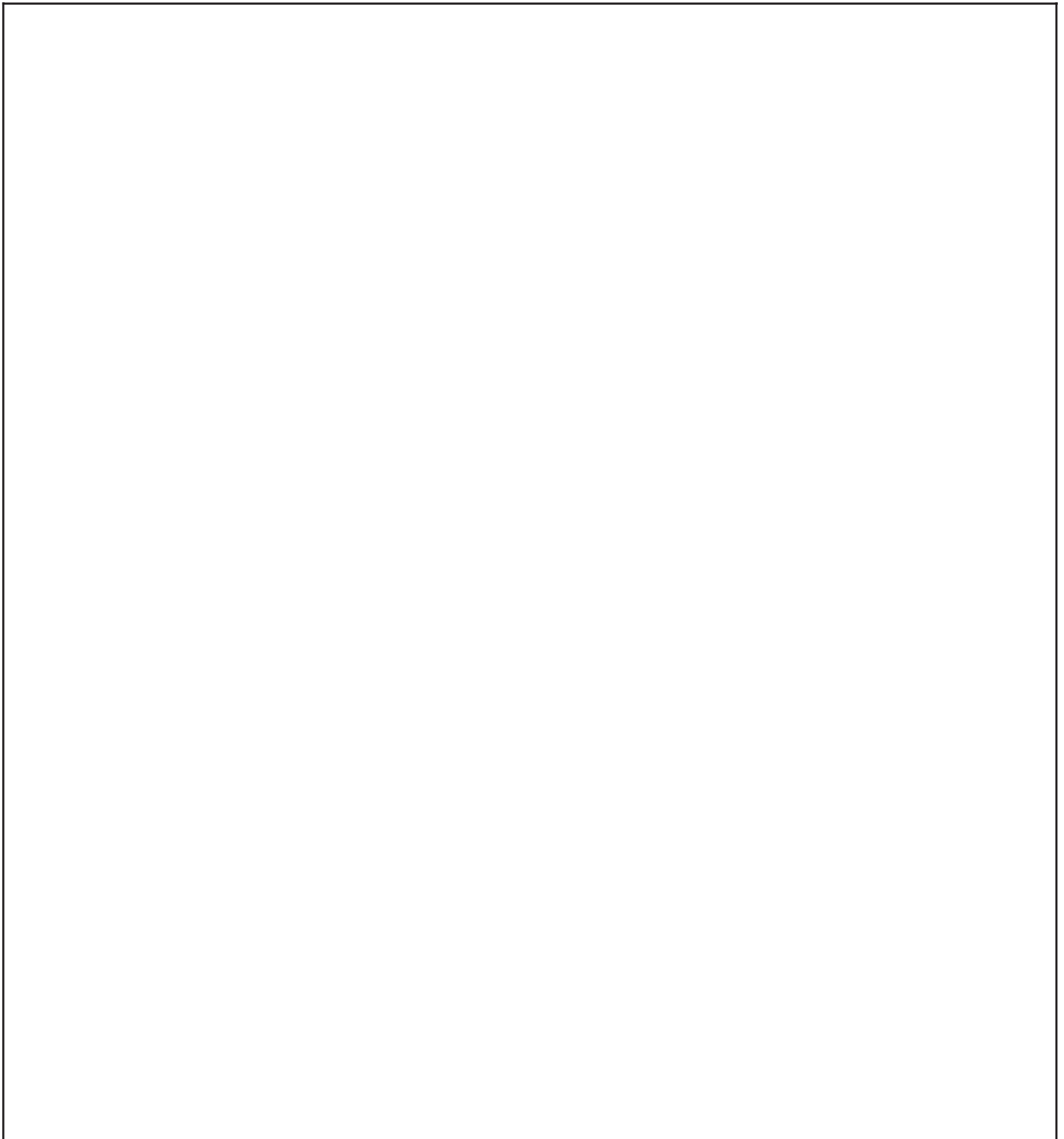


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Name _____

Imagine you are in a tree house in your town or city. Draw a picture in the window of how you imagine your city or town would have looked in the past.



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There are two main characters in this story – Alissa and Nana May. There are several minor characters – Alissa’s mother, the builder, and Grandpa Joe.

Complete the table below about the characters in the story. Use the illustrations as well as the text to find your information. Fill in the information for Alissa and Nana May and choose one of the minor characters for the third section.

Character's Name	How They Look	Their Personality	Their Strengths	How They Change through the Story
Alissa				
Nana May				

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- Introduction** A very brief description of what the book is about and the reviewer's general opinion
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- End** The reviewer's recommendation to other readers

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