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

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| <p>1. When did Leopold's friend realize that young Wolfgang was truly a wonder?</p> <p>Ⓐ when he learned to play the violin</p> <p>Ⓑ when he wrote the requiem</p> <p>Ⓒ when he played a concerto</p> <p>Ⓓ none of the above</p> <p>2. Young Wolfgang shocks the servants when he does what to Marie Antoinette?</p> <p>Ⓐ trips her</p> <p>Ⓑ pinches her</p> <p>Ⓒ tickles her</p> <p>Ⓓ kisses her</p> <p>3. Mozart was _____ years old when he first played the piano.</p> <p>Ⓐ three</p> <p>Ⓑ eight</p> <p>Ⓒ eighteen</p> <p>Ⓓ five</p> | <p>4. Mozart was very poor for most of his adult life because _____.</p> <p>Ⓐ a musician didn't make much money</p> <p>Ⓑ he invested money unwisely</p> <p>Ⓒ he bought expensive things</p> <p>Ⓓ he gambled with his money</p> <p>5. What can be said about the count who wanted Mozart to write the requiem?</p> <p>Ⓐ He was a kind man.</p> <p>Ⓑ He was dishonest.</p> <p>Ⓒ He was concerned.</p> <p>Ⓓ He was forgiving.</p> <p>6. Why would people giggle when they saw Mozart at the piano?</p> <p>Ⓐ He was making funny music.</p> <p>Ⓑ He was playing jokes on them.</p> <p>Ⓒ He looked too small to play the piano.</p> <p>Ⓓ All the above</p> |
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7. What kind of music is a **requiem**?
 - Ⓐ music for a funeral
 - Ⓑ music for a birthday
 - Ⓒ music for a waltz
 - Ⓓ music for an opera
8. What is a **prodigy**?
 - Ⓐ a piece of music written by a child
 - Ⓑ a child who has a special talent
 - Ⓒ a special piano made for a child
 - Ⓓ a person who teaches a child
9. What did Marie Antoinette probably think of the kiss Mozart gave her?
 - Ⓐ that the kiss was sweet
 - Ⓑ that the kiss was wrong
 - Ⓒ that Mozart was scared
 - Ⓓ that Mozart was a prince
10. Why did the monks at the monastery think an angel was playing the organ?
 - Ⓐ Only an angel could play so beautifully.
 - Ⓑ Mozart was so small they could not see him.
 - Ⓒ They thought that Mozart was an angel.
 - Ⓓ All of the above
11. **Extended Responses:** Why is Mozart considered the greatest musician that ever lived?
12. **Extended Responses:** How do you think Mozart's father felt when his son played the piano for the first time?

Quick Check Answer Sheet

Mozart

Main Comprehension Skill: Draw Conclusions

1. Ⓒ *Sequence Events*
2. Ⓓ *Main Idea and Details*
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4. Ⓐ *Cause and Effect*
5. Ⓑ *Draw Conclusions*
6. Ⓒ *Cause and Effect*
7. Ⓐ *Vocabulary*
8. Ⓑ *Vocabulary*
9. Ⓐ *Draw Conclusions*
10. Ⓑ *Main Idea and Details*
11. Answers will vary but will likely include the following: *he began playing piano at a young age; he learned to play difficult pieces of music in short amounts of time; he was able to hear music and then memorize it; he wrote music.*
12. Answers will vary but should include an emotion and a reason from the text to support students' answers.