

Quick Check Meeting Mrs. Pierce

Name	Date

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

- 1. How long did women meet and work to get the right to vote before it happened?
  - (A) several years
  - **B** twenty years
  - (C) forty years
  - ① seventy-two years
- 2. What can you tell about Charlotte's father's opinion of women's right to vote by not looking up or saying good-bye when Charlotte left to vote?
  - A He thought she was doing the right thing.
  - B He did not want his daughter to vote.
  - © He was more interested in the paper.
  - ① He didn't hear her leave.

- 3. In the prologue, why did Charlotte's mother have tears in her eyes when Charlotte left to vote?
  - (A) She could not vote herself.
  - B She wished she could go too.
  - © She was proud that her daughter was voting.
  - ① All of the above
- **4.** Why did Charlotte start the Girls' Suffrage Society?
  - A She wanted to live up to the honor of being named for Charlotte Pierce.
  - B She wanted everyone at school to know who she was and to cause some excitement.
  - © Mrs. Pierce had explained to her how to start an organization like this.
  - ① All of the above





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- 5. What does suffrage mean?
  - (A) to suffer
  - (B) to own a home
  - © to be able to vote
  - ① to be able to drive a car
- **6.** Who do you think really thought demonstrating was "unseemly behavior"?
  - (A) Mama
  - B Papa
  - ① Mrs. Pierce
  - ① Charlotte
- 7. If someone was pestering someone, what was he or she doing?
  - (A) being mean
  - **B** lying to someone
  - (C) inviting someone
  - (D) harassing someone

- **8.** What had surprised Charlotte at the suffrage meeting?
  - (A) That there were so many women there.
  - B That her mother got up and gave a speech.
  - © She found out she was named after Mrs. Pierce.
  - ① She received a special invitation to start a student group.
- 9. How do you know that Charlotte's father was angry about his wife and daughter being arrested?
  - (A) His eyes were cold.
  - (B) He did not speak to them.
  - © Charlotte was sent to her room without dinner.
  - ① All of the above





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- **10.** What was the main purpose of the section of the book titled "About Women's Suffrage"?
  - (A) to let the reader know who Mrs. Pierce was
  - B to give the reader some background information about the women's suffrage movement
  - © to help the reader to know how to get laws he or she might not agree with passed
  - (I) all of the above
- 11. Extended Response: What do you think was Charlotte's opinion of her mother's agreement not to vote?

## 12. Extended Response:

Demonstrations are a way to let others know about laws or practices people believe to be unfair. What is one demonstration you have heard about, and what was the group hoping to achieve by demonstrating?



# LEVEL X

#### **Quick Check Answer Sheet**

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Main Comprehension Skill: Fact or Opinion

- **1.** (D) Main Idea and Details
- 2. B Fact or Opinion
- **3.** ① Analyze Character
- **4.** (A) Cause and Effect
- **5.** ① Vocabulary
- **6.** B Make Inferences / Draw Conclusions
- **7.** ① Vocabulary
- **8.** ① Analyze Character
- **9.** ① Analyze Character
- **10. B** Author's Purpose
- 11. Answers will vary, but would likely state the following:
  Charlotte didn't quite understand why her mother agreed not to vote after she had worked hard to get the law changed, and Charlotte didn't like that her father had forced her mother not to vote.
- 12. Answers will vary.