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| **Level** | **Book: Pony****Author: R.J. Palacio** | **Prepared by Angela Hasthorpe** |  | **Region: Sunshine Coast** |
| **No.**  | **Question**  | **Answer** | **Page Ref**  | **Points and Comment re scoring**  |
|  |  Silas took several things with him when he set out to find his Pa. Name two of the things he took to help him survive and one thing he took which, as he says, “… did not make sense  | Rope/ a knife/ water/bread/ meat/foodHis mother’s violin | 25 | 1pt for any two1pt: his mother’s violin |
|  | Enoch Farmer asks Silas what his Pa does for a living. What two jobs does Silas say his Pa does  | Bootmaker and collodiotypist  | 49 | 2pts: bootmaker and collodiotypist (must have the correct name for 2pts.1pt: bootmaker1pt collodiotyypist |
|  | What was Enoch Farmer’s job and who specifically was he tracking?  | US Federal Marshall Tracking Mac Boat | 50-51 | 2pts for US Federal Marshall/Federal Marshall/Marshall; and Mac Boat.1pt for either answer. |
|  | What did Silas and his Pa have to take a photograph of to win a cash prize of $50 and what happened to the glass slide containing the photo? | The moon/ a lunar pictureSilas dropped it and it smashed | 9297 | 1 pt1pt |
|  | Silas tells Farmer that he thinks his Pa was taken to help with “canter-fitting” What is the correct term and what does it mean? | CounterfeitingMaking fake money  | 106 | 1pt Spelling must be correct1pt |
|  | Farmer tells Silas the story of Mac Boat. What was the name of the gang Mac Boat belonged to and how much money did Mac Boat get away with after the big gunfight with the lawmen | Orange Street Gang$20000 | 111 | 1pt1pt |
|  | When Silas looks over the edge of the ravine as instructed by Farmer what 2 important things does he see with Mittenwool’s help? | Indents like steps or like a ladderA cave | 124125 | 1pt Accept indents/pockets/steps but not an actual ladder.1pt |
|  | Farmer gazes down into the chasm and says, “I got my bearings now.” What name does he give to the chasm and what is the name of the town up the mountain? | HollowRosasharon | 129129 | 1pt1pt |
|  | When Silas found Sherrif Chalfont and Deputy Beautyman he tells them his story. Silas tells them everything he could expect for 3 things. What are the three things he deliberately keeps back? | MittenwoolThe Bog GhostsThe young woman behind them who is bleeding/wounded | 141142 | 1 pt for 2 things2 pts for all three.Accept ghost of a woman/ woman bleeding/woman pacing/ young woman of about 20 years. |
|  | When Sherriff Chalfont questions Eben Morton about the men in the cave. Eben names the men. Besides Pa, and the two bodyguards from Boston, who else does Eben say is in the cave. There are 3 more men. | Roscoe OllerenshawThe man with the blue fingers/the little fella from up north/blue fingers/Doc ParkerRufe Jones | 174 | 1pt for 2 men2 pts for all three Either description of the blue fingered man is acceptable.  |
|  | Maria Chalfont asks Silas to give her brother a message if she is unable to find him herself. The messages contains three things. What are they? | She left plum pudding in the bread box for himShe ate most of itShe is sorry for eating it | 187 | 1pt for 2 things2 pts for 3“She is sorry” is acceptable |
|  | During the gunfight at the cave, how did Silas end up in the creek nearly drowning and who saved him? | He was flung into the creek by the recoil of the rifleDeputy Beautyman saved him | 203204 | 1pt 1pt |
|  | Sheriff Chalfont decides to let the Morton twins go free. What reason does he give for this decision? What does Silas hope happens to them?  | They had been scared away from a life of crime/they wouldn’t continue to commit crimesThey find a gold mine/they end up in California | 228229 | 1pt1pt |
|  | It turned out that Jenny Chalfont, Sheriff Chalfont’s wife had a connection to Silas. What was that connection. | Silas’s mother taught Jenny the violin | 251 | 2pts |
|  | When Silas visits his Grandmother in Philadelphia he solves the mystery of the name Mittenwool. What is the real name and what does the name refer to? | MittenwaldRefers to a violin/a violin maker/a violin from Bavaria/his mother’s violin | 264 | 1pt1pt for any of the answers so long as violin is included |
|  | Silas finds a piece of paper hidden in the violin case. It contains information on each side. What is on each side of the paper? | A map A letter /a note | 267 | 1pt1pt |
|  | As he lay dying Pa had pressed something into Silas’s hand. What did he give to Silas and where did Silas think Pa had hidden it? | A keyIn a chamber in his boot heel/ in his boot heel/ in a hole in his boot heel. | 268 | 1pt1pt Must have boot heel not just boot. |
|  | Mittenwool finally remembers his real name and what happened to him as a child? What is Mittenwool’s real name and what happened to him when he was a boy? | John HillsHe drowned in a pond/ he drowned | 271270 | 1pt1pt |
|  | Silas promised Mittenwool that he would do something good with the money he dug up. He sets up as school. What is the purpose of the school and what does he choose for the school’s emblem? | A school for orphansA lightning bolt on the head of a pony | The End page | 1pt1pt |