

Maxwell's Fabulous Changes

In this activity, you will consider how Maxwell's character changes from the beginning to the end of the story, "Maxwell's Fabulous Tee Shirts."

Directions: Fill in the chart below as you think about how Maxwell's ideas and attitudes change throughout the story. Then take note of how your attitude about Valentine's Day changes as well.

	Beginning	End
What Maxwell Thinks About Himself	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
What Maxwell Thinks About His Artistic Talent	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>

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	Beginning	End
What Maxwell Thinks About Other People	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
What Maxwell Thinks About His Problem	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>

Critical Thinking

In “Maxwell’s Fabulous Tee Shirts,” Maxwell overcomes his fears and comes up with a unique solution to a problem he is facing—and his actions show great courage! Has there ever been a time in your life when you’ve acted like Maxwell? On a separate piece of paper, write a well-organized paragraph explaining the situation.

Make sure to back up your thoughts, using information and details from your life and from the story.