**Character Profile CSI English 10**

**NAME: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

***Directions: Organize your responses on a separate sheet of paper. Typed. Due Monday***

**I. Character Description**

**A. Physical**

*Everything in this section should describe the external side of the character, how they are seen and how they appear.*

*1.* Sex *(male or female)*

*2.* Age *(exact, not approximate)*

*3.* Health *(the current state)*

4. Clothing

*5.* Appearance *(overall)*

6. Significant Props, talismans, or Handheld items

**B. Social**

*Everything in this section should describe the life of the character in his/her community, how they have been prepared and how they function with others.*

*1.* Class *(lower, middle, upper)*

*2.* Occupation *(job)*

*3.* Education *(how many years in school, last grade completed, degrees, etc.)*

*4.* Place in Community *(status in society)*

*5.* Amusements *(what sort of hobbies, activities interest the character?)*

**C. Psychological**

*Everything in this section should describe the inside of the character, how they see themselves and his/her life.*

*1.* Moral Standards *(not just high or low, but give a hint of what is important to your character)*

*2.* Philosophy *(about their life, characters will give many hints in the dialogue)*

*3.* Ambitions *(personal goals and dreams)*

*4.* Disappointments *(opportunities missed)*

*5.* Complexes *(things which bother or concern your character)*

*6.* Abilities *(ways in which your character excels in navigating life and its problems)*

*7.* Peculiarities *(oddities or unusual character traits)*

**II. Character’s Objectives**

*These should not be arrived at until you’ve assembled the above information.*

**A. Desire *(your character’s objective)***

**B. Will *(the relative strength or weakness in your character’s ability to achieve their desire)***

**The most common kinds of conflict are:**

Man versus Self (internal)

Man versus Nature (external)

Man versus Man (external)

Man versus Society (external)

**A further breakdown would include:**

Man versus Technology (external)

Man versus God or Fate (external)

Man versus Supernatural (external)

**C. Conflict *(define and explain)***