

Short Story Concept Template

Character: *This is the one person you should be writing about*

Situation: *This is where they are and what is happening*

Problem: *This is the problem that created the situation*

Solution: *This is the first attempt to solve the problem*

Complication: *The attempt to solve the problem fails*

Climax *A second and final attempt is made to solve the problem and it may succeed or fail*

Resolution: *The problem is solved but not in the manner it was expected*

Story Notes *Jot down ideas for the story that are not directly related to the points above*