

Chapters 1 and 2
Theft at George Eastman House
Name _____

Vocabulary: Write a definition for each word.

refurbished _____
notoriety _____
opaque _____
emulsion _____

1. Who invented the modern camera?
A. George Eastman
B. Jacques Daguerre
C. Jason Polaroid
D. Hasimoto Nikon



2. What did Mrs. Levine like more than computers?
A. math B. plants C. books D. chocolate

3. Who are the five members of the STARfish?

4. Contrast is the difference between _____ and _____.

5. What does the word photography mean?

6. What do the words camera obscura mean?

7. What is the oldest light in the world?
A. lanterns B. candles C. fire D. sun

Write a paragraph on the back of this page:
Why is George Eastman important to Rochester?

Chapters 3 and 4
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Vocabulary: Write a definition for each word.

drone _____
retrieve _____
stumps _____
trespass _____

1. Derrick thought that teachers got paid an extra \$100 for:
- A. staying after school
 - B. assigning homework
 - C. giving students lectures
 - D. meeting with parents

2. Where did the boys find their leaves? _____

3. What leaf did Lamar choose?
- A. maple leaf B. fig leaf C. dandelion leaf D. grape leaf



4. What color were Reinaldo's leaves?
- A. red
 - B. green
 - C. orange
 - D. brown

5. Why did Janie call her bedroom "The Palace?"

Write a paragraph on the back of this page describing your bedroom.

Chapters 5 and 6
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Vocabulary: Write a definition for each word.

clamoring _____

contagious _____

dawdle _____

exotic _____

explicit _____

1. Which word does NOT describe Reinaldo's rash?
A. itchy B. red C. oozy D. smooth
2. Who called the classroom this time? _____
3. What gave Reinaldo and Maria a rash? _____
4. *Quercus prinus* are the Latin words for:
A. grape leaf B. sugar maple C. chestnut oak D. weeping willow
5. How was Janie's leaf different from the other leaves? _____

6. If Janie had four \$500 bills, seven \$50 bills and twelve \$5 bills on her money tree, how much money was there in all? What would you buy if you had that much money?



Chapters 7 and 8
Theft at George Eastman House
Name _____

Vocabulary: Write a definition for each word.

replicate _____

valiant _____

benefactor _____

slouch _____

1. Mrs. Levine's students made their own *camera obscura* out of a:

- A. plastic shoe box
- B. big cardboard box
- C. small cardboard box
- D. wooden crate



2. What caused the boys to spill the paint?

3. The paint stain on the floor looked like:

4. Debra didn't like the camera obscura because it reminded her of a:

- A. basement
- B. monster
- C. closet
- D. coffin

5. What type of cameras did the students get? _____

6. What color were the class T-shirts? _____

7. How did the students get to the Eastman House?

- A. school bus
- B. on foot
- C. cars
- D. public bus

8. Why didn't Ms. Green go on the field trip?

Write a paragraph on the back of this page:
Tell about your favorite school field trip.

Chapters 9 and 10
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Vocabulary: Write a definition for each word.

gawking _____
docent _____
conservatory _____
billiards _____
thaumatrope _____
stereoscope _____

1. How many children did George Eastman have?
A. zero B. one C. three D. eight

2. Besides photography George Eastman liked _____ and _____.



3. Which word best describes George Eastman House on the day Mrs. Levine's class visited?
A. empty B. pretty C. dirty D. crowded

4. What were the students told to take pictures of?

5. The butterflies on the floor were actually pieces of:
A. carpet B. wood C. linoleum D. tile

6. Which room was Jeanetta's favorite?
A. library B. conservatory C. billiard room D. hallway

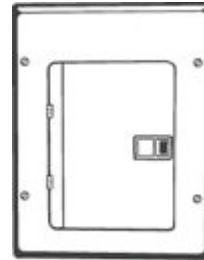
Write a paragraph on the back of this page:
From the descriptions in the book which room would be your favorite and why?

