

Common Core Aligned Comprehension Assessment

Peter's Chair CCSS Assessment

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Directions:

Use what you know about **Peter's Chair** to answer each of the following questions.

1. Which of these is a key detail to understanding why Peter takes his things outside?

- ☐ A He is taking them to the garbage because he is too big for them.
- ☐ B The family is getting ready for a big move.
- ☐ C He and his friends are putting them in a treehouse.
- ☐ D He has a new baby sister, and his parents are painting all the baby furniture pink.

2. What important lesson does Peter learn while he is outside with his things?

- ☐ A When you have outgrown something, it is good to let someone else enjoy it.
- ☐ B He does not want his sister to have any of his things.
- ☐ C Furniture and pictures belong inside.
- ☐ D Babies don't like toy crocodiles.

3. What did Peter decide to do when he was upset his old crib and highchair were pink?

- ☐ A He decided to paint them blue again.
- ☐ B He hid all his other things under his bed.
- ☐ C He decided to run away.
- ☐ D He told his mom and dad that it was not fair and he wanted them back.

4. Which of these is an example of the author using alliteration?

- ☐ A his sister Susie's room
- ☐ B Crash!
- ☐ C "It's my high chair," with
- ☐ D cookies and dog biscuits

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5. What does Peter do at the end to show that he has changed? (RL.2.5)

- ☐ A He comes back in for a special lunch.
- ☐ B He gives his sister all his toys.
- ☒ C He asks to help paint his chair pink for his sister.
- ☐ D He sits next to his dad.

6. Why does Peter whisper and mutter to himself when he sees his crib and highchair? (RL.2.6)

- ☐ A He doesn't want to wake up his sister.
- ☐ B He is talking to his dog, Willie.
- ☐ C He will get in trouble if he says those things are really his.
- ☒ D It shows he is sad and upset.

7. What do the words and illustrations tell us about Peter's family? (RL.2.7)

- ☒ A They are caring and patient.
- ☐ B They only care about the baby.
- ☐ C They are very mean to Peter.
- ☐ D They are not like a real family because they have magical powers.

8. How is Peter different once he realizes his chair is too small? (RL.2.9)

- ☐ A He gets more upset that he is growing up.
- ☒ B He has the great idea of sharing the things he does not need anymore.
- ☐ C He does not want to build tall buildings anymore.
- ☐ D He wants to hide behind the curtains.

9. Based on what you've read, how will Peter deal with all the changes that come with a new baby? (RL.2.10)

- ☐ A He will refuse to play with her.
- ☐ B He will run away for real next time.
- ☒ C It will be hard sometimes, but he loves his family and will work it out.
- ☐ D He will love her, but won't share anything with her.

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