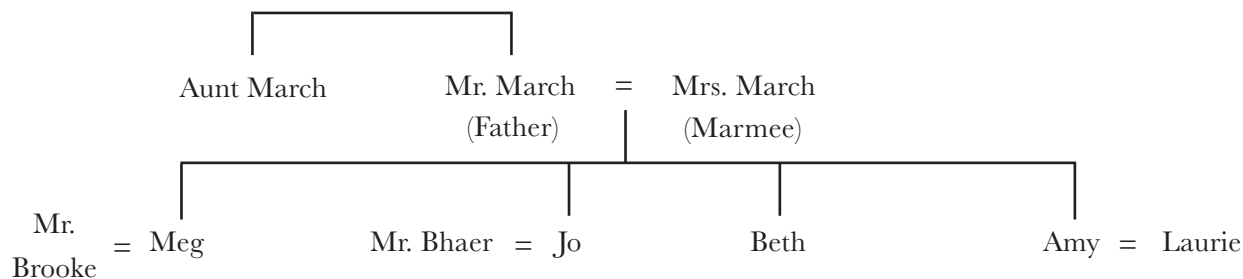


1a



1b Model answer:

Positive	Negative	Both positive and negative
beautiful, good, intelligent, happy, kind, lucky	angry, bad, dangerous, lazy, selfish, sad, stupid, vain	new, old, poor, rich, shy

1c 1 Meg    2 Jo    3 Laurie    4 Amy    5 Mr. Bhaer    6 Beth

2 Model answers:

	Who is in the scene?	What is happening?	Why is it important?
a	The March family and a poor family.	The March family take their Christmas breakfast to the poor family.	The March family help people.
b	Jo, Laurie, and Amy	They are skating, but Amy needs help.	Jo forgives Amy for burning her story and says sorry to her.
c	Meg and John Brooke	Meg wears John's new coat.	Meg is learning not to be vain.
d	Jo, Mr. Bhaer, and Mr. and Mrs. March	Jo tells them about Aunt March's house.	Now Jo and Mr. Bhaer can open a school for little boys with no mothers.

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- 1 Their father helped a friend and lost his money.
  - 2 Laurie lives with his grandfather because his parents died.
  - 3 She writes a story for a newspaper and she sells her hair.
  - 4 They meet in France.
  - 5 He helps poor people with his money.

### 4 Letter 1

From Father to Marmee  
Father thinks of the girls every day and night. They must be good. Then, he can be proud of his little women.

### Letter 2

From the hospital to Marmee  
Father is ill and Marmee must come to Washington.

### Letter 3

From Jo to Marmee and Beth  
Jo has a new friend, Mr. Bhaer, in New York.

### Letter 4

From home to Amy  
Beth has died.

### Letter 5

From Mr. Bhaer to Jo  
Jo must write stories.

### 5 *Reader's own answer.*