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Speaking of Kyle

In *Beastly*, the way Lindy and Kendra see Kyle—and the way Kyle sees himself—is revealed largely through what they say. **Directions:** Complete the chart to explain what the quotes listed show about how each character views Kyle, and how that character’s view changes over the course of the play.

LINDY		
<p>QUOTE 1</p> <p>“Well, in the three years we’ve been at school together, you’ve only spoken to me once . . .” —Scene 2</p> <p>What this reveals about how Lindy sees Kyle:</p>	<p>QUOTE 2</p> <p>“Some people think he was a jerk, but he wasn’t such a bad guy deep down.” —Scene 3</p> <p>What this reveals about how Lindy sees Kyle:</p>	<p>QUOTE 3</p> <p>“ . . . you’re not ugly.” —Scene 8</p> <p>What this reveals about how Lindy sees Kyle:</p>

KENDRA		
<p>QUOTE 1</p> <p>“Shouldn’t the Green Committee president actually care about things green?” —Scene 1</p> <p>What this reveals about how Kendra sees Kyle:</p>	<p>QUOTE 2</p> <p>“You learned nothing.” —Scene 3</p> <p>What this reveals about how Kendra sees Kyle:</p>	<p>QUOTE 3</p> <p>“I’m proud of you.” —Scene 8</p> <p>What this reveals about how Kendra sees Kyle:</p>

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SCHOLASTIC SCOPE

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KYLE

QUOTE 1

“Should you vote for me just because I’m the rich, popular, good-looking guy? Heck yeah! Embrace reality, people: Beautiful people get it better.”
—Scene 1

What this reveals about how Kyle sees himself:

QUOTE 2

(*as Hunter, talking to Lindy about “Kyle”*)
“He’s a decent guy at heart?”
—Scene 6

What this reveals about how Kyle sees himself:

QUOTE 3

“I have a story to tell you about love and how it can change a person. . . .”
—Scene 7

What this reveals about how Kyle sees himself:

Now use your completed graphic organizer to help you answer the following question.

(You can write on the back of this paper or on another sheet of paper.)

How does the way Lindy, Kendra, and Kyle see Kyle change over the course of the play? What causes the changes?