

Harry Potter and Sorcerer's Stone

Analyze and Review

Character Analysis

- Harry Potter
- Uncle Vernon Dursley
- Aunt Petunia Dursley
- Dudley Dursley
- Headmaster Albus Dumbledore
- Rubeus Hagrid
- Professor Minerva McGonagall



The Boy Who Lived

- The wizarding world is celebrating the death of you know who (Voldemort)
- Vernon and Petunia are Muggles and the only relatives of Harry Potter
- They do not even acknowledge that Petunia has a sister
- Harry Potter's parents Lily and James are dead
- Voldemort is dead
- Harry, a baby, is left alive with a lightning bolt scar on his forehead
- Dumbledore, McGonngall and Hagrid deliver Harry

The Vanishing Glass

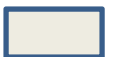


- It is Dudley's birthday and against their better judgment, the Dursley's take Harry along to the zoo with them
- Harry has been involved in several unexplainable experiences and meeting people he doesn't know who seem to know him
- The glass disappears at the snake cage, allowing the snake to escape
- Harry speaks with the snake and the snake understands him



The Letters From No One

- Letters begin showing up everywhere Harry goes, addressed specifically: *Mr. H. Potter, the cupboard under the stairs, 4 Privet Drive, Little Whinging, Surrey*
- Harry is not allowed to see the letters
- The letters arrive in massive amounts over time
- Vernon drives the family to many places to avoid the letters
- They wind up on a windswept island with a rickety shack
- It is exactly as Harry turns 11 when he is found



Ch. 4 The Keeper of the Keys

- Harry meets Rubeus Hagrid, “Keeper of the Keys and Grounds at Hogwarts” (Hagrid is a half giant)
- Harry is invited to attend Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry
- Harry learns he is a Wizard and that his parents were wizards and that Voldemort murdered his parents
- Harry is instructed to leave with Hagrid to begin his career at Hogwarts
- The Dursley’s let him go but not before having Dudley earning a pig’s tail from Hagrid

Ch. 5 Diagon Alley

- Harry is first recognized in the Leaky Cauldron and realizes he is famous in the wizarding world
- Hagrid takes Harry to Diagon Alley where the magic world does all its business
- Harry learns he has a fortune left for him by his parents at Gringotts Bank
- Hagrid retrieves a mysterious item from the bank
- Harry gets all his supplies including his owl, Hedwig, and he learns at Ollivander's Wand shop that the wand that chooses him is the identical wand that gave him the scar and killed his parents

Ch. 6 Platform Nine and Three Quarters

- Harry meets the Weasley family who teach him how to magically get to the Hogwarts Express
- Weasley family is introduced: Percy, George, Fred, Ron, Ginny and Mrs. Weasley
- Characters Introduced:
- Hermione Granger: Clearly an overachieving girl, sort of bossy, with bushy brown hair
- Neville Longbottom: round faced boy who lost his toad
- Draco Malfoy: Thin, pale boy, judgmental, arrogant has two large pals Crabbe and Goyle

Ch. 7 The Sorting Hat

- The sorting hat sorts all new Hogwarts students into their Houses: Hufflepuff, Ravenclaw, Slytherin and Gryffindor
- Harry does not want to be placed in Slytherin. The sorting hat tells him he would do well in Slytherin, but ultimately places Harry in Gryffindor
- Many of Harry's newfound friends wind up in Gryffindor: Ron, Hermione, Neville and Seamus
- Draco Malfoy is placed in Slytherin
- Dumbledore offers welcoming speeches



