

Grade 3 Book 3-2 Theme 1 Story 1
“Papa Tells Chita a Story”

LA.E.2.2.1 Cause and Effect pg. 18

1. Why does the colonel need someone to carry a message across the island?
 - A. He needed to help sick patients.
(incorrect cause)
 - B. He needed more soldiers and supplies.
(correct)
 - C. He needed to see who was brave.
(plausible but incorrect response based on text)
 - D. He needed to see which animals were there.
(incorrect cause)

LA.A.2.2.1 Main Idea pg. 22

2. What happens RIGHT AFTER the alligator swims up to Papa?
 - A. Papa swims underneath the alligator.
(correct)
 - B. Papa catches the rascal.
(plausible but incorrect based on text)
 - C. Papa washes himself in a waterfall.
(event presented out of order)
 - D. Papa kills the alligator with his sword.
(plausible but incorrect based on text)

Grade 3 Book 3-2 Theme 1 Story 1
“Papa Tells Chita a Story”

LA.E.1.2.2 Plot Development pgs. 16-28

3. What is Papa’s BIGGEST problem in the story?
- A. His horse, Majestic, runs away.
(plausible but incorrect based on text)
 - B. There are dangers along the way.
(correct)
 - C. He is very wet and tired.
(plausible but incorrect based on text)
 - D. He is very hot in the tropics.
(plausible but incorrect based on text)

LA.E.1.2.3 Similarities and Differences pgs. 16-28

4. Which word describes BOTH Papa and Chita?
- A. excited
(correct)
 - B. sleepy
(incorrect comparison)
 - C. terrified
(incorrect comparison)
 - D. sore
(incorrect comparison)

Grade 3 Book 3-2 Theme 1 Story 1
“Papa Tells Chita a Story”

LA.A.1.2.3 Vocabulary pg. 25

5. Read these sentences from the story.

“I was so weary and worn that I took a chance. I climbed in, curled up and fell asleep.”

When Papa tells Chita that he was *weary*, he means he is

- A. sticky.
(incorrect meaning of word)
- B. covered.
(incorrect meaning of word)
- C. scared.
(incorrect meaning of word)
- D. tired.
(correct)

LA.A.2.2.2 Author’s Purpose pgs. 16-28

6. Why did the author write “Papa Tells Chita A Story”?
- A. To show how a grandfather entertains his granddaughter.
(correct)
 - B. To teach readers all about the Spanish War.
(detail that does not represent author’s purpose)
 - C. To explain to readers which animals are in a swamp.
(detail that does not represent author’s purpose)
 - D. To entertain readers with a funny story.
(incorrect interpretation of author’s purpose)