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Assignment: Your assignment is to write a character analysis essay about the changes that have taken place in your life since the beginning of sixth grade. You should focus more on the internal changes that you experience; however, you may include external changes, as well. Use concrete details and specific examples as evidence to support your statements.

Complete the following chart and label each as an internal or external change.

Concrete Details and Specific Examples	At the beginning of sixth grade	Today
What do you look like?		
How do you act?		
What do you do?		
What do others say about you?		
What does you say (and think) about yourself?		

Introduction	**Hook: Circle one: A Q Q S** **What will your hook be?** **Thesis statement: (choose one of the two following options)** 1. At the beginning of sixth grade I was _____, but because of _____, I am _____ now. 2. At first I was _____, but as a result of _____, I have become _____.

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Body Paragraph 1:	**TOPIC SENTENCE:** Begin with a statement about yourself at the beginning of sixth grade: **Example/Detail 1** Commentary about Example/Detail 1- analysis of example: **Example/Detail 2** Commentary about Example/Detail 1- analysis of example: **Example/Detail 3** Commentary about Example/Detail 1- analysis of example:
Body Paragraph 2	**TOPIC SENTENCE:** Begin with a statement about who or what has brought upon the change in your life (for example, sports or a new friend): **Example/Detail 1:** Commentary about Example/Detail 1- analysis of example: **Example/Detail 2:** Commentary about Example/Detail 1- analysis of example: **Example/Detail 3** Commentary about Example/Detail 1- analysis of example:
Body Paragraph 3	**TOPIC SENTENCE:** Begin with a statement about how you have changed throughout sixth grade, connecting to the first two body paragraphs: **Example/Detail 1:** Commentary about Example/Detail 1- analysis of example: **Example/Detail 2:** Commentary about Example/Detail 1- analysis of example: **Example/Detail 3:** Commentary about Example/Detail 1- analysis of example:
Conclusion	**Restate your thesis statement:** **How does your statement relate to a life lesson?**

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