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

1. What was the main reason Stephanie contacted Jacqueline?
 - Ⓐ Stephanie was moving to Canada.
 - Ⓑ Stephanie wanted a pen pal in Canada.
 - Ⓒ Jacqueline was going to visit Stephanie.
 - Ⓓ Stephanie's teacher had required her to write her.
2. How are the governments in Canada and the United States alike?
 - Ⓐ They both are democracies.
 - Ⓑ They both have prime ministers.
 - Ⓒ They both have regions called *provinces*.
 - Ⓓ Neither recognizes a king or queen as chief of state.
3. What sport does Jacqueline like to play?
 - Ⓐ golf
 - Ⓑ cricket
 - Ⓒ baseball
 - Ⓓ lacrosse
4. What does the word **heritage** mean?
 - Ⓐ some object to remember someone by
 - Ⓑ something passed from one generation to another
 - Ⓒ a type of government that recognizes a king or queen
 - Ⓓ a group of people who were elected to run a government
5. How would Stephanie have felt when Jacqueline invited her to visit Canada?
 - Ⓐ excited
 - Ⓑ scared
 - Ⓒ worried
 - Ⓓ disappointed

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| <p>6. Why did Jacqueline say, “Wow, that is a lot of information to cover”?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ⓐ Jacqueline thought Stephanie’s report would be too long. Ⓑ Stephanie had asked for information on a lot of subjects. Ⓒ Jacqueline didn’t know much about what Stephanie needed. Ⓓ There wasn’t much information in the book Jacqueline had. <p>7. What type of report might Jacqueline ask Stephanie to help her with?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ⓐ a report on World War II Ⓑ a report on how caribou live Ⓒ a report on the U.S. government Ⓓ a report on who explored the Arctic | <p>8. Niagara Falls is located in _____.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ⓐ the Arctic Lowlands Ⓑ the Western Cordillera Ⓒ the Hudson Bay Lowlands Ⓓ the Great Lakes–St. Lawrence Lowlands <p>9. Ancestors are _____.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ⓐ a set of laws that were developed by an elected group Ⓑ people in your family who were born before you Ⓒ a group of native people who live in Canada Ⓓ people who live in the same country |
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10. Why would the author have written this book as letters between pen pals?

- Ⓐ to make the book more interesting
- Ⓑ so the information would come to life
- Ⓒ to better show what life is like in Canada
- Ⓓ all of the above

11. Extended Response: Explain two ways that the Canadian government is different from the United States government.

12. Extended Response: How did the author engage the reader in learning about Canada through the text?

Quick Check Answer Sheet

C is for Canada

Main Comprehension Skill: Author's Purpose

1. Ⓑ Cause and Effect
2. Ⓐ Compare and Contrast
3. Ⓓ Main Idea and Details
4. Ⓑ Vocabulary
5. Ⓐ Make Inferences / Draw Conclusions
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10. Ⓓ Author's Purpose
11. Answers will vary but should include that Canada has a Prime Minister, and the United States has a President.
12. Answers will vary. Sample: *The story was written as emails between pen pals and facts about Canada were given in a conversational format.*