Character Types

In fictional stories, there are many different types of characters that play different roles. Read about different character types below, and decide which character from *Ramona Quimby, Age 8* fits each character type. (Some characters may fit more than one character type).

Major Characters

Major characters play a big part in the story. They influence the plot and take part in solving the main problem of the story.

Minor Characters

Minor characters pop up to help (or hurt) the story’s major characters.

The Protagonist

The protagonist is the main character of the story. Stories are often told from their point of view.

The Antagonist

The antagonist is the character (or characters) who causes problems for the protagonist.

Dynamic Characters

Dynamic characters change through the story, usually because they overcome a challenge which makes them grow as a person.