

# Answer Key

## Before You Read

### I. Complete the following passage about Saint-Exupéry's life by writing the correct word in each blank.

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| 1. aristocratic | 2. siblings |
| 3. airplane     | 4. profound |
| 5. realize      | 6. pilot    |

### II. Scan through the book and answer the following questions.

1. I think the little prince is very sensitive and innocent. He values love and understanding. He views things without judgment and looks at the true beauty of the world.
2. The little prince visits seven planets. I am more interested in the planet Earth. Because the little prince's experience there is more complex than his previous destinations. This is where he finds the secret truth about life: the things that really matter are invisible rather than on the surface.
3. The pilot is only curious about the little prince's planet and travels. Then he begins to see the little prince's sadness and feels deep compassion toward him.

### III. Have you read this book before? If so, when? What was your opinion of the book then and how does it compare to your reading now?

I read this book when I was a child. Then I thought it was only a fairytale for children because it is short and full of pictures. I didn't understand the little prince's sadness. Now, I begin to understand more of this book. As I get more information about the author, I relate this book to his own life experience. The little prince sees the unpleasant nature of grown-up's rules and preserves his curiosity and innocence. / I've never read this book until now. I find that it conveys more than a children's story. The values embedded in this book are universal. The little prince is not affected by the vices of grown-ups such as greed, lack of creativity, and ignorance. He teaches us to build meaningful relationships with loved ones and seeks to get to the heart of things.

## [Chapter 1-6]

### I. Put the sentences in order from 1 (first) to 5 (last).

5, 4, 3, 2, 1

### II. Choose the best answer.

1. b 2. d 3. a

### III. Match the word with the meaning used in the text.

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| 1. e | 2. d | 3. b | 4. a |
| 5. g | 6. h | 7. f | 8. c |

### IV. Complete the summary by writing the correct phrase in each blank.

1. imagination and understanding
2. has crash-landed in a desert
3. a drawing of a sheep
4. a very small planet
5. no bigger than a house
6. pulling up baobab seedlings

## [Chapter 7-9]

### I. Put the sentences in order from 1 (first) to 5 (last).

1, 2, 5, 3, 4

### II. Choose the best answer.

1. b 2. c 3. d

### III. Write the correct word in each blank.

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| 1. reassure   | 2. muzzle  |
| 3. rumpled    | 4. torment |
| 5. stratagems | 6. extinct |

### IV. Complete the summary by writing the correct phrase in each blank.

1. has come up
2. watches very closely over
3. to show herself in perfect condition
4. her vanity and demands
5. waters the flower for the last time
6. not to linger

## [Chapter 10-15]

### I. Put the sentences in order from 1 (first) to 5 (last).

2, 5, 3, 4, 1

### II. Choose the best answer.

1. c 2. a 3. b

**III. Write the correct word or phrase in each blank.**

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|----------------|------------------|
| 1. etiquette   | 2. monotony      |
| 3. plunged     | 4. idle dreaming |
| 5. intoxicated | 6. ephemeral     |

**IV. Complete the summary by writing the correct phrase in each blank.**

1. who requires obedience
2. nothing from the prince but flattery
3. to forget how ashamed he is of drinking
4. a businessman
5. follows orders that require him to light a lamp
6. they are ephemeral

**[Chapter 16-23]**

**I. Put the sentences in order from 1 (first) to 5 (last).**

4, 2, 5, 3, 1

**II. Choose the best answer.**

1. d      2. c      3. d

**III. Match the word with the meaning used in the text.**

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| 1. c | 2. b | 3. h | 4. g |
| 5. a | 6. d | 7. e | 8. f |

**IV. Complete the summary by writing the correct phrase in each blank.**

1. return him to his home
2. people lack roots
3. thousands of roses
4. not unique in the universe
5. establishes ties with the fox
6. he is responsible for his rose

**[Chapter 24-27]**

**I. Put the sentences in order from 1 (first) to 5 (last).**

4, 5, 1, 2, 3

**II. Choose the best answer.**

1. a      2. d      3. c

**III. Match the word with the meaning used in the text.**

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| 1. c | 2. h | 3. g | 4. b |
| 5. f | 6. d | 7. e | 8. a |

**IV. Complete the summary by writing the correct phrase in each blank.**

1. eight days
2. search a well
3. has everything ready for use
4. return to his own planet
5. allowing the poisonous snake to bite him
6. six years
7. missing
8. ate his flower

**After You Read**

**I. Review the little prince's journey before his arrival on the Earth. Describe the six inhabitants' obsessions.**

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| 1. A King        | 2. A Conceited Man |
| 3. Admiration    | 4. 327             |
| 5. A Tippler     | 6. Shame           |
| 7. A Businessman | 8. A Lamplighter   |
| 9. Order         | 10. A Geographer   |