

Week 1 Assessment

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

1. Leadership Requires _____.
 - A. Action.
 - B. Effort.
 - C. Engagement.
 - D. Management.

2. What caused everyone over the age of 12 to die?
 - A. A violent revolution.
 - B. A deadly virus.
 - C. A nuclear explosion.
 - D. Eating contaminated food.

3. In the phrase “If she could learn to drive the car, then she and Todd could really stock up...” (34,) the word *stock* most closely means:
 - A. To follow someone carefully.
 - B. A branch of a tree.
 - C. Acquire a large amount of something.
 - D. Distribute items to the poor.

4. In *The Girl Who Owned the City*, the point of view of the narrator is
 - A. First person.
 - B. Third person limited omniscient.
 - C. Third person objective.
 - D. Third person omniscient.

5. The setting of the novel is Glen Ellyn, which is a suburb of:
 - A. Chicago.
 - B. Los Angeles.
 - C. Detroit.
 - D. Houston.

6. Place the following events in chronological order:
1. Lisa relocates to a farm.
 2. Lisa moves headquarters to the abandoned high school.
 3. Lisa drives a car.
 4. A militia is formed.
- A. 1, 2, 4, 3
B. 1, 2, 3, 4
C. 3, 1, 4, 2
D. 4, 1, 2, 3
7. The main character Lisa plans to get the world back to the way it was by:
- A. Relaxing and enjoying nature.
B. Building hospitals, schools, and electricity.
C. Pretending that the disaster never happened.
D. Killing off her opponents.
8. The word *cleverly* in the phrase “would they have believed that she had survived so cleverly” most closely means:
- A. Without care.
B. Intelligently.
C. Lazily.
D. Responsibly.
9. Who is the author of *The Girl Who Owned a City*?
- A. John Steinbeck
B. O.T Nelson
C. Amy Tan
D. Zora Neale Hurston
10. Who was responsible for burning down Lisa’s home?
- A. Tom Logan and his gang.
B. Lisa’s brother.
C. Jill.
D. Craig

Week 2 Assessment

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

1. Lisa and Todd survive by:
 - A. Building a machine that produces manufactured food.
 - B. Looting from shops and abandoned houses.
 - C. Asking their aunt for help.
 - D. Communicating telepathically with one another.

2. Lisa says she would rather _____ that be forced to share against her will.
 - A. Be put in a cave with a dangerous monster.
 - B. Shave her head.
 - C. Burn the warehouse with all the supplies in it.
 - D. Live with another family.

3. In the sentence "They were proud of their work, and many of them were beginning to share Lisa's feeling that working to survive and feeling proud of it could be a sort of happiness" (92) the word *proud* most closely means
 - A. Feelings of dismay.
 - B. Intense concentration.
 - C. Feeling of pleasure or satisfaction.
 - D. Betrayal.

4. Place the following events in chronological order:
 1. Lisa calls a neighborhood meeting to formulate a plan including a militia and guard dogs.
 2. Todd and Lisa create an alarm system and defenses for their home.
 3. Lisa and Craig figure out 6 places to hide food and supplies to protect them from gangs.
 4. Lisa gets into a fender bender on her trip to the warehouse.
 - A. 2, 1, 3, 4
 - B. 2, 4, 3, 1
 - C. 2, 1, 3, 4
 - D. 3, 2, 1, 4

5. Moving headquarters to a farm is problematic because:
- A. The other children are forming gangs.
 - B. It would be difficult to defend from others.
 - C. It would not be exciting to live on a farm.
 - D. All of the above.
6. At first, who leads the Chidester gang?
- A. Lisa.
 - B. Todd.
 - C. Jill.
 - D. Tom.
7. The word *despite* in the sentence “Despite her problems, Lisa never got tired of ‘figuring things out’” (85,) most closely means
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8. Lisa says that _____ is better than crying, praying, or forming a gang.
- A. Using the Internet.
 - B. Using her head to figure things out.
 - C. Using her physical strength.
 - D. Asking her ancestors for help.
9. Who does Lisa trust with the knowledge of the secret warehouse, farm, and insurance policy for Todd?
- A. Craig
 - B. Jill
 - C. The Chidester Gang
 - D. The Lake Ellyn government officials
10. What event inspires the Granville community to declare an official holiday?
- A. Stopping the negative actions of the Chidester gang.
 - B. The capture of neighborhood spies.
 - C. The ability to communicate with the Lisa’s parents.
 - D. The ability to grow tomatoes despite the cold weather on the farm.

Week 3 Assessment

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1. Lisa's original plans for Glenbard castle included all of the following *except*
 - A. Trained attack dogs.
 - B. Trucks.
 - C. Guards trained in martial arts.
 - D. Centralizing the community.

2. Glenbard is equipped with all of the following rooms:
 - A. Spa, movie theater, and dungeons.
 - B. Motorcycle garage, greenhouse, and indoor pool.
 - C. Gymnasium, locker rooms, chemistry lab.
 - D. Strategy rooms, game room, hospital, library.

3. In the sentence "The girl who built a city was suddenly powerless – a captive, or worse" (156,) the word *captive* most closely means
 - A. Prisoner.
 - B. Refugee.
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4. Lisa's surgery happens as a result of:
 - A. Lisa falling from a ledge in the barn.
 - B. Lisa being shot.
 - C. Lisa's wound from an attack dog.
 - D. Lisa being knocked unconscious from a fist fight.

5. Place the following events in chronological order:
 1. Todd helps Jill with surgery.
 2. The gang shoots Lisa.
 3. Glenbard celebrates its beginning.
 4. The Grand Avenue Community moves to Glenbard.
 - A. 3, 2, 1, 4
 - B. 1, 3, 4, 2
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6. Todd helps retake Glenbard in which way:
- A. Volunteering to go undercover as a spy.
 - B. Planning to cut off the source of food.
 - C. Poisoning the water supply.
 - D. Creating a trip wire to trap his opponents.
7. The point of view of the novel helps us to:
- A. Know what some of the characters are thinking.
 - B. Provides details as to the setting of the novel.
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8. The word *earned* in the sentence "Are you afraid that you can't earn things for yourself?" (197) most closely means
- A. Work for.
 - B. Beg.
 - C. Describe.
 - D. Celebrate.
9. What is the most important value that the author presents in this novel?
- A. Courage requires commitment.
 - B. Justice requires restraint.
 - C. Leadership requires engagement.
 - D. Responsibility takes effort.
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Answer Key

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

Week 2 Assessment

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

Week 3 Assessment

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

Final Assessment

1. C
2. D
3. D
4. A
5. B
6. B
7. A
8. B
9. A
10. C
11. D
12. A
13. C
14. D
15. B
16. B
17. D
18. D
19. C
20. A