Chapters 11 and 12
Theft at George Eastman House
Name _____

Vocabulary: Write a definition for each word.

swarming _____
descended _____
consciousness _____
strode _____

1. What did George Eastman keep in his safe?
A. stocks & bonds
B. money
C. cameras
D. dishes & silver



2. Mrs. Levine's husband is a:
A. lawyer B. policeman C. detective D. photographer

3. Why did Detective Greeley think that Steven stole the candlestick?

4. Describe the candlestick in the book.

Write a paragraph:
Do you think Steven is guilty? Why or why not?



Chapters 13 and 14
Theft at George Eastman House
Name _____

Vocabulary: Write a definition.

deceit _____
innocent _____
sideboard _____
brainstorm _____

1. Which room was the candlestick in?
A. living room B. conservatory C. billiard room D. dining room
2. Which room did the lady faint in?
A. living room B. conservatory C. billiard room D. dining room
3. Mrs. Levine made a chart with 2 headings to help solve the mystery:

_____ and _____.

4. Why is the candlestick so special?

5. George Eastman gave away some of his money to fund a:
A. dental clinic
B. food pantry
C. home for children
D. zoo



What do you want to know about the theft? Write at least two questions that Mrs. Levine could put on the “Questions” side of her chart?

Chapters 15 and 16
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Name _____

Vocabulary: Write a definition for each word.

commotion _____

mediation _____

premeditated _____

preposterous _____

1. Whose fingerprints were found on the candlestick?

2. What did Mrs. Levine mean when she said, "Get those gray cells working?"

- A. think real hard
- B. walk faster
- C. plug in your computer
- D. be nicer



3. What does the phrase "spur of the moment" mean?

4. Steven had previously been guilty of:

- A. shoplifting
- B. burglary
- C. jaywalking
- D. speeding

Write a paragraph: Tell about a time when something was missing from your house. Did you find it? Where?

Chapters 17 and 18
Theft at George Eastman House
Name _____

Vocabulary: Write a definition for each word.

examined _____
accomplice _____
averted _____
incriminating _____
bickering _____
marvelous _____

1. The candlestick was stolen from the dining room when everyone was in the:
A. living room B. dining room C. conservatory D. library

2. Whose name was first on the suspect list?

3. Why?

4. Who do you think tried to steal the candlestick?

5. Why?

Write a paragraph: Tell about a time when you told a lie. Did the truth come out?
How?

Chapters 19 and 20
Theft at George Eastman House
Name _____

Vocabulary: Write a definition for each word.

jubilant _____

accompany _____

tension _____

recuperate _____

1. Why had Steven touched the candlestick?

2. What is a lady's pump?

A. purse

B. shoe

C. tote bag

D. belt

3. Who actually attempted to steal the candlestick?

A. Steven

B. Ms. Hamilton

C. Mrs. Levine

D. Mr. Coley

4. What is Ms. Hamilton's real name?

5. What proved Steven's innocence?

A. a photograph

B. the police

C. Ms. Hamilton confessing

D. a lie detector



Write a paragraph: Tell about a special photograph you have. Who or what is in it?
Why is it special?

Name _____

Date _____

WORD SEARCH I
Vocabulary (Chapters 1-6)
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N	B	Q	U	Z	F	V	T	A	S	T	U	M	P	S
E	V	E	I	R	T	E	R	G	Q	I	L	T	L	S
X	K	T	H	B	D	S	E	M	U	L	S	I	O	N
V	F	H	E	N	I	L	F	W	C	Z	H	C	P	D
C	E	X	R	X	Y	Q	U	A	D	T	U	L	E	Z
Q	U	L	F	A	O	C	R	K	I	Z	H	A	D	M
T	Q	T	D	G	S	T	B	C	R	D	X	M	R	C
U	A	G	A	S	U	O	I	G	A	T	N	O	C	B
E	P	Y	W	U	O	L	S	C	I	T	N	R	A	L
R	O	F	D	M	P	G	H	F	M	D	V	I	E	X
P	Y	N	L	X	I	V	E	S	S	J	H	N	S	O
Y	F	R	E	M	G	P	D	A	X	C	O	G	S	N
W	K	N	H	S	S	A	P	S	E	R	T	J	I	C
F	E	V	G	T	M	L	X	E	D	M	U	L	W	Y
S	N	O	T	O	R	I	E	T	Y	H	A	D	J	B

REFURBISHED
NOTORIETY
OPAQUE
EMULSION

DRONE
RETRIEVE
STUMPS
TRESPASS

CLAMORING
CONTAGIOUS
DAWDLE
EXOTIC
EXPLICIT

Name _____

Date _____

Vocabulary (Chapters 1-6)
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DIRECTIONS: Write the letter of the word next to its definition.

- | | | |
|----------------|-------|--|
| A. refurbished | _____ | 1. mysteriously different or unusual |
| B. notoriety | _____ | 2. spend time idly |
| C. opaque | _____ | 3. proclaiming noisily |
| D. emulsion | _____ | 4. easily understood |
| E. drone | _____ | 5. intrude on another's land |
| F. retrieve | _____ | 6. communicated by contact |
| G. stumps | _____ | 7. brightened up |
| H. trespass | _____ | 8. baffles |
| I. clamoring | _____ | 9. blocking light |
| J. contagious | _____ | 10. get back again |
| K. dawdle | _____ | 11. being well known for negative things |
| L. exotic | _____ | 12. dull or monotonous tone |
| M. explicit | _____ | 13. a suspension of silver halides |

DIRECTIONS: Fill in each blank with a word from the list above.

1. Mr. Sampson doesn't like it when the kids _____ on his lawn.
2. Brandon's mother said, "Don't _____ on your way to school."
3. The old house was _____ to look new.
4. A parrot is considered an _____ pet.
5. Billy had an _____ curtain in his bedroom.
6. Shenesta's dog could _____ every ball she threw.
7. The noisy crowd was _____ to be heard.
8. Derrick thinks his teacher speaks with a _____.
9. Mrs. Levine gave _____ directions.
10. The bank robber had a lot of _____.
11. Pat Sajac sometimes _____ the contestants on Wheel of Fortune.
12. Ms. Jackson stayed home from work because her cold was _____.
13. George Eastman made film by coating glass plates with an _____.

Name _____

Date _____

WORD SEARCH II

Vocabulary (Chapters 7-12)

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V D E D N E C S E D C X D E Q
A Y I B C K O I T S L Y S E M
S W A R M I N G H T P D L P H
R B H R C G S C A Q N T O O F
L Z I E W A C U U X D E U C Q
J F U P K W I L M I G S C S Z
C S G L V K O B A Y P C H O S
A D B I L I U R T O V S R E D
H R F C O N S E R V A T O R Y
V A P A C G N V O U L R F E L
G I V T P L E A P M I O G T K
B L U E V E S G E I A D C S O
G L A F D R S I L W N E R W T
V I N G A W B N V F T G A V D
K B E N E F A C T O R U M W R

REPLICATE
SLOUCH
CONSERVATORY
STEREOSCOPE
CONSCIOUSNESS

VALIANT
GAWKING
BILLIARDS
SWARMING
STRODE

BENEFACTOR
DOCENT
THAUMATROPE
DESCENDED

Name _____

Date _____

Vocabulary (Chapters 7-12)
Theft at George Eastman House by Sally Valentine

DIRECTIONS: Write the letter of the word next to its definition.

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|------------------|-------|---|
| A. replicate | _____ | 1.went from a higher place to a lower place |
| B. valiant | _____ | 2.a room for growing plants or playing music |
| C. benefactor | _____ | 3.an instrument for making two images merge into one. |
| D. slouch | _____ | 4.a game played on a table by hitting balls into pockets with a cue stick |
| E. gawking | _____ | 5.acting with bravery or boldness |
| F. docent | _____ | 6.took long steps |
| G. conservatory | _____ | 7.a posture of relaxation |
| H. billiards | _____ | 8.awareness |
| I. thaumatrope | _____ | 9.hovering in a crowd |
| J. stereoscope | _____ | 10.a person making a gift or bequest |
| K. swarming | _____ | 11.an optical toy in which pictures blend together when twirled |
| L. descended | _____ | 12.a person who leads guided tours |
| M. consciousness | _____ | 13.gaping or staring stupidly |
| N. strode | _____ | 14.copy |

DIRECTIONS: Fill in each blank with a word from the list above.

1. Mr. Johnson regained _____ in the hospital.
2. David was awarded a medal because he was a _____ soldier.
3. Jose beat Manuelo in a game of _____.
4. The _____ made the picture of the dog look like it was chasing the squirrel.
5. Mrs. Robinson told Daniel not to _____ in his seat.
6. The bees were _____ all over the flowers.
7. Patricia tried to _____ George Eastman House in a drawing.
8. All the drivers were _____ at the car on the side of the road.
9. A kind _____ left money to the school for scholarships.
10. Mr. Eastman listened to organ music in his _____.
11. Anita held the _____ up to her eyes to see some old pictures.
12. Twanda _____ to the front of the classroom to read her story.
13. A _____ at the museum showed Joshua's family a dinosaur exhibit.
14. When Lakeshia overslept, she _____ the stairs in a hurry.

Name _____

Date _____

WORD SEARCH III
Vocabulary (Chapters 13-20)
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A C C O M P L I C E T K E J A
C D N J Y R G B S I U F T T V
C S W U F E C N E X C W A N E
O K H B A M P C I P L N R E R
M U M I R E E Z B R O W E C T
P Z T L P D M J F I E C P O E
A N X A B I Z V S L H K U N D
N O G N I T A N I M I R C N I
Y I K T Q A E I Q D X J E I E
O T M R O T S N I A R B R Q B
Y A V P R E P O S T E R O U S
L I R S I D E B O A R D T H T
G D A D N L D E N I M A X E G
U E G V J Q N O I T O M M O C
R M A R V E L O U S G S O J H

DECEIT
BRAINSTORM
PREMEDITATED
ACCOMPLICE
BICKERING
ACCOMPANY

INNOCENT
COMMOTION
PREPOSTEROUS
AVERTED
MARVELOUS
TENSION

SIDEBOARD
MEDIATION
EXAMINED
INCRIMINATING
JUBLIANT
RECUPERATE

Name _____

Date _____

Vocabulary (Chapters 13-20)
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DIRECTIONS: Write the letter of the word next to its definition.

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|------------------|-------|--|
| A. deceit | _____ | 1. quarreling |
| B. innocent | _____ | 2. to get back health or strength |
| C. sideboard | _____ | 3. disturbance |
| D. brainstorm | _____ | 4. an attempt to trick or lie |
| E. commotion | _____ | 5. thought about beforehand |
| F. mediation | _____ | 6. stress |
| G. premeditated | _____ | 7. sudden bright idea |
| H. preposterous | _____ | 8. not guilty |
| I. examined | _____ | 9. piece of dining room furniture |
| J. accomplice | _____ | 10. joyful |
| K. averted | _____ | 11. to go along with |
| L. incriminating | _____ | 12. unlikely |
| M. bickering | _____ | 13. helper in crime |
| N. marvelous | _____ | 14. showing proof of a crime |
| O. jubilant | _____ | 15. looked at closely |
| P. accompany | _____ | 16. wonderful, astonishing |
| Q. tension | _____ | 17. intervening between arguing people |
| R. recuperate | _____ | 18. turned away |

DIRECTIONS: fill in each blank with a word from the list above.

1. "Stop your _____," said Mrs. Washington to her children.
2. "I have a headache from all this _____."
3. "I didn't do it. I'm _____," said the thief.
4. "Let's _____ ways to raise money," said the Girl Scout leader to her troupe.
5. "What's all this _____?" said the police officer.
6. The doctor _____ his patient very carefully.
7. "Tell the truth," said Mom. "I don't want any _____."
8. The Travis family kept their silverware in the _____.
9. Jason's crime was _____. He'd been planning it for weeks.
10. All the kids were _____ on the last day of school.
11. Divorcing couples often go to _____.
12. The bloody clothes were very _____.
13. When she passed a dead animal in the road, Lakeshia _____ her eyes.
14. "Will you be my _____ in crime?"
15. After his accident, Thomas needed five weeks to _____.
16. An elephant walking down Main Street is just _____.
17. Tawanda's dance performance was _____.
18. Jose wanted to _____ his father on his business trip.