Writing about characters

When writing about characters describe: physical appearance and dress, their walk or movement, habit or behaviour, and speech.

However, try not to be too mundane in your physical description. Think of unique qualities of your character as well. You want the reader to get a clear image in their mind. Choose details that appeal to the reader's senses.

A KIND BROTHER

Chase and Max are brothers; though they were brothers, they were as different as day and night. Chase was once sent from home to take a basket of vegetables to his grandmother. The basket was so full that it was very heavy for the thin Chase. So his little brother went with him, to help carry the load. They put a pole under the handle of the basket, and each then took hold of an end of the pole. In this way they could carry the basket very nicely.

Now the older boy thought while he adjusted his spectacles, "My brother Max is stronger, but does not know about this pole. If I slip the basket near him, his side will be heavy, and mine light; but if the basket is in the middle of the pole, it will be as heavy for me as it is for him. Max does not know this as I do. But I will not do it. It would be wrong, and I will not do what is wrong." Then he slipped the basket quite near his own end of the pole. His load was now heavier than that of his little brother who grasps his end with much ease. The basket felt heavy; yet Chase was happy; for he felt that he had done right. Had he **deceived** his brother, he would not have felt at all happy.

Try your own.

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