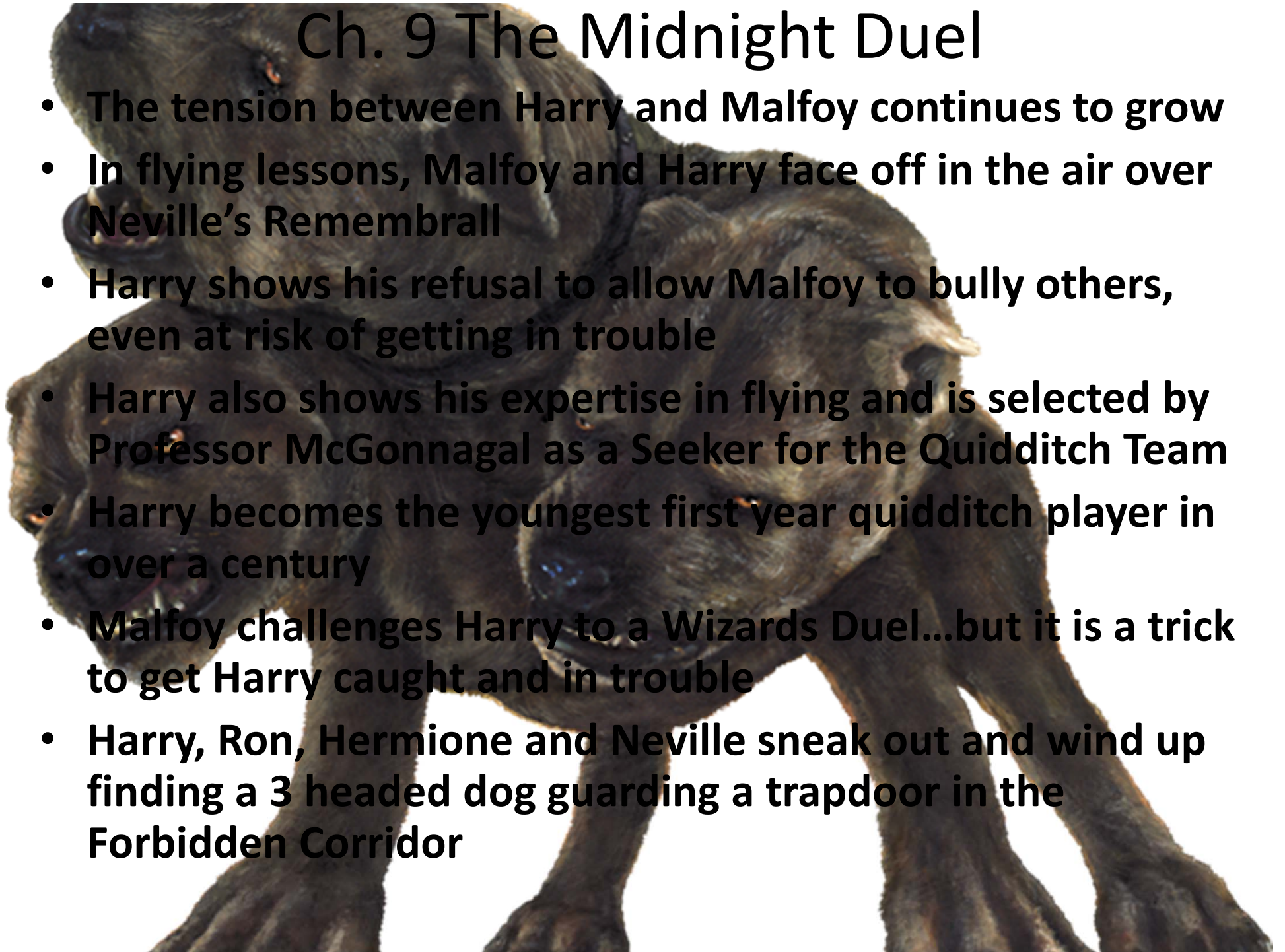
Ch. 8 The Potions Master

- Harry begins to learn his way around the school, all the while many students are going out of their way to see and meet him
- Harry has numerous classes but the most crucial one is with Potions with Professor Severus Snape.
- Snape makes it very clear he hates Harry
- Harry and Ron meet with Hagrid and Harry realizes that Hagrid knows about what was taken from Gringotts and that Snape dislikes Harry



Ch. 9 The Midnight Duel

- The tension between Harry and Malfoy continues to grow
- In flying lessons, Malfoy and Harry face off in the air over Neville's Remembrall
- Harry shows his refusal to allow Malfoy to bully others, even at risk of getting in trouble
- Harry also shows his expertise in flying and is selected by Professor McGonnagal as a Seeker for the Quidditch Team
- Harry becomes the youngest first year quidditch player in over a century
- Malfoy challenges Harry to a Wizards Duel...but it is a trick to get Harry caught and in trouble
- Harry, Ron, Hermione and Neville sneak out and wind up finding a 3 headed dog guarding a trapdoor in the Forbidden Corridor

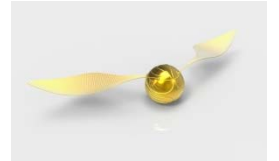


Ch. 10 Halloween



- Harry is introduced to the ins and outs of Quidditch with Oliver Wood...Harry is the Seeker
- Hermione has her feelings hurt by Ron's comments and hides out in the bathroom
- A mountain troll is announced to have broken into Hogwarts
- Harry and Ron leave to save Hermione and wind up saving her...defeating the troll
- Hermione lies to keep them out of trouble and from that day forward, their friendship becomes solid

