things the character sees or feels?
• Mountains
• Casino
• Helicopters
• Determination
• Tense
• Frustrated

WHY does the character make certain choices?
Sarah wants to be successful and solve the Crimson Rose mystery. She is determined and focused on her task.

WHAT are the main events in the story?
• Sarah works on Crimson Rose when a biological weapon is threatened by the enemy.
• Sarah is betrayed by a team member.
• Sarah has to get an another team member.
• Sarah realizes the betrayal to her team as they can stop information spreading to the enemy.

Anchor chart



Vocabulary lists

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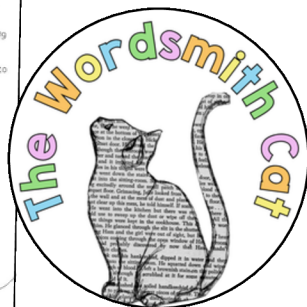
Vocabulary and Phrases

Can you use any of these adjectives to add detail to your character?

- **Brave** - Willing to face danger or fear.
- **Clever** - Smart and quick-thinking.
- **Loyal** - Faithful and trustworthy.
- **Kind** - Caring and thoughtful.
- **Adventurous** - Always looking for excitement.
- **Mischievous** - Playfully naughty or sneaky.
- **Determined** - Never giving up, even when things are tough.
- **Humble** - Not bragging or showing off.
- **Curious** - Always asking questions and wanting to learn.
- **Fearless** - Not afraid to take risks.
- **Selfless** - Thinking of others before themselves.
- **Hot-headed** - Quick to get angry or frustrated.
- **Witty** - Funny in a smart way.
- **Resourceful** - Good at solving problems with what's available.
- **Grumpy** - Easily annoyed or in a bad mood.
- **Humble** - Acting like a hero, brave and noble.
- **Sneaky** - Secretive and sometimes a little tricky.
- **Gentle** - Soft, kind, and careful.
- **Ambitious** - Wanting to achieve great things.
- **Trustworthy** - Someone you can rely on.
- **Reckless** - Taking risks without thinking.
- **Optimistic** - Always looking on the bright side.
- **Mysterious** - Hard to understand, full of secrets.
- **Charming** - Likable and friendly in a special way.
- **Stubborn** - Not willing to change their mind.

Can you use any of these adjectives to add detail to the setting?

- **Mysterious** - A place full of secrets and surprises.
- **Gloomy** - Dark, sad, or spooky.
- **Vibrant** - Full of bright colors and energy.
- **Bustling** - Busy and full of movement.
- **Serene** - Peaceful and calm.
- **Majestic** - Grand and impressive.
- **Icy** - Freezing cold and slippery.
- **Shadowy** - Dimly lit and slightly eerie.
- **Overgrown** - Covered in wild plants and vines.
- **Windswept** - Open and affected by strong winds.
- **Ancient** - Very old and full of history.
- **Foggy** - Covered in mist, making it hard to see.
- **Glistening** - Shiny and sparkling.
- **Cavernous** - Large and echoing.
- **Rustic** - Simple and countryside-like.
- **Lush** - Full of green plants and life.
- **Desolate** - Empty and lonely.
- **Enchanted** - Magical and full of wonder.
- **Sizzling** - Very hot and dry.
- **Twinkling** - Full of little shining lights.
- **Dreary** - Dull, lifeless, and a little depressing.
- **Haunting** - Unforgettable and slightly eerie.
- **Sweating** - Extremely hot and humid.
- **Perilous** - Dangerous and risky.
- **Whimsical** - Playful, quirky, and full of charm.



How to use this product.

- ✓ Independent writing
- ✓ Week long writing unit
- ✓ Modelled teacher writing
- ✓ Homework task
- ✓ Group writing task
- ✓ Early finisher activity

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Fill in the plot diagram map.

Event 3
Sarah plants false evidence to tamper with the findings before the enemy knows.

Event 2
The team member shares information about Sarah's findings with the enemy state.

Event 1
Sarah uncovers a connection between Crimson Rose and the new weapon.

Climax (the main event)
Sarah has to betray another team member in the process of stopping the enemy state learning more about Crimson Rose. The innocent team member is labelled a 'traitor'.

Action (to solve the problem)
Once Crimson Rose is safe, Sarah clears the innocent team member's name and explains why she had to betray them. The team realizes who was really guilty.

Resolution (how characters feel)
Sarah stops the guilty team member from spreading more information to the enemy state. The secrets of Crimson Rose are safe and the team can work on stopping the biology weapon.

Problem
Sarah is betrayed by a team member after she shares information about the new weapon.

Ending
Sarah and her team are able to stop the enemy state from learning more about the new weapon.

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Teach writing!

Motivate students to enjoy the writing process.

Encourage reluctant writers by providing a scaffold.

Watch students grow in confidence as they write.

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Write about your character.

Write a paragraph about your character.

My character's name is Sarah Mitchell

Sarah grew up in...
The city where it was always bustling with mysteries.

Sarah parents were...
Supportive of her education and made sure she had a good childhood.

As a child, Sarah dreamed of...
Working for a high-tech company in an important job.

Sarah has always been (adjectives)...
Precise and no-nonsense. She likes solving mysteries by keeping notes in order, collecting evidence, and being practical about analyzing information.

One day, Sarah found a (special object)....
A weaponized ring that was hidden in a drawer in the spy agency headquarters.

When Sarah held the object, they felt...
Powerful and experienced. She kept the ring to use as a protection against danger.

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