

THAT WAS THEN, THIS IS NOW TEST (CHALLENGE)

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Each question is worth TWO points. USE THE SEPARATE ANSWER SHEET FOR ALL QUESTIONS. Make sure you have the CORRECT answer sheet for this test. This is VERSION 2 – CHALLENGE. You should have the BLUE answer sheet.

Character Connections:

Match the character on the left with their description on the right. TWO letters will not be used (they are just there to throw you off).

1. Ponyboy Curtis	A. Teaches Bryon and Mark it is ok to forgive people when he gets beat up after giving a girl a ride home
2. Bryon Douglas	B. His refusal to date Angela accidentally leads to Mark getting hit in the head with a bottle
3. Mark Douglas	C. He's the hippy that drives Mark and Bryon to the hospital and also gave up violence in The Outsiders
4. Angela Shepard	D. Ironically he gets shot the same day he warns Bryon and Mark to be careful with their hustling.
5. Curly Shepard	E. He calls the police on Mark after finding a stash of drugs under his mattress
6. Charlie	F. He becomes "Baby Freak" and is haunted by spiders and carrots while taking LSD
7. Cathy Carlson	G. As one of the "Texans" he tries to get revenge on the hustlers after playing pool
8. M&M Carlson	H. She didn't approve of Mark getting out and punching the bad-mouthed Soc who was driving the Corvette
9. Mike Chambers	I. Her brothers beat up Bryon after learning about her "unplanned haircut"
10. Terry	J. This friend of Bryon's is the one to tell him about Mark hotwiring the principal's car and whose house he rests at after getting beat up
	K. Although he is barely in The Outsiders, this brother of Tim plays a major role in bullying M&M and being an all around jerk
	L. He refuses to forgive anyone that has ever hurt him, and the guilt of this decision destroys his best friend

11. Who is the narrator / main character of the story?
12. Why did Angela have someone attack Ponyboy and Mark at the dance?
 - a. Love – She loved them both and couldn't decide
 - b. Anger – She wanted to get revenge on Mark
 - c. Money – They owed her money and she wanted paid
 - d. Revenge – She was upset she had been ignored
 - e. All are correct

Important Settings:

Match the setting on the left with its description on the right. TWO letters will not be used (they are just there to throw you off).

13. Charlie's Bar	A. Where Bryon comes to the frightening realization that Mark has been making money by selling drugs
14. School Dance	B. Angela convinces a boy to beat up Ponyboy here but it backfires and puts Mark in the hospital instead
15. Hospital cafeteria	C. Bryon takes the blame for what happened to Angela here and gives in to the Shepards beating him to a pulp
16. The Ribbon	D. This is where Mark informs Bryon that he hates him and he'll kill him if he ever sees him again
17. Terry's house	E. Where the Texans spend the majority of the story hiding out after what happens to Charlie
18. Hippy House	F. M&M makes the decision to run away from Bryon and Cathy and home and not come back here
19. The prison	G. Where Bryon first notices Cathy and falls for her even though he acts a bit dorky and not cool at all
20. Their bedroom	H. Bryon and Mark embrace being hustlers here and make quite a bit of money off people like The Texans
	I. Cathy and Ponyboy spend most of their time here while trying to hide from Mark and his friends
	J. M&M encounters angry spiders here that torment him for eating carrots even though he believes he is innocent

Parts of the Plot:

21. According to Mark, what happened to his real parents when he was nine?
22. After Bryon gets beat up for something Mark did, he says not to get revenge for him. He implies he has no hatred for his attackers. What other character earlier in the book had a similar thing happen, and also said he didn't hate who hurt him?

23. After Bryon gets beat up, he also tells us that “revenge” is a never ending cycle that won’t stop and leads to worse things. What character gave a very similar speech to Ponyboy in *The Outsiders*?
24. Why do Tim and Curly want to get revenge on Bryon so badly?
25. At the end of chapter 2 (p 42), Mark says he will *never* forgive anyone who hurts him. These clues in the story that tell us what will happen later are an example of what?
26. Why does Bryon suddenly decide to give up hustling pool?
27. How does Mark feel about Bryon’s decision to not get revenge on the Shepards?
28. What does Bryon find under Mark’s bed after taking M&M to the hospital?
29. Why does Bryon decide to call the police on Mark?
30. Using the idea of “staying gold” from *The Outsiders*, which character would best be described as being similar to Dally Winston?

Internal Conflicts:

Match the person on the left with the internal conflict they have in the story on the right. ONE letter will not be used (just there to throw you off).

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| 31. Bryon Douglas | A. Should he accept the fact that a punk kid just ripped him off for \$25 OR should he try to get revenge and teach the kid a lesson |
| 32. Mark Douglas | B. Get a real job to help the family make money and survive OR start selling drugs to earn more cash and maybe hurt people |
| 33. M&M Carlson | C. Forgive the girl for having him get the beating of his life for trying to be helpful OR forgive her and move on with his life |
| 34. Mike Chambers | D. Call the police on the person he just discovered is selling drugs for money OR confront his friend and get him to stop doing it |
| 35. Charlie | E. Continue to put up with his father making fun of his long hair and failing grades OR run away from home and live on own |
| 36. Dirty Dave | F. Accept the fact that your sister’s old boyfriend just shaved her head and forgive him OR track him down and beat him silly |
| | G. Defend the two kids who make poor choices hustling OR let them get beat up and learn a valuable lesson |

External Conflicts:

Match the external conflict on the left with the correct explanation of it from the story on the right. TWO letters will not be used (just there to throw you off).

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| 37. Bryon V Mark | A. He gets stabbed when he sells illegal drugs to friends of the wrong person and it comes back to haunt him. |
| 38. Mike V Connie | B. Even though they are best friends, poor choices by both characters leads to the destruction of their friendship |
| 39. Mark V Cathy | C. She just wants to get revenge on all people who have been mean to her for years and he becomes the easiest target. |
| 40. Cathy V Bryon | D. They used to be close, but he can’t be around her any more due to feeling too guilty about the happiness she brings him. |
| 41. M&M V Mr. Carlson | E. They fight about small things until it builds up and causes one of the two to run away from home and do drugs. |
| 42. Curly V M&M | F. They argue about being able to work in the bar and how being a liar will affect whether people want to hire you |
| 43. Bryon V Charlie | G. These two have a confrontation outside of a bowling alley that shows us one is violent and the other is peaceful |
| | H. They both like the same boy, but for different reasons. He likes the boy like a brother, and she likes him as a boyfriend. |
| | I. These two are the only real “normal couple” in the story as they love each other deeply and never fight |

44. In what Point of View is this novel told?

45. Give an example from the story that would explain why “revenge is never the answer” is a good theme for the novel.