

Name: _____ Date: _____

Preparing to Write: Is Loki a Villain?

This activity will help you prepare for the writing prompt on page 15:

A villain is an evil or cruel character. Is Loki a villain? Explain your answer using text evidence.

BAD STUFF LOKI DOES

Think about what evil, cruel, or otherwise not-very-nice things Loki does. Fill in the chart with two such things. For each, explain why Loki's action is evil, cruel, or unkind. Also explain why Loki does what he does. Use text evidence.

What Loki does and why it's bad	Why Loki does this bad thing
1.	
2.	

GOOD STUFF LOKI DOES

Now think about anything helpful, kind, or at least halfway decent that Loki does. List at least one thing and explain why that action is helpful, kind, or decent. Also explain why Loki does this thing. Use text evidence.

What Loki does and why it's good	Why Loki does this good thing
1.	
2. (optional)	

**WHAT OTHER CHARACTERS
SAY ABOUT LOKI**

Write at least three things that other characters say about Loki. Include page numbers.

1.
2.
3.
4. (optional)

VILLAIN OR NOT?

Now look back over what you've written. What do you think? Is Loki a villain?

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YES

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NO

In the box below, write a short paragraph explaining your answer.