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| 1. Why did you choose to read this story? If you didn’t choose it, did you like it? Why or why not? | 2. If you could trade places with one of the characters, which one would it be? Why? | 3. Is anything in this story like something in your own life? How? | 4. Imagine you were the main character. Would you have acted  differently? Explain your answer. |
| 5. Did you like the ending? Why or why not? If not, how do you think it should have ended? | 6. Who is the story about? Name the most important characters. How do you know? | 7. Explain why the author wrote this book. Use at least two key ideas from the book in your answer. | 8. What do you think was the best part of the story? Why did you like it? |
| 9. What does the main character learn in this story? How do you know? Use part of the story in your answer. | 10. Setting: When and where does the story take place? Tell how you know. | 11. What is a problem faced by one of the characters? What does that character say or do to solve this problem? | 12. Describe something that happened in the story. Explain why or how this event happened. |
| 13. How do the pictures help you understand the setting or what happened in the story? | 14. Have you read another version of this same story? How are the two versions of the story alike and different? | 15. What is the main purpose of this book? What is the author trying to explain or describe? Use examples from the text. | 16. Were there any words that you didn’t know? What do they mean? How did you figure out their meanings? |
| 17. Who or what is this book mostly about? When and where did the important events take place? | 18. What types of images did you find in this text? What can you learn from each of those images? | 19. What is one point the author is trying to make? What reasons are given to support this point? | 20. Name two or more key/important ideas or events in the book. How are they connected to each other? |
| 21. What text features are used in this book?  How do those features help the reader? | 22. Choose one paragraph and identify the main topic of that paragraph. Use examples from the text to support your answer. | 23. Tell what happened in the beginning, middle and end of this book. Use details from the text to support your answer. | 24. Explain two key ideas from the book. Use a detail from the book to support each key idea. |