

*“How the Grinch Stole Christmas” – A Personality Analysis*

**Directions:** You are about to see a short documentary. The primary individual in this documentary has a rather distinct personality. Toward the end of the documentary, you will see a drastic transformation in his personality.

Each person will be assigned a personality theorist we have studied in class (Freud, Jung, Adler, Horney, Erikson, Maslow, and Rogers). Each individual will belong to a group of other students who are responsible for the same theorist. Your group will be responsible for the individual in the documentary by using at least four concepts or terms from the theorist you drew to explain the individual’s behavior. You will also need to explain how your theorist would account for this individual’s personality transformation. Be sure to note the behaviors the individual exhibits that led to your conclusions.

Assigned Theorist:

Notes on behavior from documentary:

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<u>Theory/Term</u>	<u>Rationale</u>

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<b><u>Reason(s) for transformation</u></b>	

If you were your assigned theorist, what three questions would you ask the Grinch to get to more information about him/his personality?

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2.

3.