

Common Core Aligned Comprehension Assessment

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The Westing Game
CCSS Assessment

Directions: Use what you know about **The Westing Game** to answer each of the following questions.

What can you conclude from this passage: "I never heard of anyone dying of lemon juice consumption."

RL.5.1

How does Turtle respond to the challenges she faces with her mother and the competition with Angela? (select all that apply)

☐ A She gives up.

☐ B She goes on working toward her goal of solving the puzzle

☐ C She blackmails her mother.

☐ D She takes the blame for her sister.

RL.5.2

Compare Christos and his brother Theo.

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Common Core Assessment:
One question for each Reading
Informational OR Reading Literature
standard (1-9)



Answer Key

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What is the meaning of the underlined word in this sentence: "And if anyone here suspects us of murder, forget it, we both have airtight alibis."

Answer: A claim that you cannot be guilty of a crime because you were somewhere else when the crime was committed

RL.5.4

A murder mystery has three important parts; what are they?

Answer:
Introduction: where we learn about the problem and meet the characters;
Body: where people work to solve the mystery;
Conclusion: where the mystery is solved.

RL.5.5

Who is telling the story?

☐ A Mr. Westling

☐ B JJ Ford

☐ C Turtle

☒ D A first person narrator

☐ A third person narrator

RL.5.6

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