Name _____ Date _____

Character Traits

Trait = what a character is like inside. Proof = what they do, say and think.

A. Read the story.

The Science Fair

Omar's volcano project fell apart the night before the science fair. Instead of crying, he grabbed new clay and worked until bedtime to rebuild it.

At the fair, a younger girl dropped her poster in a puddle. Omar helped her dry it and lent her his markers to fix the letters.

When the judge asked who made his volcano, Omar said, "My dad helped with the paint." He didn't win first place, but he smiled and clapped for the winner.

B. Name two traits. Give proof.

1. Omar is _____ because _____
2. Omar is _____ because _____

C. Sort the words.

honest scared generous excited stubborn sad curious angry

Traits (always)	Feelings (right now)

D. Write the trait. brave lazy patient boastful

1. Ali waited calmly for his turn. _____
2. Rosa jumped in to save the puppy. _____
3. Ben bragged about his new shoes all day. _____
4. Kim never did her chores. _____

Answer Key

B. Name two traits. Give proof.

Answers will vary: **determined** (rebuilt the volcano), **helpful/kind** (helped the girl), **honest** (said his dad helped), ***a good sport*** (clapped for the winner).

C. Sort the words.

Traits (always): honest, generous, stubborn, curious
Feelings (right now): scared, excited, sad, angry

D. Write the trait.

1. **patient** 2. **brave** 3. **boastful** 4. **lazy**