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Identifying Characters and their Dialogue

Dialogue is the talking between two or more characters in a story.

ANSWERS

To identify dialogue in a story, look for quotation marks.

Example: “Can you help me with my homework please?” Jayden asked.

Directions: Read the passage and complete the chart. Then, answer the question that follows.

Danny’s mom picked the kids up from school on Friday. Danny and his sister, Melodie, were invited to a party at the park over the weekend.

“The weather report says there are storms coming,” she said. “You might not be able to go to the party. It’s better to be cautious and stay inside.”

“I will be so upset if that happens,” Melodie explained. “Our friend is expecting us. How will we give her the present we bought?”

“Me too!” Danny added.

Danny and Melodie used their money to buy the birthday girl a gift. They found a science kit that had tools to measure liquids. The kit had real goggles in it, too.

“I actually wanted to go to the party,” Danny said. He was usually shy and cautious around others.

“We will see,” their mom replied. “I’ll watch the weather report on the news and see what they say.”

Character Who is the character?	Dialogue What did the character say in the story?
1. Danny	Me too! I actually wanted to go to the party. I will be so upset if that happens.
2. Melodie	Our friend is expecting us. How will we give her the present we bought? The weather report says there are storms coming.
3. Danny and Melodie’s mom	You might not be able to go to the party. It’s better to be cautious and stay inside. We will see. I’ll watch the weather report on the news and see what they say.

* What do you think Melodie would say next? Write the dialogue on the line below. (You do not need to include quotation marks!)

Melodie: _____ Student answers will vary