**The Last Spin**

1. Where does this story take place?

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1. Write down all you know about the two characters in the story. Complete the following table.

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| Danny | Tigo |
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1. What happens in the story?

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1. Complete the following by finding a word that would match.

In “The Last Spin” the background is one of city \_\_\_\_\_ culture, but in the course of the story, the two boys change from being “\_\_\_\_\_” to \_\_\_\_\_\_. This is because they realise that they have a great deal in\_\_\_\_\_, and they would like each other’s \_\_\_\_\_ much better than that of their respective gangs.

The two boys go through a difficult experience together, and each realises the \_\_\_\_\_ the other has demonstrated. The tragedy at the end shows that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(in the form of the gangs) can \_\_\_\_\_the possibility of true\_\_\_\_\_\_, and waste \_\_\_\_\_life.

This moral does not just apply to gang members in\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_: young people the world over often miss out on the potential for true \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_because of peer pressure in the \_\_\_\_\_\_they live in. Can you think of examples where you live?

Write it down here: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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