**Chapter 1 Famine!**

Before You Read

[Sample Answers]

1. It means people are very hungry.

2. They feel very sad and hungry.

3. I think they are talking about their children, and how to survive from the famine.

After You Read

A. Choose the best answer.  
(c)

B. Write the information in the right place.

**Father Stepmother**

a poor wood cutter did not like the children

agreed with his wife wood cutter’s new wife

worried to feed his children wanted to be rid of children

**Chapter 2 Into the Forest**

Before You Read

[Sample Answers]

1. They are going into the forest.

2. He is throwing something on the road behind him.

3. They might be. The evil stepmother might have the father to do that.

After You Read

A. Choose the best answer.  
(b)

B. Match the sentence to the right person who said or acted it.

1. “We will come back for you.” 〮 〮 Father

2. Put the bread in her apron. 〮 〮 Stepmother

3. Quietly threw pebbles on the ground. 〮 〮 Gretel

4. “Now pile up some wood so I can light a fire.” 〮 〮 Hansel

**Chapter 3 Going Home**

Before You Read

[Sample Answers]

1. I think Hansel and Gretel are going home from the forest they were left.

2. They are coming out from the forest following the pebbles in the moonlight.

3. They will go back home. Hansel threw the pebbles on the road to find his way back home.

After You Read

A. Choose the best answer.

(c)

B. Put the information in the right place.

1. First, c 2. Next, d 3. After that, a 4. In the end, b

**Chapter 4 Back in the Forest**

Before You Read

[Sample Answers]

1. I think Hansel and Gretel will be back in the forest by their father and stepmother.

2. They feel sad and very hungry.

3. I hope he finds his way back home with his sister, but I am afraid he might not

find the way.

After You Read

A. Choose the best answer.  
(a)

B. Write the information in the right place.

1. b 2. d 3. a 4. c 5. f 6. e

**Chapter 5 No Crumbs for a Path**

Before You Read

[Sample Answers]

1. I think the birds in the forest might have eaten them all.

2. They are looking for the crumbs that Hansel threw on the way to the forest to find the way back home.

3. I think they will get lost. Because they could not find the bread crumbs and it is hard to find a way in the dark forest.

After You Read

A. Choose the best answer.  
(c)

B. Write T for True or F for False.  
1. T

2. F

3. F

4. F

5. T

6. F

7. T

8. F

**Chapter 6 A House in the Forest**

Before You Read

[Sample Answers]

1. I think they find a witch’s house in the forest.

2. I see Hansel, Gretel, a little house with candy and bread, an old woman who is a witch , and a bird on the house.

3. I think the old woman to them, but only to eat them.

After You Read

A. Choose the best answer.  
(b)

B. Put things happened to the children in the forest in order from 1 to 6.

• 2

• 1

• 5

• 4

• 3

• 6

**Chapter 7 The Witch**

Before You Read

[Sample Answers]

1. I think the old woman who fed Hansel and Gretel is the witch.

2. She locked up Hansel in a cage. There are some wood under the cage. She might try to cook and eat Hansel.

3. I think this time Gretel will come up with an idea and help Hansel.

After You Read

A. Choose the best answer.  
(c)

B. Put information in the right place.

She was only \_\_d\_\_ to be kind. → She had \_\_b\_\_ many children and eaten them.

She cannot \_\_c\_\_ well. → She \_\_f\_\_ Hansel in a cage in a stable. → She had Gretel \_\_a \_ something delicious. → After four weeks, the witch was \_\_e\_\_ because Hansel was still thin.

**Chapter 8 Gretel and the Witch**

Before You Read

[Sample Answers]

1. I think Gretel will save Hansel.

2. Gretel is about to push the witch into the oven.

3. I think they will go back home eventually. They were on their way home before they came to the little house and captured by the witch.

After You Read

A. Choose the best answer.  
(a)

B. Write the information in the right sentence.

Gretel was not fooled and tricked the witch put her head into the oven.

And then she gave her a push and when the wicked witch fell into the oven,

she slammed the door and locked it.

Finally, she let Hansel out of the cage. They took coins, pearls, and jewels from the house and walked back home.