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The Politicians

Worksheet · Grades 9+



Comprehension Questions

1. Who are the two main characters in the story?
2. What does the Young Politician want to do during their journey?
3. How does the Old Politician respond to the Young Politician's suggestion?
4. What does the Old Politician warn about the Palace of Political Distinction?
5. What can you infer about the moral of the story?

Vocabulary Exercise

Match the words to their correct meanings by writing the letter of the meaning next to the number.

Word	**Meaning**
1. Distinction	A. A sign that gives direction
2. Peril	B. To turn away from a set path
3. Politician	C. A difference or quality that sets something apart
4. Guide-board	D. A state of danger or risk
5. Abandon	E. A person involved in politics

Writing/Reflection Task

Reflect on the story and answer the following questions:

1. What do you think the "Palace of Political Distinction" symbolizes?

2. Have you ever faced a choice between comfort and responsibility? Describe your experience.

3. What lesson do you take away from this story?