

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Instructions:** Read each question carefully and choose the best answer.

1. Where did Lurk get to ride a different kind of horse?
  - Ⓐ the mall
  - Ⓑ the farm
  - Ⓒ the school
2. Lurk was worried because \_\_\_\_\_.
  - Ⓐ the horses were scary
  - Ⓑ the horses were so small
  - Ⓒ the horses were too fast
3. Read this sentence: *The monsters lead Lurk on a **trail** through the woods.* What is a **trail**?
  - Ⓐ a path
  - Ⓑ a horse
  - Ⓒ a fence
4. Lurk was \_\_\_\_\_ because he couldn't ride a horse.
  - Ⓐ sad
  - Ⓑ angry
  - Ⓒ happy
5. Why were the big horses not at the farm?
  - Ⓐ They were all sold.
  - Ⓑ They were being ridden.
  - Ⓒ They were getting new shoes.
6. **Extended Response:** Explain why Lurk wanted lots of quarters at the end of the story.

## Quick Check Answer Sheet

## Monster Cowboy

Main Comprehension Skill: Analyze Character

1. Ⓐ *Story Elements*
2. Ⓑ *Analyze Character*
3. Ⓐ *Vocabulary*
4. Ⓐ *Analyze Character*
5. Ⓒ *Cause and Effect*
6. Answers will vary somewhat but should include the following idea: *Lurk wanted quarters to make the play horse work so his friends would be able to ride the play horse, too.*