

Name _____

Show, Don't Tell in Character Descriptions Answer Key

Sample Response:

Trevor crashed through the front door and stormed upstairs, the steps groaning under each stomp. His backpack flew across the room, hitting the wall with a loud thud. "It's not fair!" he bellowed, pacing like a trapped animal. His cheeks burned as his fists tightened, nails digging into his palms.

(This sample uses vivid action and sensory details instead of directly stating emotions.)