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Maniac Magee: Chapters 1-10

Part One: Multiple Choice

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Which one is not a legend that people tell about Maniac Magee?

a. He was born in a dump b. he was a wealthy prince

c. His stomach was a cereal box d. He kept a cockroach on a leash

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_What is Maniac’s Legacy in Two Mills?

a. The baseball field is named after him

b. Maniac’s knot is on display at Cobble’s Corner

c. Children from the East and West play together

d. The buffalo at the zoo is named Maniac

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_What happened to Jeffrey’s parents?

1. They died when their trolley went off a bridge.
2. They abandoned Jeffrey
3. They died in an airplane crash
4. They died in a robbery attempt

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Why did Jeffrey leave his aunt and uncle’s house?

1. They would not feed him
2. They would not let him watch TV
3. He wanted to travel the world
4. They would not talk to each other

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Which of the following statements is true?

1. Whites live in the West End, and blacks live in the East End
2. Two Mills is not divided by race
3. Blacks live in the West End, and Whites live in the East End
4. Asians live in the West End

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_What does Jeffrey borrow from Amanda?

1. a suitcase
2. an address book
3. a book to read
4. a map

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_What does Jeffrey do during the gym class?

1. He plays dodgeball
2. He intercepts a football
3. He blocks a goal in soccer
4. He runs a mile in record time

\_\_\_\_\_\_Who is Brian Denehy?

1. a Quarterback
2. The one who offered Maniac a candy bar
3. Track Runner
4. Catcher

\_\_\_\_\_\_Why did Jeffrey Magee become known as Maniac?

* 1. No one knew his real name.
  2. He started calling himself Maniac, so others copied.
  3. He completed amazing feats, so people called him Maniac.
  4. He was diagnosed by a psychiatrist who said he was crazy.

Part Two: Identify the Figurative Lanuage

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ “McNab was a giant.”

1. Simile
2. Metaphor
3. Hyperbole

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”Sent it spinning like a flying saucer out to shortstop.”

1. Simile
2. Metaphor
3. Hyperbole

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”He was breathing like a picadored bull.”

1. Simile
2. Metaphor
3. Hyperbole

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”Flies stopped buzzing.”

1. Simile
2. Metaphor
3. Hyperbole

Part Three: Short Answer: Answer in complete sentences.

Where and Why do the Cobras stop chasing Maniac?

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