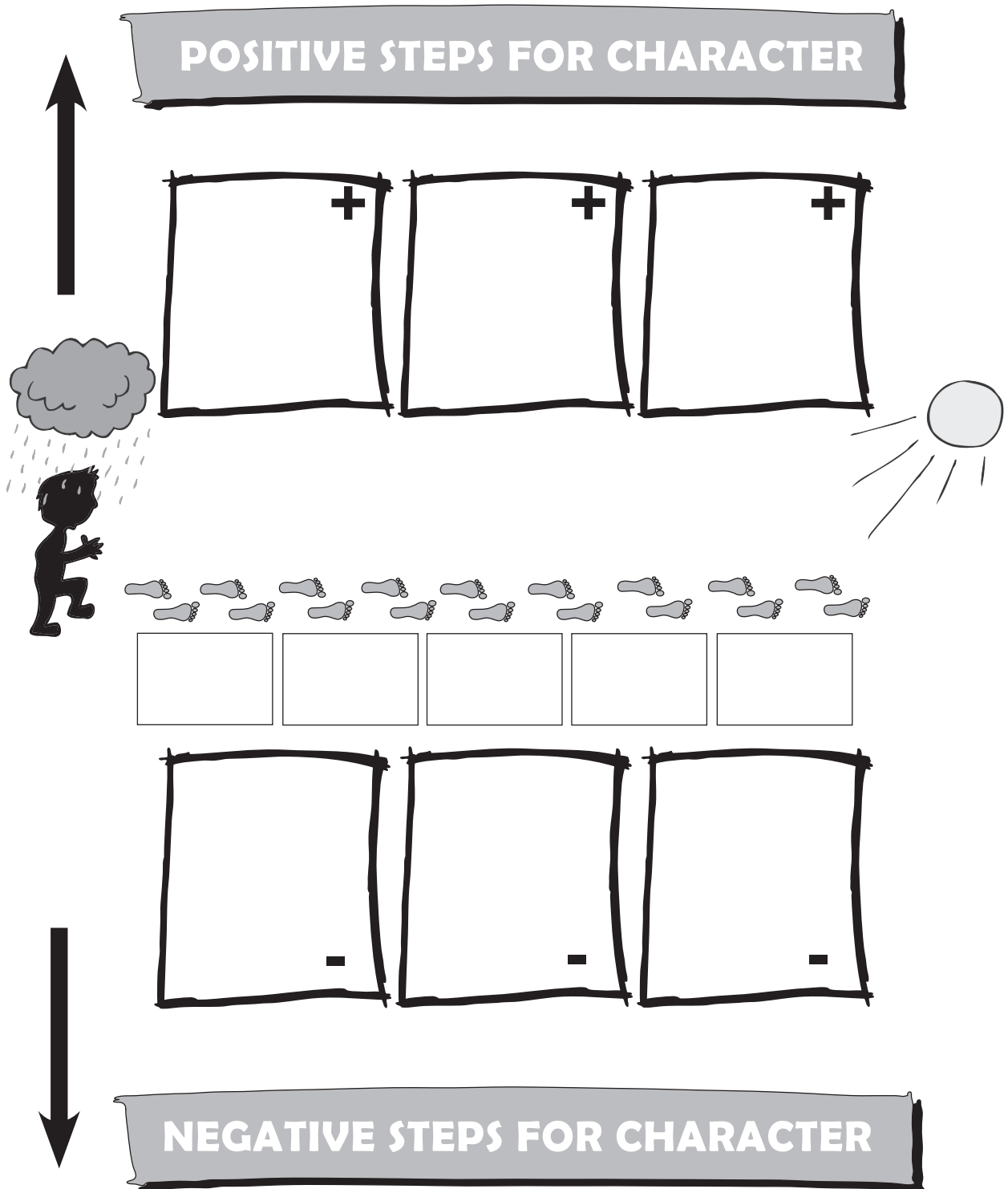


PLANNING

MAPPING A CHARACTER'S JOURNEY

First add notes to show the main elements of the plot. Then outline the main positive and negative steps for the character as they move through this story type.



PLANNING: Using the Visual Story Map

Use the character development symbols as a visual and kinaesthetic way to walk through story language and specific vocabulary prior to writing. Shared writing can be modelled to outline expectations of these descriptive elements.

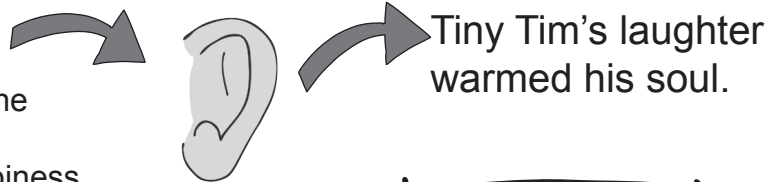
The character development symbols help add colour and detail. They should be used first as an oral support to articulate further description that will make the story and its main character “come alive”.

Example:

TEACHER QUESTIONING

Which symbols could bring the character to life?

What are the sounds of happiness around him?



The Ghosts + taught Scrooge the errors of his ways. He became a kind-hearted and generous man.

Scrooge refused to help the poor. -

Ebenezer and Bob worked together

Poor people knocked at Ebenezer's door

Ebenezer went to bed on Christmas Eve

Ebenezer visited Bob Cratchit and his family

Example:

TEACHER QUESTIONING

Which are Scrooge's actions?

What do they tell us about his attitude?

