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| **FICTION Warm-ups****6th Grade Fiction Review Name:** |

**Directions:** Read the passages. Answer the questions.

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| **Monday**1. What can the reader infer about Lin based on her actions?
2. She is bold and impulsive
3. She is sensitive and selfless
4. She is delicate and gentle
5. She is shy and nervous
6. How does paragraph 4 contribute to the development of the plot?
7. It reveals Lin’s opinion of her new school
8. It provides an overview of Lin’s first days of school
9. It shows that Lin believes she will move again soon
10. It suggests that Lin wants to stay at this particular school
11. Which statement best captures the irony in the story?
12. “Lin had stopped paying attention to kid’s names”
13. “On Friday, they called her mother to school”
14. “On Wednesday, she wore an old dress of her mother’s, along with soccer cleats”
15. “I’ve got a new job in town. Finally, she’ll be able to fit in.
 | **Tuesday**1. What does the word ***tedious*** mean as used in paragraph 2?
2. Exciting
3. Complicated
4. Dull
5. Mature
6. Which statement best summarizes the moral of the story?
7. Treat others as you would like to be treated
8. Never give up
9. Tell the truth
10. Two wrongs don’t make a right
11. What words best describe the boy?
12. Responsible
13. Outgoing
14. Devious
15. Independent
16. Which of the following represents the rising action of the story?
17. The boy slept with the sheep at night
18. The boy lied to the townspeople
19. The boy looked for wolves
20. The boy ate the dinner that was brought to him
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| **Wednesday**1. Which of the following conclusions about Ulrich is supported by the passage?
2. Once the war is over, he is going to move to Poland or Germany.
3. He misses his friend Anne and continues to hope for her safe return.
4. He plans to drop out of school and become a soldier within the next year
5. When spring comes, he will plot to find a way to outsmart his enemies
6. What does the word ***rightful*** mean as used in paragraph 3?
7. Young
8. Lonely
9. True
10. Quiet
11. Which statement best expresses the main idea of the passage?
12. Not much has changed in Amsterdam since the Nazi occupation in 1940.
13. Life in Amsterdam since the Nazi occupation is unsafe and frightening
14. Some of the Dutch people betrayed their friends and neighbors during the war
15. Teachers are afraid of the authorities and now jump when a student drops a book
 | **Thursday** 1. Which of the following best describes the role Amy played in her family while her mother was away?
2. It had been eight months since Amy and Joel had seen their mother
3. Amy thought about the other soldiers and what role they played in their family back home
4. Amy read bedtime stories to Joel and tried to be brave and not think about war
5. Amy was used to her mother being in the army, but Joel didn’t understand war.
6. What does the phrase “time seemed to stand still” mean in paragraph 4?
7. The airport clock wasn’t working as they waited
8. They were so eager to see their mom that it felt like time was not passing
9. They were waiting so long they couldn’t tell what time it was
10. They waited for a long time because the plane was delayed
11. What is the central idea of this passage?
12. Soldiers sometimes have to leave home for many months
13. Children act nervous and excited at the airport
14. The return of a soldier is often an exciting and emotional moment
15. Watching a plane land is interesting and fun for children
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| **Friday**1. How does the simile in paragraph 4 contribute to the tone?
2. It conveys a lighthearted and silly tone
3. It conveys a caring and affectionate tone
4. It conveys an excited and pleased tone
5. It conveys a formal and respectful tone
6. What can you infer about Alex based on his description of the setting?
7. Alex is not fond of the outdoors
8. Alex is used to living in the city
9. Alex doesn’t miss his family
10. Alex has trouble making new friends
11. Find a word/phrase that supports your answer to question 2:

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Which story was your favorite?

\_\_\_ “A Bad Move”

\_\_\_ “The Boy Who Cried Wolf”

\_\_\_ “Another Missing Person”

\_\_\_ “Welcome Home”

\_\_\_ “Letter from Camp”

Which story was most challenging?

\_\_\_ “A Bad Move”

\_\_\_ “The Boy Who Cried Wolf”

\_\_\_ “Another Missing Person”

\_\_\_ “Welcome Home”

\_\_\_ “Letter from Camp”