

Two bosses, one Christmas

Compare Scrooge and Fezziwig as employers, then track how Scrooge changes.

NAME _____ CLASS _____ DATE _____

LEARNING GOAL

Compare two characters and back up each point with evidence.

SUCCESS CRITERIA

- ☐ I can sort differences and similarities in a Venn diagram.
- ☐ I can explain what a quotation shows about a character.
- ☐ I can write a comparison paragraph with a connective.

1 Fill the Venn diagram

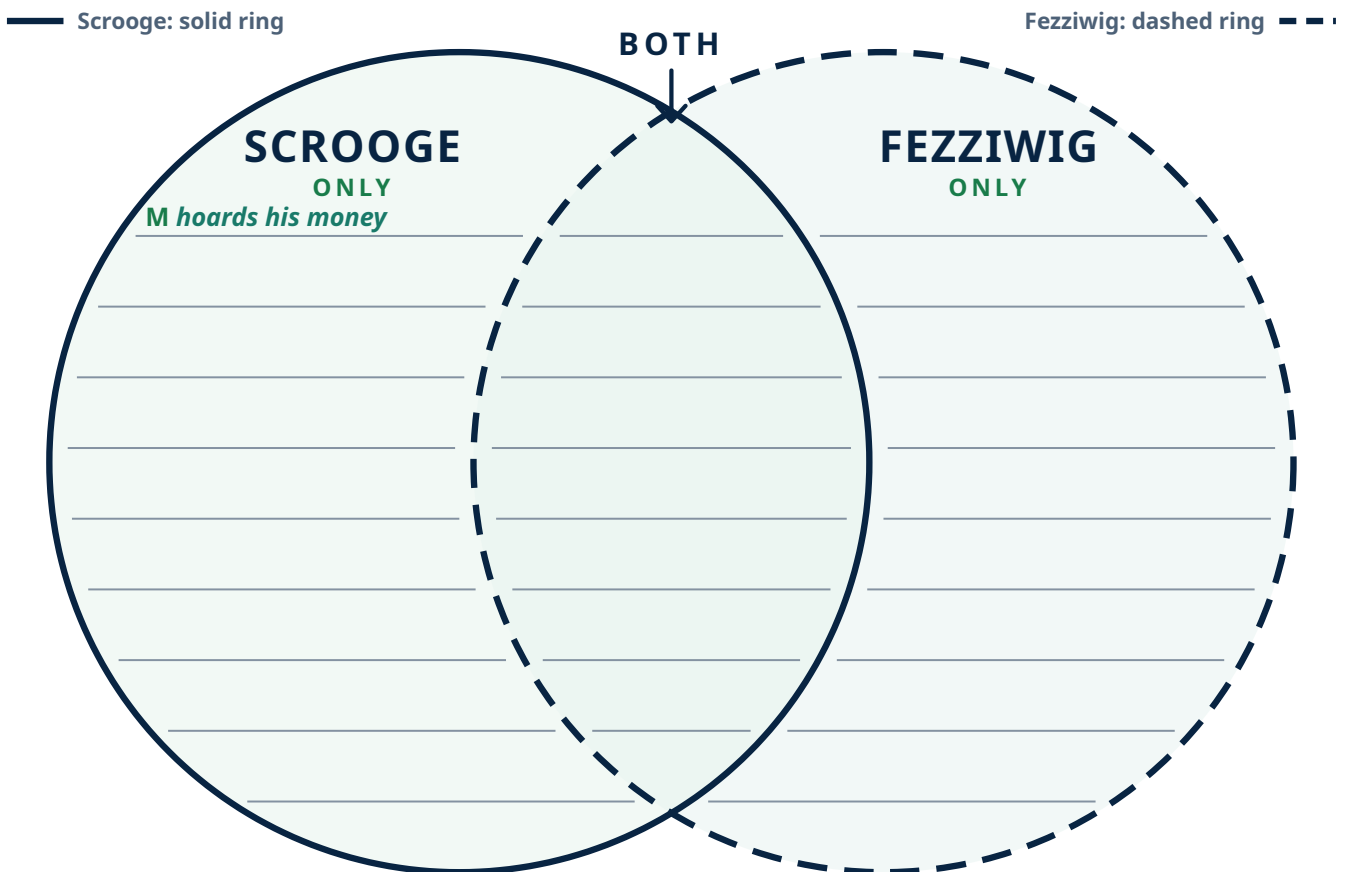
THINK

12 points

THE STORY SO FAR In Stave Two of Charles Dickens's *A Christmas Carol* (1843), the Ghost of Christmas Past shows the miser Scrooge his first employer, Mr Fezziwig.

Look through four lenses. Start each point with its letter.

E As an employer **M** With money **C** At Christmas **O** How others see them





Find the evidence, then compare

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2 What does each quotation show?

READ

4 marks

Row A is done for you. Name the trait, then explain the words in rows B and C.

TRAIT	QUOTATION	WHAT IT SHOWS
A <i>Scrooge: scornful of Christmas</i>	"Bah!" said Scrooge, "Humbug!" SCROOGE, STAVE ONE	<i>Two short exclamations: he waves Christmas away without a second thought.</i>
B _____ _____	"Yo ho, my boys!" said Fezziwig. "No more work to-night. Christmas Eve, Dick. Christmas, Ebenezer!" FEZZIWIG, STAVE TWO	_____ _____ _____
C _____ _____	"The happiness he gives, is quite as great as if it cost a fortune." SCROOGE, ABOUT FEZZIWIG, STAVE TWO	_____ _____ _____

3 How does Scrooge change?

THINK

Under each stave, write how Scrooge acts or feels there.

STAVE ONE	STAVE TWO	STAVE THREE	STAVE FOUR	STAVE FIVE
A miser who refuses to celebrate Christmas.	The Ghost of Christmas Past shows him Fezziwig.	Your note from your reading:	Your note from your reading:	Generous and kind.
_____ _____	_____ _____	_____ _____	_____ _____	_____ _____

4 Write your comparison paragraph

WRITE

6 marks

Use one quotation and one comparing word.

Both men ...

However, ...

whereas ...

This shows that ...

Dickens wants us

to see ...
