

Week 1 Assessment

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

1. Leadership Requires _____.
 - A. Action.
 - B. Wholeness.
 - C. Engagement.
 - D. Restraint.
2. The poison bottle of wine is intended for _____.
 - A. Lyra.
 - B. Lord Asriel.
 - C. the Master
 - D. the Chaplain.
3. Lofur Ragnison wants _____ more than anything.
 - A. friends.
 - B. wealth.
 - C. a daemon.
 - D. power.
4. In *The Golden Compass*, the point of view of the novel is
 - A. third person omniscient.
 - B. first person limited.
 - C. third person.
5. The word *patronize* most closely means:
 - A. belittle.
 - B. patriotic.
 - C. passionate.
 - D. frustrating.

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 4. Lyra and Roger discover the crypts where the Scholars are all buried. All the dead have a plaque or coin representing their daemons.
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B. 1, 2, 3, 4
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D. 4, 1, 2, 3
7. Where is the setting of *The Golden Compass*?
- A. Cambridge, United Kingdom
B. Magdalen College, Oxford
C. London, United Kingdom
D. Jordan College, Oxford
8. The word *instinctively* most closely means:
- A. wise.
B. immortal.
C. extinct.
D. intuitively.
9. Who is the author of *The Golden Compass*?
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B. Philip Pullman
C. David Scutt
D. C.S. Lewis

10. Why does the Master tell Lyra she must leave?
- A. Because the Gobblers are a threat to her safety.
 - B. Because she needs to go school with other children, like Roger.
 - C. Because she needs to have feminine guidance and a more structured education.
 - D. Because she does not respect the rules and was caught disrespecting the burial grounds of the scholars.

Week 2 Assessment

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

1. Why does Lyra run away from Mrs. Coulter?
 - A. to help Lord Asriel.
 - B. to find Roger.
 - C. because the golden monkey hurt Pan.
 - D. because she does trust Mrs. Coulter.

2. Who wants to rescue the children that have been captured by the Gobblers?
 - A. the armored bears.
 - B. scholars at Jordan College in Oxford
 - C. Mrs. Coulter.
 - D. the gyptians.

3. The word *discreetly* most closely means:
 - A. unnoticeably.
 - B. tastefully.
 - C. inconspicuously.
 - D. All of the above.

4. Place the following events in chronological order:
1. A man in a top hat buys her food for Lyra.
 2. The golden monkey hurts Pan.
 3. Lyra learns about her birth father and mother.
 4. Lyra starts to learn how to read the alethiometer.
 5. Lyra and the gyptians leave England, and are now heading north.
- A. 2, 3, 1, 4, 5
B. 2, 4, 3, 1, 5
C. 2, 1, 3, 4, 5
D. 3, 2, 1, 4, 5
5. John Faa announces that any gyptian who turns in Lyra to the police will be _____.
- A. shunned by the entire community.
B. hung.
C. rewarded with gold.
D. persecuted.
6. Why was Ma Costa so loving towards Lyra?
- A. Because Ma Costa is Lyra' birth mother.
B. Because Lord Asriel is Lyra's birth father.
C. Because Ma Costa took care of Lyra as a baby.
D. Because Mrs. Coulter is Lyra's birth mother.
7. Lord Faa asked each gyptian family donate _____ and _____.
- A. gold and bread.
B. silver and men.
C. fish and bread.
D. gold and men.

8. What did Lord Faa learn from the injured spy?
- A. that the spies captured some Gobblers.
 - B. that Lord Boreal is involved with the Gobblers.
 - C. that kids were being taken north.
 - D. All of the above.
9. The word *gratification* most closely means
- A. satisfaction.
 - B. protocol.
 - C. politeness.
 - D. etiquette.
10. Lyra joined the mission North because _____.
- A. she hides in the boat before the mission left England.
 - B. she convinced John Faa that it would be useful to have a child on the mission.
 - C. she practiced and learned how to use the alethiometer.
 - D. she is at risk of being captured by the police and this can put all the gyptian.

Week 3 Assessment

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

1. The sailor mentions to Lyra that your _____ reveals what kind of person you are.
 - A. honesty.
 - B. personality.
 - C. character.
 - D. daemon

2. Iorek Byrnison agrees to help them, but only _____.
 - A. in exchange for his armor back from the local people.
 - B. if Lyra gives him her alethiometer.
 - C. for a large price tag.
 - D. All of the above.

3. The word *incomprehensible* most closely means:
 - A. science fiction.
 - B. unmotivated.
 - C. unfathomable.
 - D. fantasy.

4. Place the following events in chronological order:
1. Iorek lubricates his armor with seal blubber.
 2. Lyra consults the alethiometer and finds out where Iorek Byrnison's armor is hidden.
 3. The Gyptians decide to put in at Trollesund, to gain the support or neutrality of the locals before searching for the Gobblers.
 4. Iorek takes Lyra and Tony back to the Gyptians.
 5. Iorek tells Lyra about his home in Svalbard.
- A. 2, 3, 1, 4, 5
B. 2, 4, 3, 1, 5
C. 2, 1, 3, 4, 5
D. 3, 2, 1, 4, 5
5. _____ tells Lyra about the defenses at Bolvanger and that there is a lost child or a ghost in a village nearby.
- A. Tony Makarios.
B. Lord Faa.
C. alethiometer.
D. Farder Coram.
6. How does Lord Asriel open a door into another world?
- A. with force.
B. with dust.
C. with fire.
D. with the alethiometer.
7. When Lyra finds Tony Makarios _____.
- A. she sees his daemon was cut from him.
B. she finds him dead.
C. she discovers that he was working with Mrs. Coulter.
D. None of the above.
E. All of the above.

