

Quick Check

Meeting Father in Plymouth

Name _____ Date _____

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

1. Why were Sarah and her family going to Plymouth?
 - Ⓐ to get her mother a new job
 - Ⓑ to find their lost uncle
 - Ⓒ to meet their father
 - Ⓓ to win a contest
2. How did Sarah feel about going to Plymouth?
 - Ⓐ excited
 - Ⓑ worried
 - Ⓒ sad
 - Ⓓ all of the above
3. Who were the **Puritans**?
 - Ⓐ people who sail a ship
 - Ⓑ families who move to a new place
 - Ⓒ people who started a religion in the 1500s
 - Ⓓ a group of men who wanted to build a new town
4. What did Sarah say that tells you she liked living in England?
 - Ⓐ She hoped Plymouth would be like England.
 - Ⓑ She knew there were only a few children in Plymouth.
 - Ⓒ She was happy about going to Plymouth to see her father.
 - Ⓓ Her father didn't always agree with the king of England.
5. How many days were Sarah and her family on the ship?
 - Ⓐ 10
 - Ⓑ 27
 - Ⓒ 55
 - Ⓓ 81

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6. Why wasn't Sarah's father worried about the children going to school right away?
 - Ⓐ He wanted to make sure everyone had a home and food.
 - Ⓑ He thought they would be returning to England soon.
 - Ⓒ He knew they could already read and write.
 - Ⓓ All of the above
7. What is a **settlement**?
 - Ⓐ a type of sailing ship
 - Ⓑ a place that people move to
 - Ⓒ something that people long ago grew
 - Ⓓ a new type of activity created in America
8. What helped Sarah to feel good about being in Plymouth?
 - Ⓐ the sewing needles
 - Ⓑ the warm fire in the oven
 - Ⓒ her blanket from England
 - Ⓓ all of the above
9. Why had Sarah's father decided to move to Plymouth?
 - Ⓐ to get away from the poverty in England
 - Ⓑ to be free to follow their religion
 - Ⓒ to meet his older brother
 - Ⓓ to have a better house
10. How was Sarah's house in Plymouth different than her house in England?
 - Ⓐ It was smaller.
 - Ⓑ The windows were made of paper.
 - Ⓒ It was made of tree trunks and bark.
 - Ⓓ All of the above
11. **Extended Response:** Why was Sarah happy to be living in Plymouth?

Quick Check Answer Sheet

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Main Comprehension Skill: Story Elements

1. Ⓒ *Cause and Effect*
2. Ⓓ *Analyze Character*
3. Ⓒ *Vocabulary*
4. Ⓐ *Story Elements*
5. Ⓓ *Make Inferences / Draw Conclusions*
6. Ⓐ *Cause and Effect*
7. Ⓑ *Vocabulary*
8. Ⓒ *Story Elements*
9. Ⓑ *Cause and Effect*
10. Ⓓ *Compare and Contrast*
11. Answers will vary but would likely be similar to *Sarah liked living in Plymouth because her whole family was with her including her father.*