Ch. 11 Quidditch



- The Quidditch game is described with great detail
- Key point: Harry's broom becomes bewitched causing him to lose control
- Hermione and Ron are convinced it is Snape and when they force him to break eye contact with Harry in the air, Harry regains control of his broom, catching the snitch and winning the game
- The three friends find out from Hagrid that the 3 headed dog (Fluffy) is guarding something that was given to Dumbledore by a Nicolas Flamel
- Hagrid assures the trio that Snape is not trying to steal whatever it is, even though Snape was clearly bitten by Fluffy on Halloween



Ch. 12 The Mirror of Erised



- Harry spends the Winter holiday at Hogwarts, during which time he receives a cloak of invisibility, which he does not know who gave it to him
- He uses the cloak to sneak into the restricted section of the library seeking more information about Nicolas Flamel
- In an effort not to be caught out at night Harry escapes Filch and Snape and finds the Mirror of Erised
- In the mirror, he sees his mother and father looking back at him
- Dumbledore finds and warns Harry that what is seen in the mirror can never be real

Ch. 13 Nicolas Flamel

- **Snape is selected to referee the next quidditch match, which is out of the ordinary**
- **Harry finds Nicolas Flamel on the back of the Dumbledore wizard card**
- **Flamel was an alchemist who developed the Sorcerer's Stone, which turns any metal into gold and holds the power of immortality (Flamel worked with Dumbledore)**
- **After winning the quidditch match, Harry follows Snape and listens on a meeting with Quirrell in the Forbidden Forest**
- **Snape questions Quirrell's allegiance and warns him they will discuss the stone later**
- **Snape is aware that Harry knows about the stone**

Norbert the Norwegian Ridgeback

- Hagrid obtains a dragon egg after a night out
- It is illegal to keep and raise dragons so the friends arrange to have Charlie, Ron's brother take the dragon
- Norbert is born and is too much to handle
- The trio manage to safely get Norbert away from Hogwarts, but Malfoy has witnessed them all in possession of an illegal dragon
- In the end, Hermione, Harry and Malfoy wind up getting caught out of their dorms

CHAPTER FOURTEEN



NORBERT THE
NORWEGIAN RIDGEBACK

The Forbidden Forest

- Harry, Neville, Hermione and Draco are assigned punishment for their rule breaking
- They are instructed to seek out a unicorn that has been killed, with the help of Hagrid and Fang
- They meet a few of Centaurs in the forest (Ronan, Bane and Firenze) who forewarn there is something evil in the forest that does not belong there, and that killing unicorns is extremely evil and to do so is only to serve to perform bad magic
- Harry finds the creature that has been killing the unicorns. It causes Harry's scar to give him incredible pain
- It is discovered that the creature is Voldemort and he needs the sorcerer's stone to come back to full life

Through the Trapdoor

- Against all better judgment, Harry, Ron and Hermione decide they need to go through the trapdoor and get to the sorcerer's stone before Snape
- They discover that Hagrid accidentally gave away the secret on how to get past Fluffy
- They tell McGonagal, who tells them to leave it alone, and that Dumbledore has been called away to London
- The trio faces many trials (Fluffy, deadly vines, poison, flying skills and wizards chess)

The Man With Two Faces

- Harry reaches the inner room and realizes he is facing off against Professor Quirrell (not Snape)
- Quirrel explains he is seeking the stone hidden in the Mirror of Erised for his master Voldemort
- Quirrell is actually become the human host for Voldemort, who has fused with Quirrell to stay alive
- Harry cannot be touched by Quirrell/Voldemort and Harry's scar sears every time he is touched
- Voldemort wants Harry dead and tries to use Harry to retrieve the Stone from the Mirror

The Man With Two Faces

- Harry learns many things in his encounter with the newly resurrected spirit of Voldemort: Voldemort killed both his parents but Harry's mother loved him so, that she was part of saving Harry's life
- Through Dumbledore's ingenuity, the Stone winds up safely in Harry's pocket and before Voldemort can curse Harry, Dumbledore arrives and saves Harry (who has blacked out)
- Dumbledore can't yet tell Harry why Voldemort wants him dead, Snape actually tried to save Harry, the Sorcerer's Stone is destroyed, Gryffindor wins the house cup!
- In your **Face**, Evil!!!