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Documenting Your Character Voice

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Character name: _____

Age ____ Height _____

Sex ____ Body type _____

Character source (where did you get the idea?):

Describe primary energy: _____

Key phrase (to quickly return to the voice): _____

Appearance (hair, clothing, etc.): _____

Placement (location of voice in your body):

Vertical pitch: _____

____ Abdomen ____ Chest ____ Throat ____ Eyes
____ Adenoid ____ Nasal ____ Face ____ Top of head

Horizontal: _____

____ Front of face/body ____ Centered ____ Back of head/body

Pitch Characteristics: _____

(raspy, gravelly, smooth, clear, smoky, edgy, nasal, de-nasal, nervous, breathy, tight, etc.)

Vocal Dynamics: Phrasing/Pacing (the musicality of your character's voice):

Tempo: ____ Fast ____ Slow ____ Moderate ____ Varying

Rhythm: ____ Smooth flow ____ Staccato ____ Melodic

Attitude (tone of voice): _____

Emotion: _____

Volume (loud/soft/varied): _____

Physicalization (how does your character move in time and space?):

Stance: _____ Walk: _____

Quirks: _____ Laugh: _____

Body: _____ Hands/arms: _____

Mouth Work: _____ Dialect/Accent: _____

Associated color, sound, or taste: _____

If your character was real, who or what might it be like? _____

Other notes: