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

1. What is the main idea of the section "First Lady of the United States"?
 - Ⓐ Bill Clinton had many challenges when he was president.
 - Ⓑ Hillary Clinton took a very active role when she was first lady.
 - Ⓒ Bill Clinton was re-elected in 1996.
 - Ⓓ Hillary Clinton helped pass laws that supported women and children.
2. How is Hillary Clinton different from the New York senators who served before her?
 - Ⓐ She is a lawyer.
 - Ⓑ She is a woman.
 - Ⓒ She does not live in Washington, D.C.
 - Ⓓ She visits other countries.
3. Which of the following happened in 1992?
 - Ⓐ Hillary Clinton moved to Arkansas and married Bill Clinton.
 - Ⓑ Hillary Clinton went back to school to study law.
 - Ⓒ Hillary Clinton became a senator.
 - Ⓓ Bill Clinton was elected president.
4. Which of the following words describes Hillary Clinton?
 - Ⓐ nervous
 - Ⓑ peaceful
 - Ⓒ determined
 - Ⓓ lazy

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5. What did Hillary do when Bill Clinton was governor of Arkansas?
 - Ⓐ She stopped working to care for their young daughter.
 - Ⓑ She ran for president of the United States.
 - Ⓒ She moved to Washington, D.C., to work in government.
 - Ⓓ She became one of the state's most successful lawyers.
6. *The study of how government works* is called _____.
 - Ⓐ chemistry
 - Ⓑ Congress
 - Ⓒ political science
 - Ⓓ physics
7. How is Hillary Clinton different from other women in politics?
 - Ⓐ She was the first woman to speak up in politics.
 - Ⓑ She was the first woman to become a lawyer.
 - Ⓒ She was the first woman to live in the White House.
 - Ⓓ She was the first woman senator from New York.
8. What was the author's purpose for writing *Hillary Clinton*?
 - Ⓐ to convince the reader to run for president of the United States
 - Ⓑ to entertain the reader with stories about when Hillary Clinton was a child
 - Ⓒ to inform the reader about the life of Hillary Clinton and how she ran for president
 - Ⓓ to inform the reader about the history of women in politics
9. What was the effect of Hillary Clinton being outspoken as the first lady?
 - Ⓐ Many conservatives did not like her.
 - Ⓑ She gained lots of support from conservative people.
 - Ⓒ She was not allowed to work in government anymore.
 - Ⓓ She was forced to move back to Arkansas.

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10. *The person who handles communication between the United States and other countries is called the _____.*

- Ⓐ congresswoman
- Ⓑ senator
- Ⓒ first lady
- Ⓓ secretary of state

11. **Extended Response:** How is Hillary Clinton inspiring to women and young girls? Use details from the book to support your answer.

12. **Extended Response:** Do you think Hillary Clinton would have made a good president? Why or why not? Use at least three details from the book to support your answer.

Quick Check Answer Sheet

Hillary Clinton

Main Comprehension Skill: Elements of a Biography

1. Ⓑ Main Idea and Details
2. Ⓑ Elements of Biography
3. Ⓓ Sequence Events
4. Ⓒ Elements of Biography
5. Ⓓ Main Idea and Details
6. Ⓒ Vocabulary
7. Ⓓ Compare and Contrast
8. Ⓒ Author's Purpose
9. Ⓐ Elements of Biography
10. Ⓓ Vocabulary
11. Answers will vary, but students should include the following: *Hillary Clinton grew up in a time when women were not supposed to have careers and were expected to stay home and raise a family. Hillary pushed against this by going to school and having a very successful career. She has been a role model for women and girls alike.*
12. Answers will vary, but students should cite specific examples from the text to support their response. For example: *Hillary Clinton would have made a good president because she has had a successful career as a lawyer, senator, and secretary of state and she is a very determined person.*