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1. Create a T-chart in which you list the barber’s arguments for and against killing Captain Torres.

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| Reasons for killing Torres | Reasons against killing Torres |
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2. How does the author intend us to feel about Captain Torres? Find evidence in the story to support your answer.

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3. Do you agree or disagree with the barber’s decision? Explain. What would you do if you were the barber?

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4. Creative Response-Choose one of the following options:

A) Develop this short story into a comic. Include the thoughts of the barber. Different angles could be used to produce the desired suspense (For example: close-ups of the blade, bloodshot eyes, long shots of the chair and the men).

B) In groups of two, choose a small section of the short story to recreate as a script and act it out. How would the thoughts of the barber sound? What sort of physical actions and tone would the barber use as he is thinking his conflicting thoughts about murdering the Captain?