

Death of a Salesman Chosen Character Goals, Obstacles, Tactics, and Outcomes

Stories are about characters overcoming **obstacles** in order to reach a **goal**. Your chosen character will use specific **tactics** in order to overcome these obstacles so that they can reach their main goal. ***Make sure obstacles and tactics match your chosen character's personality and the characterization (*direct & indirect*) that the author created.

<p>1. The antagonist starts trouble: What is the main obstacle the antagonist is causing at the beginning of the play? Describe it. How does it threaten your chosen character?</p>	<p>4. From trouble to struggle: What new and bigger obstacle is the antagonist causing around the middle of the play? How is it affecting your chosen character?</p>	<p>7. Antagonist's final blow: What is the final terrible obstacle the antagonist is causing? How is it affecting your chosen character?</p>
<p>2. Your chosen character reacts to the trouble: What is your chosen character's tactic to overcome this main obstacle of the antagonist at the beginning of the play? (Keep in mind your chosen character's main motivation.)</p>	<p>5. Chosen character's new tactic: How does your chosen character react to this new and bigger obstacle? What is your chosen character's new tactic to stop this new obstacle? (Keep in mind your chosen character's main motivation.) Describe the action or tactic your chosen characters takes to counteract this obstacle.</p>	<p>8. Your chosen character's last hope: What can your chosen character do now? What is your chosen character's final tactic to stop this final obstacle? (Keep in mind your chosen character's main motivation.)</p>
<p>3. Outcome: Does your chosen character's tactic work? Why or why not? How does the antagonist react?</p>	<p>6. Outcome: Does your chosen character's tactic/action succeed? Why or why not? How does the antagonist react?</p>	<p>9. The struggle ends: What is the final outcome? Does your chosen character finally achieve their goal? Why or why not? What will happen to your chosen character? What will happen to the antagonist?</p>

