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### Analyzing Bernard Shaw's *Pygmalion* Act 3

**Characterization** is the process by which a playwright or author reveals the personalities of the characters.

In each box below is a list of character traits. Circle the traits that are true of the character whose name is at the top of the box. On the reverse side of the page, provide a quotation from the text to support three descriptive adjectives for each character. Make sure to explain why the quotation illustrates this character trait.

#### 1. Higgins

intelligent	loving	vain
boastful	tender	proud
impatient	sloppy	patient
romantic	angry	saintly
fatherly	respectful	strict
lazy	dedicated	original
conformist	meek	absent-minded

#### 2. Liza

stupid	intelligent	naive
frightened	bold	suspicious
irresponsible	studious	charming

#### 3. Pickering

vicious	nasty	kind
soldierly	fatherly	impolite
courteous	considerate	civilized

#### 4. Mrs. Higgins

silly	clear-headed	wise
sympathetic	vulgar	rich
concerned	impolite	strong

## **Supporting Quotations**

1. Higgins

2. Liza

3. Pickering

4. Mrs. Higgins