

STUDENT WORKSHEET 16

ACTIONING & OBJECTIVES

SCENE XII: INT. DOC'S LAB - NIGHT, 1955

UNIT 1 (EXAMPLE)

Doc's objective: **I want to try out my latest invention.**

Marty's objective: **I want to make Doc understand that I have come from the future.**

Suddenly, getting an idea, Doc puts a strange geodesic contraption on his head.
Doc opens the door and a frantic Marty enters.

MARTY (I ALERT you)

Doc!! Doc!! Thank God you're here! I need your help!!

DOC (I HALT you)
Don't say a word!

(I IMPRESS you)

I'm going to read your thoughts! Hold that right there...

DOC slaps a suction cup onto Marty's forehead. It's wired to a tall machine full of tubes and dials. Doc twists some dials, then concentrates.

DOC (I MYSTIFY you)

I perceive...that you've come...from a great distance...

MARTY (I ADMIRE you)
Yes!

DOC (I INTERRUPT you)
Wait -- don't tell me!

(I PROBE you)

You're... collecting donations for the coast guard youth auxiliary!

MARTY (I OPPOSE you)
No!

DOC (I ACCUSE you)
You want me to buy a prefabricated nuclear bomb shelter!

MARTY (I EDUCATE you)
My name is Marty McFly and I'm from the future.

(I INFORM you)

I came here in a time machine that YOU invented.

(I COMMAND you)

And now I need your help to get back to the year 1985.

DOC (I WARN you)
My God! Do you know what this means?
It means...

(I DISILLUSION you)

This damn thing doesn't work at all!

(I RILE you)

Six months of labor down the drain!

Doc removes it in frustration and paces. Marty goes to him.