

Week 1 Assessment

Directions: Choose the letter representing the best answer for each question.

1. Responsibility Requires _____.
 - A. Effort
 - B. Wholeness
 - C. Action
 - D. Moderation.

2. Winnie Foster can be considered the story's _____.
 - A. Hero.
 - B. Protagonist.
 - C. Antagonist.
 - D. Narrator.

3. *Tuck Everlasting* is set in which city?
 - A. Treegap
 - B. Alturus
 - C. Arrowhead
 - D. Crescent City

4. In *Tuck Everlasting*, the word *perilous* most closely means,
 - A. Safety and security.
 - B. Danger or risk.
 - C. Fun and games.
 - D. Peace or quiet.

5. What does the toad Winnie talks to symbolize?
 - A. Creativity
 - B. Lack of fear
 - C. A bad omen or death
 - D. One's ability to fly free

6. When Winnie wants to take a drink from the spring, what does Jesse Tuck tell her?
- A. Drink it slowly because it is so cold
 - B. It would be a big mistake
 - C. She cannot drink because it is a private spring
 - D. It tastes great and enjoy
7. Who witnesses Winnie being taken by the Tucks?
- A. The toad at her gate.
 - B. Nobody they got away undetected.
 - C. The man in the yellow suit.
 - D. Mama
8. The Tuck's secret was,
- A. They are from another planet.
 - B. They do not have any secrets.
 - C. They are unable to grow, age or die.
 - D. They are the wealthiest family.
9. Who is the author of Tuck Everlasting?
- A. Natalie Babbitt
 - B. Graham Salisbury
 - C. Gary Paulsen
 - D. Christopher Paul Curtis
10. Winnie can be best described as,
- A. Uncaring, spoiled
 - B. Caring, compassionate and strong.
 - C. Curious, outgoing and a kind.
 - D. Temperamental, rude

Week 2 Assessment

Directions: Choose the letter representing the best answer for each question.

1. How does Tuck feel about the Man in the Yellow suit seeing the Tuck family leaving with Winnie is,
 - A. He is angry and belligerent.
 - B. He believes people will just become like rocks along the road, never changing.
 - C. He doesn't have a good feeling about him.
 - D. He hopes that he will take her back to the parents.
2. What is Tuck's reasoning for why the spring must remain a secret? He believes,
 - A. It's his responsibility to teach the kids responsibility.
 - B. Trying to keep a secret is a full time job.
 - C. It is hard to be immortal.
 - D. He doesn't believe it should be a secret.
3. Tuck believed all were examples of "the wheel" except:
 - A. Water to the ocean.
 - B. Dying.
 - C. Money and inflation.
 - D. Being born.
4. Place the following events in chronological order:
 1. The Tucks are still trying to convince Winnie not to say anything.
 2. Miles takes Winnie fishing early in the morning on the pond.
 3. Winnie is starting to miss home.
 4. The constable tells the Fosters that the man in the yellow suit was dead.
 5. The man in the yellow suit shows up at the Tucks during breakfast.
 - A. 1, 3, 4, 2, 5
 - B. 3, 2, 1, 4, 5
 - C. 3, 1, 2, 5, 4
 - D. 3, 1, 2, 4, 5

5. Tuck describes himself and his family as,
- A. Romantic.
 - B. Genius.
 - C. Athletes.
 - D. Rocks.
6. Page 81, “her toad, she thought now, *almost fondly*.” Which word or phrase best describes the antonym of fondly?
- A. Lovingly
 - B. Hatefully
 - C. Indifferent
 - D. Confident
7. The thing that Tuck wants most is to,
- A. Make money.
 - B. Stop public.
 - C. Protect the spring.
 - D. Be understood.
8. Consciousness is,
- A. Neglect.
 - B. Moral responsibility
 - C. Alertness.
 - D. Moral, ethical, and lawful.
9. How should the constable have acted when he heard of the Tucks taking Winnie Foster?
- A. Acknowledged it by riding out and investigating it.
 - B. Make them aware of his presence.
 - C. Ignore the accusations of the man in the yellow suit.
 - D. Take a report and send out a deputy
10. Winnie sees Tuck as a,
- A. Self-involved jerk.
 - B. Brilliant business man.
 - C. Loving father.
 - D. Wise, compassionate man.

Week 3 Assessment

Directions: Choose the letter representing the best answer for each question.

1. What style did the author use to write the novel?
 - A. Argument, proving a point.
 - B. Narrative, telling the story.
 - C. Letter format to finalize details.
 - D. None of the above.
2. Which genre best describes *Tuck Everlasting*?
 - A. Non-fiction
 - B. Fantasy
 - C. Mystery
 - D. Biography
3. "Responsibility Requires _____. "
 - A. Action
 - B. Restraint
 - C. Compassion
 - D. Wholeness
4. The plan to get Mae out of jail includes everything except,
 - A. Removing the window of the jail cell
 - B. Poisoning the constable
 - C. Mae climbing out the window
 - D. Winnie slipping in and posing as Mae
5. What does Winnie do to the toad,
 - A. Puts it out of its misery
 - B. Feeds it to a dog and laughs about it
 - C. She poured water from the spring on it
 - D. Put it in a shoebox and kept it as a pet
6. What happened in Treegap while the Tucks were away?
 - A. A big electrical storm
 - B. Earthquake
 - C. Tornado
 - D. Construction company came in and tore down the wood

7. When does Jesse tell Winnie she should drink the water he gave her?
- A. When she graduates from high school
 - B. When she is 17
 - C. When she gets married
 - D. When she is 21
8. Tuck's reaction to finding Winnie's gravestone was
- A. Sadness
 - B. Disappointment
 - C. Acceptance
 - D. All of the above
9. In the title, "*Tuck Everlasting*" what word or phrase most closely describes *Everlasting*?
- A. Temporary
 - B. Fleeting
 - C. Eternal
 - D. No hue
10. Winnie did all of the following before going to jail to help break Mae out except,
- A. Squirmed
 - B. Sat in the rocker
 - C. Lay down
 - D. Went for a walk in the woods
11. Put the following events in chronological order based on the events in the novel
- 1. Jesse gives Winnie a bottle of water.
 - 2. Two neighborhood kids try to light Shawn on fire.
 - 3. Mae is arrested and taken to jail
 - 4. Jesse meets Winnie at midnight and they run to the jail together.
 - 5. Winnie saves the toad and sprinkles it with spring water.
- A. 3, 1, 2, 4, 5
 - B. 1, 5, 4, 2, 3
 - C. 3, 5, 1, 2, 4
 - D. 2, 5, 4, 1, 3

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12. Which word or phrase does not describe Winnie ?

- A. Loyal
- B. Responsible
- C. Curious
- D. Stubborn

13. Jesse Tuck would be considered a _____ person.

- A. Pessimistic
- B. Compassionate
- C. Hateful
- D. Self-loathing

Answer Keys

Week 1 Assessment

1. C
2. B
3. A
4. B
5. A
6. B
7. C
8. C
9. A
10. C

Week 2 Assessment

1. C
2. C
3. C
4. C
5. D
6. B
7. C
8. C
9. A
10. D

Week 3 Assessment

1. B
2. B
3. A
4. B
5. C
6. A
7. B
8. D
9. C
10. D
11. A
12. D
13. B