

Tuck Everlasting

Reading Comprehension Test

Name: _____ / 50 points = _____ %

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Whole Book Comprehension Test

A. Character Matching
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____ Jesse Tuck	D. Is 104 years old, but looks 17.
____ Mae Tuck	E. Tells Winnie she hears elf music
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B. Order of Events
Number the following events in the order they occurred in the story, from #1 - #7

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____ Miles puts the fish back in the water.

____ The man in the yellow suit tells the Fosters he knows how to find Winnie.

____ Winnie thinks about running away into the woods.

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C. Multiple Choice
Circle the correct answer choice. Make sure to read all answer choices before choosing.

20. How did the Tucks try to hide the spring water?

A. They built their house on top of it.

B. They covered it with pebbles.

C. They built a fence surrounding it.

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21. How did Tuck prove he was immortal?

A. He jumped off a bridge.

B. He got run over by a car.

C. He shot himself.

22. What deal does the man in the yellow suit propose to Winnie's family?

A. He'll bring the Constable to rescue her if they give him the woods.

B. He'll give them a share of money from selling the spring water.

C. He'll tell them where she is if they promise to leave her there.

23. What object did Mae always carry with her?

A. A lock of her mother's hair

B. A music box

C. A silver locket with her family's photo

24. How did Mae escape from the jailhouse?

A. Mae escaped through the window and Winnie hid under the blanket.

B. Tuck got the key from the Constable when he fell asleep.

C. Winnie pretended to be sick to distract the Constable.

25. When would Tuck smile?

A. When he went fishing.

B. When he saw Winnie.

C. When he was with Winnie.

Short Answer Response
Complete sentences. Make sure to answer all parts of the question.

26. Why doesn't Tuck ask the man in the yellow suit for help when she is in the woods? (5 points max)

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Answer Key

Character Matching

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E Grandmother
G Angus Tuck
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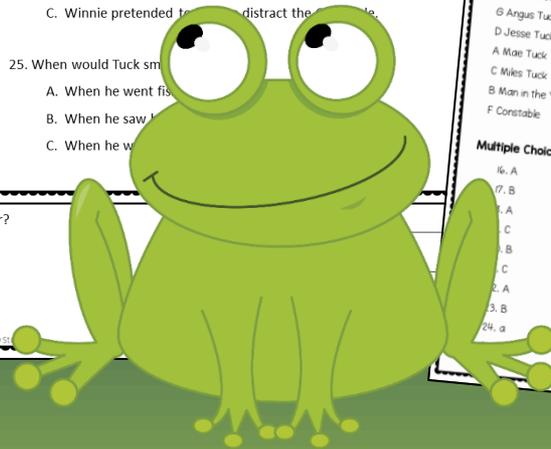
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Short Answer: Sample Responses

26. Although Winnie is unsure of what is happening when she is being taken away on the horse, she does not seem to be very scared. She could have screamed out to the man in the yellow suit but doesn't. Perhaps it is because there was something about him she didn't quite trust.

