

Plot Planning Worksheet

This is an extra resource to go along with the original article:

[How to Plan a Book Series](#)

Title of Book: _____

Title of Series: _____

Genre: _____

Summarize the main idea of this book in one sentence:

Theme: _____

Setting: _____

Point of View: _____

Protagonist: _____

Supporting Characters:

ACT ONE

1. What's the conflict? (sub-plot) :

2. Who's involved in the conflict? (list of characters and their roles) :

3. What's the protagonist's internal reaction? (How does he/she feel? What motivates these feelings?) :

4. What's the protagonist's external reaction? (what does he/she do?) :

5. What does the protagonist want most? :

6. List the pivotal scenes:

ACT TWO

1. What's the conflict? (sub-plot) :

2. Who's involved in the conflict? (list of characters and their roles) :

3. What's the protagonist's internal reaction? (How does he/she feel? What motivates these feelings?) :

4. What's the protagonist's external reaction? (what does he/she do?) :

5. What does the protagonist want most? :

6. List the pivotal scenes:

ACT THREE

1. What's the conflict? (sub-plot) :

2. Who's involved in the conflict? (list of characters and their roles) :

3. What's the protagonist's internal reaction? (How does he/she feel? What motivates these feelings?) :

4. What's the protagonist's external reaction? (what does he/she do?) :

5. What does the protagonist want most? :

6. List the pivotal scenes:

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Summarize the scene:

Protagonist's Internal Reaction (how does he/she feel?) :

Protagonist's External Reaction (what does he/she do?) :

Resolution:

Set up for next book in series:
