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

1. Which word best describes Jack?
 - Ⓐ mean
 - Ⓑ loud
 - Ⓒ shy
2. Why does Chalk Beard give his hat to Jack?
 - Ⓐ Jack didn't get a costume from the treasure chest.
 - Ⓑ Jack asked Chalk Beard if he could wear it.
 - Ⓒ Jack got 100 percent on his spelling test.
3. What happens after Chalk Beard sees Jack's drawing?
 - Ⓐ Chalk Beard sends Jack to detention.
 - Ⓑ Chalk Beard cries because the drawing is so nice.
 - Ⓒ Chalk Beard teases Jack about his drawing.
4. How is Chalk Beard similar to Jack?
 - Ⓐ Chalk Beard used to be a great artist like Jack.
 - Ⓑ Chalk Beard used to be a bully like Jack.
 - Ⓒ Chalk Beard used to be shy like Jack.
5. What is another word for **heave**?
 - Ⓐ valuable
 - Ⓑ lift
 - Ⓒ edge
6. **Extended Response:** At the end of the book, Chalk Beard says to Jack, "Remember, matey, it's the size of your heart—not your voice—that matters." What did Chalk Beard mean by that?

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Quick Check Answer Sheet

The Pirate Substitute

Main Comprehension Skill: Analyze Character

1. Ⓒ *Analyze Character*
2. Ⓐ *Cause and Effect*
3. Ⓑ *Sequence Events*
4. Ⓒ *Compare and Contrast*
5. Ⓑ *Vocabulary*
6. Answers will vary but should include that Chalk Beard was telling Jack that it's okay to be shy and quiet and the only thing that matters is how you act and treat others.