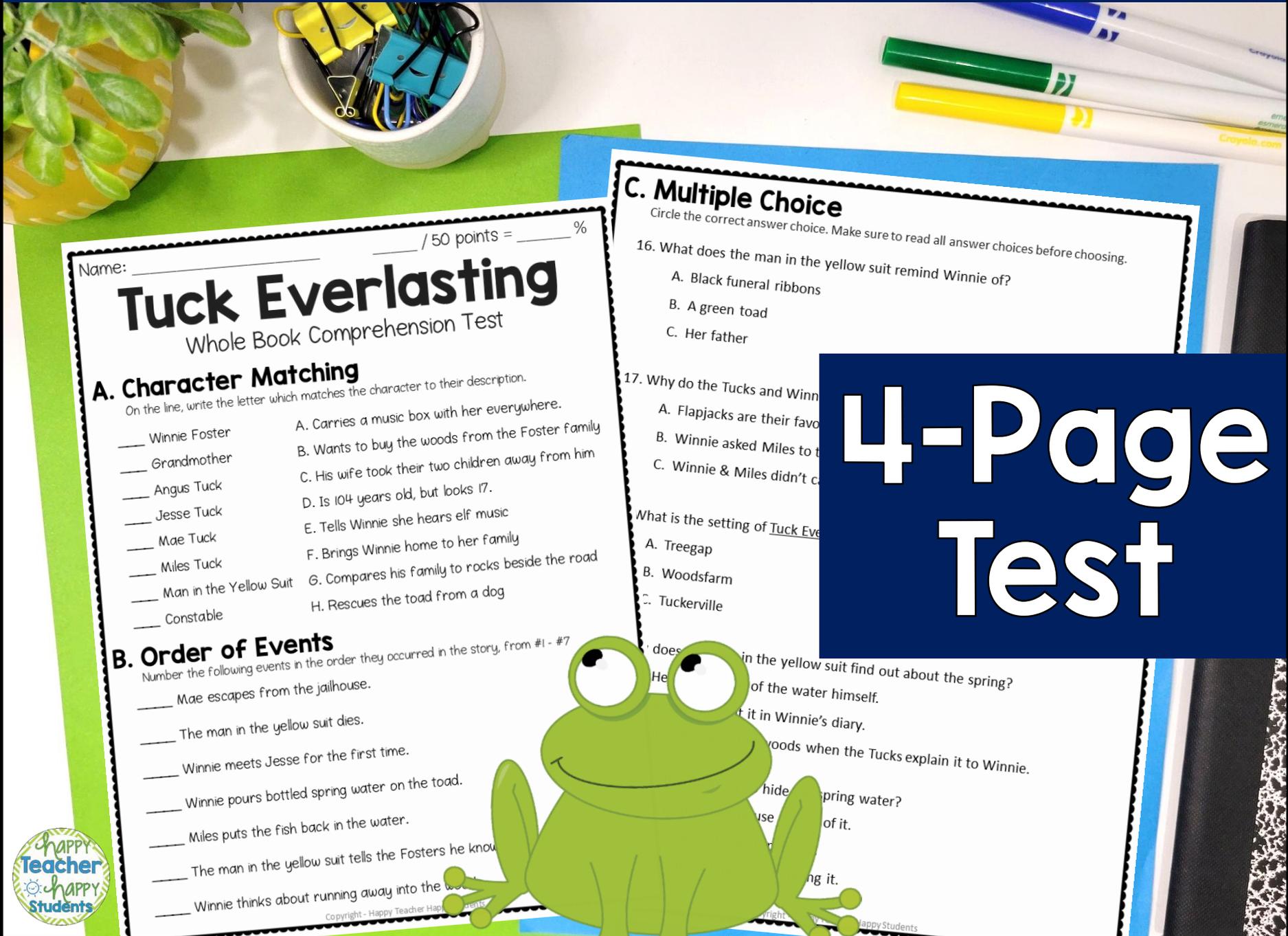
27. When Winnie pours the spring water on the toad, she is deciding, at least for now, that she is not going to drink it herself. She does realize she can always find the spring and get more water. However, she no longer has the bottle that Jesse gave to her.

28. Tuck Everlasting is a story about a young girl, Winnie, who happens upon a family who are immortal after drinking from a spring in the woods. Winnie becomes friends with the family and later has a chance to live forever with them. Instead, she chooses not to drink the water and live a normal life in her town of Treegap.



4-Page Test includes: Character Matching, Order of Events, Multiple Choice & Short Answer Response. Answer Key Included

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16. What does the man in the yellow suit remind Winnie of?
- A. Black funeral ribbons
 - B. A green toad
 - C. Her father

17. Why do the Tucks and Winnie go to the woods?

- A. Flapjacks are their favorite food.
- B. Winnie asked Miles to take her to the woods.
- C. Winnie & Miles didn't have anything to do.

What is the setting of Tuck Everlasting?

- A. Treegap
- B. Woodsfarm
- C. Tuckerville

4-Page Test

