The Adventures of Tom Sawyer

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1 Underline the correct answer.

Tom has to paint the fence. Why?

- a He did not go to school.
- **b** He broke a window.
- c He stole Aunt Polly's fruit.
- **d** He plays tricks on his friends.
- **2** Underline the correct answer.

What does Tom have in his pocket in the church?

- a a frog
- **b** a beetle
- **c** an apple
- d a knife
- **3** Underline the correct answer.

Why do Tom and Huck go to the graveyard one night?

- **a** They want to bury their snake.
- **b** They want to cure their warts with a dead cat.
- **c** They want to meet Joe Harper.
- **d** They want to frighten the ghosts away.
- **4** Underline the correct answer.

Becky is angry with Tom because

- a Tom is engaged to Amy Lawrence.
- **b** Tom is talking to Mary Harper.
- c Tom forgets to bring her some flowers.
- **d** Tom tells everyone about their romance.
- **5** Underline the correct answer.

Who is murdered at the graveyard?

- a Doctor Robinson
- **b** Judge Thatcher
- c Muff Potter
- d Injun Joe
- **6** Underline the correct answer.

Tom, Huck and Joe run away. They want to become

- a cowboys
- **b** sailors
- c magicians
- d pirates

7 Underline the correct answer.

Why does Tom speak in the courtroom?

- a He wants to ask Becky to marry him.
- **b** He knows the truth about the murder.
- **c** He wants to tell people about the island.
- **d** Aunt Polly wants him to apologize to everyone.
- **8** Underline the correct answer.

Who gets lost in McDougal's Cave?

- a Tom and Huck
- **b** Tom, Joe and Huck
- c Tom and Becky
- d Tom
- **9** Underline the correct answer.

What does Huck discover?

- **a** The secret path going out of McDougal's cave.
- b Injun Joe's plan for revenge on Mrs Douglas.
- c Long John Silver's treasure.
- **d** The reason for Tom's parents' death.
- **10** Underline the correct answer.

Why does Huck leave St Petersburg?

- **a** He wants to find Long John Silver's treasure.
- **b** He fights with Tom over Becky.
- **c** He does not like the comfortable life there.
- **d** He wants to find his father in New Orleans.

Read the sentences and circle True (**T**) or False (**F**).

- **11 T** or **F** Aunt Polly dislikes Tom because he always causes trouble.
- **12** \mathbf{T} or \mathbf{F} Injun Joe dies in the cave.
- **13 T** or **F** Tom is Huck's only friend.
- **14 T** or **F** Tom goes to his own funeral.
- **15 T** or **F** St Petersburg is a small town on the Hudson River.

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