8. Lyra scratched *Ratter*'s name on a gold coin and put the coin in the body's mouth _____.
- A. to complete the burial ceremony.
 - B. to represent a disgraceful death.
 - C. to represent his lost daemon.
 - D. to represent an honorable death.
9. The word *obligation* most closely means
- A. commitment.
 - B. guilty.
 - C. council.
 - D. frustrated.
10. Bella, Annie, and Martha tell Lyra that the children are measured for Dust regularly and that many disappear when _____ arrives.
- A. gyptians.
 - B. the Master.
 - C. Lord Asriel.
 - D. Mrs. Coulter.

Week 4 Assessment

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

1. Lyra and *Kaisa* enter a room marked "entry strictly forbidden" and find _____.
 - A. the golden monkey.
 - B. gyptian children.
 - C. daemons.
 - D. All of the above.
 - E. None of the above.

2. Lyra tells Roger and Billy _____.
 - A. that she appreciates their friendship and thinks of them as her brothers.
 - B. that she is scared of her destiny.
 - C. that the escape will take place the next time the fire bell rings.
 - D. that she wants to make a plan to save all the children.

3. The word *rectified* most closely means:
 - A. wrecked.
 - B. worsen.
 - C. corrected.
 - D. muddle.

4. Place the following events in chronological order:
1. Mrs. Coulter tries to take the alethiometer from Lyra.
 2. Lyra talks to Billy Costa and tells him that the gyptians are coming to rescue them.
 3. Mrs. Coulter tells the men that Lord Asriel has been sentenced to death.
 4. Lyra is thrown out of the basket of the balloon, and wakes up with *Pan* in the snow.
- A. 2, 3, 1, 4
B. 2, 4, 3, 1
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5. Who saves Lyra and *Pan* from being severed?
- A. Lord Asriel.
B. *Kaisa*.
C. Roger.
D. All of the above.
E. None of the above.
6. How does Lyra escape from Mrs. Coulter?
- A. She pulls the fire alarm.
B. She starts a kitchen fire.
C. A mechanical spy attacks Mrs. Coulter.
D. All of the above.
E. None of the above.
7. On the way to Svalbard, Lyra learns _____.
- A. She witches live for hundreds of years.
B. Serafina's boy died a long time ago.
C. Iorek would be the bear king if he hadn't been exiled.
D. All of the above.
E. None of the above.

8. How was Lyra thrown out of the basket of the balloon?
- A. She was pushed out.
 - B. She was thrown out as a distraction when the armored bears attacked.
 - C. the balloon was attacked by cliff-ghasts.
 - D. She threatened to jump out of the balloon and fell out on accident.
9. The word *plausible* most closely means
- A. honest.
 - B. believable.
 - C. stressful.
 - D. sincere.
10. Mrs. Coulter tells Lyra that children are cut from their daemons _____.
- A. to protect them from Dust.
 - B. so they can be children forever.
 - C. to protect them from the Gobblers.
 - D. All of the above.
 - E. None of the above.

Week 5 Assessment

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1. Lyra convinces Iofur that she can _____ if he kills Iorek in battle.
 - A. come out of hiding
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2. In a cell with Lyra is a scholar named Jotham Santelia, who used to be a professor _____.
 - A. at the University Glasgow.
 - B. at Oxford.
 - C. at Jordan College.
 - D. in Scotland.

3. The word *qualifications* most closely means:
 - A. reservation.
 - B. capable.
 - C. quadratic.
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5. Iorek names Lyra "Silvertongue," based on her ability _____.

- A. to lie skillfully.
- B. to be manipulative.
- C. to tell the truth.
- D. to speak leadership that promotes the common good.

6. When Iorek kills Iofur, he _____ and becomes king.

- A. buries Iofur's body
- B. eats his heart
- C. pounds his chest
- D. thanks his creator

7. Lord Asriel tells Lyra when a daemon is severed it generates an immense amount of _____.

- A. wealth and power.
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8. Lord Asriel tells Lyra he wants to find the source of all _____, and destroy it, for the benefit of mankind.
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9. The word *bewildered* most closely means
- A. puzzled.
 - B. aware.
 - C. clear.
 - D. understanding
10. Lyra decides into the other world in the Aurora in order to _____.
- A. avenge the death of her friends.
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Answer Keys

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

Week 2 Assessment

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

Week 3 Assessment

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

Week 4 Assessment

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

Week 5 Assessment

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

Final Assessment

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

- 17. C
- 18. B
- 19. C
- 20. A
- 21. B
- 22. D
- 23. A
- 24. D
- 25. C