

Common Core Aligned Comprehension Assessment

Somebody Loves You, Mr. Hatch
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Directions:

Use what you know about *Somebody Loves You, Mr. Hatch* to answer each of the following questions.

1. What happened that changed Mr. Hatch's life?

- A He got a job at the shoelace factory.
- B He helped find the little girl who was late getting home.
- C He got candy from a secret admirer.
- D He found his old harmonica.

2. Which is **not** a theme that readers can learn from Mr. Hatch's story?

- A Responsibility
- B Kindness
- C Community
- D Helpfulness

3. What makes Mr. Hatch feel happy and want to do nice things?

- A feeling loved
- B eating chocolate
- C going to work
- D talking to the postman

4. What does it mean when the neighbors say Mr. Hatch "keeps to himself"?

- A He keeps his house clean.
- B He keeps a daily routine on schedule.
- C He is mean and grumpy.
- D He seems shy and does not talk to anyone.

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5. What was Mr. Hatch's life like when he thought he was alone and no one loved him? (RL.3.5)

- A He lived alone, but had many friends.
- B It was quiet, lonely, and he followed the same routine every day.
- C He spent all his time reading and sleeping.
- D He tried to do something new and exciting every day.

6. What did the neighborhood realize when they put themselves in Mr. Hatch's place? (RL.3.6)

- A They thought he might be happier just keeping to himself.
- B They realized the package was delivered to him by mistake.
- C They realized how much they loved him, and they needed to tell him.
- D They thought Mr. Hatch was only nice because he wanted candy.

7. How do the illustrations show the difference between when Mr. Hatch is lonely and when he is happy? (RL.3.7)

- A They are gray and sad feeling when he is lonely.
- B The pictures are colorful when he is happy.
- C The people are all smiling and happy when Mr. Hatch is happy.
- D All of the above

8. What is the difference between Mr. Hatch when he is lonely and when he is happy? (RL.3.9)

- A When he's lonely, he doesn't speak to anyone, but laughs and talks when he's happy.
- B He only eats mustard and cheese sandwiches at lunch.
- C Lonely Mr. Hatch bakes brownies, but happy Mr. Hatch does not.
- D When he is lonely, he plays harmonica before he goes to bed.

9. This story is **realistic fiction**. Why is that important to the theme? (RL.3.10)

- A It tells us the story is not true.
- B The magical events let us use our imagination.
- C We can learn facts about Mr. Hatch because he was a real person.
- D We can learn about ways we can be kind to our neighbors in real life.

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One question for each Reading
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Answer Key

