

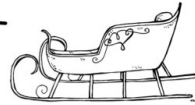
One final *Assessment* included.

Assessment includes comprehension, vocabulary, and a variety of question types.

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A CHRISTMAS CAROL

Final Assessment: Staves 1-5



❖ Part 1: Vocabulary Matching

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9. _____
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❖ Part 4: Comprehension Multiple Choice

Choose the best answer for each question below.

11. Which of the following does not occur in the story?
- Scrooge gets a second chance with Belle.
 - Scrooge sees his hometown from his boyhood.
 - Scrooge is visited by the ghost of his dead business partner.
 - Scrooge gives Bob Cratchit a raise.
12. Choose the best word to describe Scrooge at the beginning of the story.
- Wise
 - Amusing
 - Stingy
 - Even-tempered
13. Choose the answer that best describes how Scrooge feels about Christmas at the beginning of the story.
- He enjoys it.
 - He doesn't love it, but he thinks it's fine.
 - He thinks it's foolish.
 - He is always sad around Christmas time.
14. Which of the following scenes does Scrooge visit with the Spirit of Christmas Past?
- He sees the Cratchits mourning the death of Tiny Tim.
 - He sees a younger version of himself breaking up with Belle.
 - He sees his own grave stone.
 - He sees people pawning a dead man's belongings.
15. Which spirit does not speak to Scrooge at all?
- Marley
 - The Ghost of Christmas Past
 - The Ghost of Christmas Present
 - The Ghost of Christmas Yet to Come



16. In which of the following ways does Scrooge change at the end of the story? Circle all that apply.
- He is more generous with his money.
 - He becomes like a second father to Tiny Tim.
 - He enjoys visiting his nephew.
 - He closes down his business.

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❖ Part 5: Comprehension & Analysis Short Answer

Answer the following questions in complete sentences.

17. Describe one of the characters using at least three adjectives. Explain your choices.
- _____
- _____
- _____
18. Choose one of the following events from the story. Write about at least two effects that this event had on Scrooge.
- The ghost of Marley visits Scrooge.
 - Scrooge sees that his clerk's son, Tiny Tim, is dying.
 - Scrooge spies on Belle, his former girlfriend.
- _____
- _____
- _____
19. What part of this story made you feel a strong emotion? (The emotion can be happiness, sadness, anger, empathy, etc.) Explain what emotion it was, and why you felt that way.
- _____
- _____
- _____
20. What lesson can be learned from this story? Explain.
- _____
- _____
- _____



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Vocabulary Focus

Vocabulary Lists come with and without definitions. Students are tested on these words.

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	33	capacious	ample and broad
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	49	appalled	shocked and alarmed
4: The Last of the Spirits	54	defiance	refusal to obey; noncooperation
	56	shuddering	shaking; trembling
	61	inexorable	impossible to stop or prevent
	61	hastened	hurried
5: The End of It	63	illustrious	splendid; glorious
	65	blithe	carefree; jovial
	67	feign	bluff or imitate
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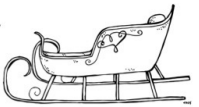
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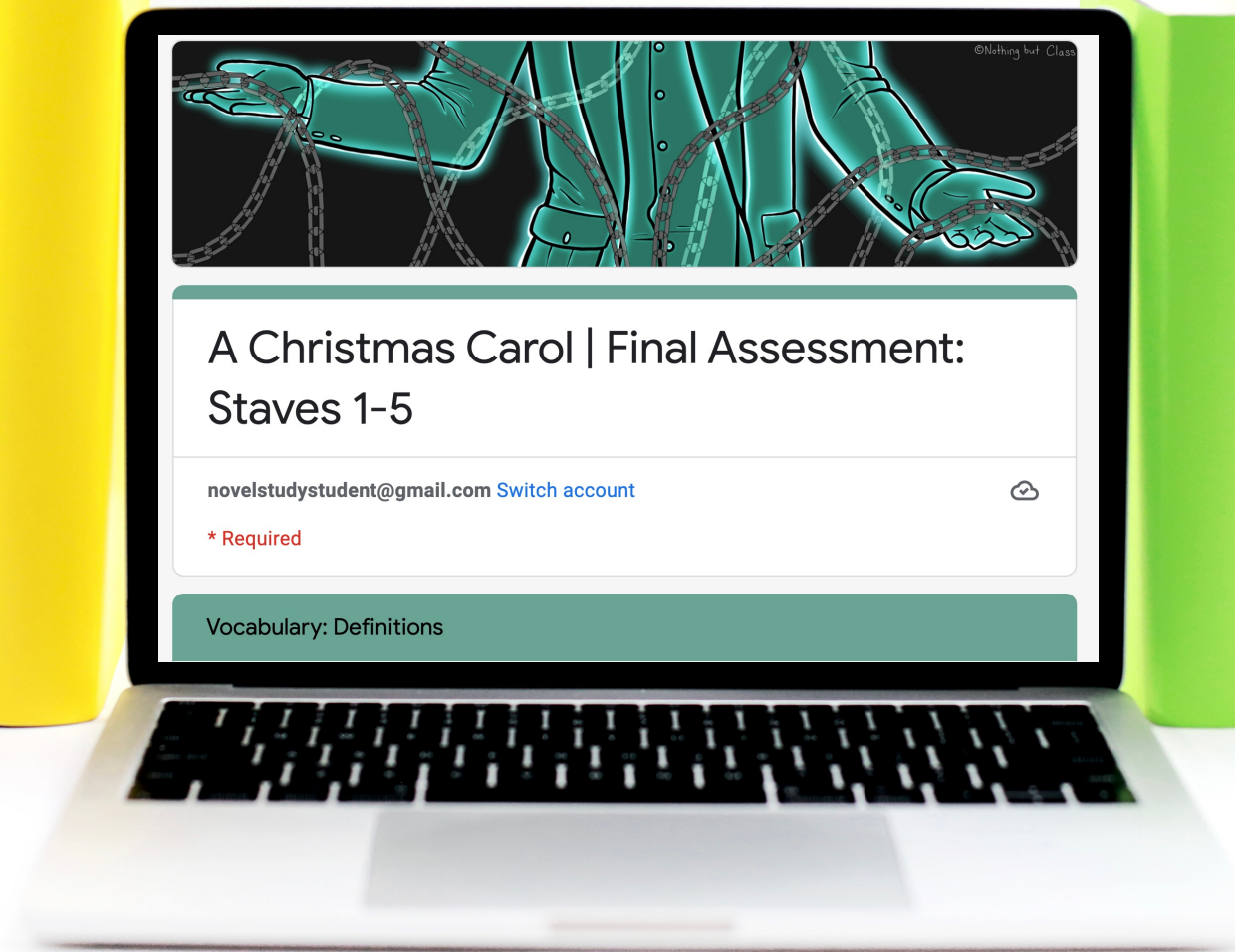
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-Elizabeth F.

This was truly the best resource I have ever purchased on TPT. It had everything we needed to do a class novel study on Holes - comprehension questions, robust vocabulary, writing prompts, and standards based practice (similes, sensory details, setting, characterization, etc.). My students loved doing the "pre-write" section before we read the book together. I will use this resource for years to come! I am going to be purchasing a few other novel studies from this author so that my students can do them during distance learning.

-Tessa V.

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