

Harold Pinter: The Pres and an Officer

While-reading 2

Groups: Make a characterization of the Pres. You may find the worksheet about characterization under Interventions online useful. Choose some of the adjectives below and add three of your own. When you have your list of adjectives, write them into a complete paragraph starting with a topic sentence which you elaborate on in the following clauses. Support your adjectives with evidence from the text. Finish the paragraph with a concluding sentence.

HONEST	DISHONEST	WARM/KIND	COLD/UNKIND	PROUD
reliable sincere straightforward	calculating cunning treacherous	considerate gentle sensitive	callous cynical ruthless	arrogant boastful scornful
PREJUDICED	UNPREJUDICED	STRONG-WILLED	WEAK-WILLED	COURAGEOUS
biased intolerant judgmental	impartial objective tolerant	determined resolute opinionated	compliant docile submissive	audacious brave heroic
OUTGOING	RESERVED	REASONABLE	UNREASONABLE	INTELLIGENT
extrovert sociable talkative	quiet timid withdrawn	rational level-headed sensible	foolish illogical imprudent	brainy talented bright