Quick Check

A Selection from Alice in Wonderland

Name	Date

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

- 1. Why does Alice drink the contents of the unmarked bottle in the Rabbit's home?
 - (A) She is tired of being tiny.
 - B She is hoping to grow large again.
 - © She thinks something interesting will happen.
 - (D) All of the above
- **2.** Which of the following is not a character in this story?
 - (A) Bill
 - (B) the Rabbit
 - (C) Charles
 - (D) Pat
- 3. What is a problem in this story?
 - Alice grows too big and gets stuck in the Rabbit's house.
 - B Alice reads too many fairy tales.
 - C Alice has the same name as the maid.
 - ① The Rabbit doesn't like the lizard.

- **4.** Read this sentence: Alice's **errand** is to get the Rabbit's gloves and fan. What is an **errand**?
 - (A) an adventure
 - B a list of things to buy
 - © a short trip to get something done
 - (D) none of the above
- **5.** Why does Bill the lizard feel like a skyrocket?
 - (A) He heads for the moon.
 - B He flies throughout the night.
 - © He goes flying up out of the chimney.
 - (D) None of the above
- **6.** Why does Alice wish she hadn't gone down the rabbit hole?
 - A Life was more pleasant at home.
 - B She doesn't like always growing smaller and larger.
 - © She doesn't like being given orders by mice and rabbits.
 - (D) All of the above

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- **7.** What tells you that this story is a fantasy?
 - Alice runs off as fast as she can.
 - B Alice goes into the house without knocking.
 - © The pebbles turn into tiny cakes.
 - ① Alice takes the fan and gloves.
- **8.** Why does Alice run off at the end?
 - (A) The animals are mad at her.
 - (B) She wants to get away from Wonderland.
 - © She doesn't want to be in the Rabbit's house anymore.
 - ⑤ She has been stuck so long that she wants to run.
- **9.** Why does Alice hope the animals will take the roof off the Rabbit's house?
 - A because she is still growing bigger
 - (B) so she can climb out
 - © so she can see the stars
 - so they can all come
 in to see her

- **10.** What happens after Alice eats the cakes?
 - (A) She grows even more.
 - B She gets a stomachache.
 - © She shrinks.
 - ① She falls asleep.
- 11. Extended Response: What do you think would have happened if Alice had told the Rabbit that she was stuck in his house and asked for help?
- **12. Extended Response:** What are three things that prove this portion of *Alice in Wonderland* is a fantasy?"



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Main Comprehension Skill: Story Elements

- **1.** ① Story Elements
- 2. © Story Elements
- 3. A Problem and Solution
- **4.** ① Vocabulary
- **5.** Cause and Effect
- **6.** D Story Elements
- **7. (**C) Reality and Fantasy
- **8.** (A) Cause and Effect
- **9.** B Story Elements
- **10.** © Sequence Events
- 11 Answers will vary but might include the following idea: the animals might have tried to help her get out of the house.
- 12. Answers will vary somewhat but should include the following: that the animals all talked; that the Rabbit had gloves and a fan and a regular door in a house made out of a tree, a window, and a chimney; that Alice could drink something and grow bigger, then eat a cake that had been a pebble and grow smaller.