

## **Two Robots (Part 1)**

My job is to help you glue your ideas together, OK?

Yeah.

OK. So tell me, what is your topic? What characters do you like?

I like robots.

Robots.

And I was thinking, if there was a character named Nicholas that I made up.

Nicholas is a special robot?

He's like, a square on wheels, and with a whole bunch of circles on top that have, like-- you know those poles with hinges on them? You know--

Yes.

He has those, so he can extend to full-height. And he has protections in case of danger.

OK. So I understand Nicholas is your character.

And he's, like, 40 feet tall or something.

I can kind of imagine what he might look like. You know, he kind of might look like this big bookshelf over here.

He doesn't look like a bookshelf.

No, he got wheels and he's a square. Oh, maybe-- I see a smaller one. You see that counter--

Oh, no.

--over there?

He's 40 feet tall and he--

Oh, he's big. OK, then he is this one.

Yeah. And--

Come see him.

[KNOCKING]

Also, Ms. Brenda, he's a square on wheels. And then, on top of that square, there's, like, these folding circle things.

So, gentlemen, come look at him. And let's see if we can figure out how to make him into a better robot. So this is the guy, right?

This is his-- this needs to be square because it's a flat square. And on top of it all, there's these circle thingies.

OK. So, I'll give you a choice. This guy's a rectangle.

Yeah.

This guy over here, he's a little squarer.

But he isn't that tall.

He isn't that big, but he can move faster. Would you rather have him pretend to be a robot?

I'd have him, but let's just pretend he's 40 feet tall.

OK. Let's bring him over to our stage. We'll leave them right here.

And he works for me--

And we'll go back to our writing table.

--except the [INAUDIBLE]