

## Setting

*The settings in the novel play a crucial role because they increasingly help to define the moral and social climate for the novel and also because they provide a mirror for the characters' emotions.*

1. Complete the table below to show the location, events and their importance in each chapter. (Enlarge to A3.)

SETTING			
CHAPTER	LOCATION	EVENT(S)	IMPORTANCE

## Significance of key settings

→ East Egg

→ West Egg

→ The Valley of Ashes

→ New York City

2. Using the locations listed above, complete the table to explain their significance in the novel. (Enlarge to A3.)

SIGNIFICANCE OF KEY SETTING				
LOCATION	CHAPTER(S)	WHICH EVENTS TAKE PLACE HERE?	WHAT DOES THE SETTING SIGNIFY AND SYMBOLISE?	TEXTUAL EVIDENCE