

# The City of Ember - Chapter 7 "A Message Full of Holes" - Pages 93 - 112

1. The document sparked Lina's curiosity. Because of this document we know the city of Ember did not have \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) printed labels
  - b) computers or typewriters
  - c) certificates
  - d) licenses
  
2. Lina thought the document was \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) directions for building the city
  - b) a recipe from the first people in Ember
  - c) instructions for saving the city
  - d) someone's homework
  
3. The Believers thought that \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) the Builders were coming back to help the people of Ember
  - b) the city would be saved by magic
  - c) the people of Ember would discover a way to leave the city
  
4. When Lina asked Captain Fleery to come see the document she told Lina \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) the document looked extremely important
  - b) to take the document to Mayor Cole
  - c) to forget the puzzle project
  
5. Next Lina decided to talk to Lizzie Bisco about the document because \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) her father was Mayor Cole
  - b) she was quick and smart
  - c) she knew how to read secret codes
  
6. As a child Granny visited the storerooms in Ember with her classmates. The supplies looked like they would never run out. Granny loved one fruit. It was \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) apples
  - b) pears
  - c) peaches
  - d) pineapple
  
7. In the year 241 the supplies in Ember \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) were running out
  - b) were abundant
  
8. What was Lizzie's reaction to seeing the document?
  - a) excited
  - b) like she could care less
  - c) disappointed
  - d) surprised

9. After trying to decode the message Lina found an important word. What was it?

- a) Harken Square
- b) Gathering Hall
- c) Pipeworks
- d) Library

10. At the end of the chapter Lina decided to ask \_\_\_\_\_ for help.

11. Based on the story, it is likely that in the future

- a) Mayor Cole will solve the problems surrounding the generator.
- b) Lina will seek Lizzie's help again.
- c) Captain Fleery knows how to repair the generator.
- d) Doon will be interested in helping Lina.

12. Read these events from Chapter 7.

- 1) Doon told his father that he thought the mayor was a fool after hearing his speech.
- 2) A notice was posted informing the people of Ember that Mayor Cole was holding a town meeting.
- 3) Lina carried the same message twelve times about the seven minute long blackout.
- 4) Mayor Cole spoke to the Emberites about solutions.

Which sequence best describes the order of events in this chapter?

- a) 1, 2, 3, 4
- b) 2, 4, 1, 3
- c) 3, 2, 4, 1
- d) 3, 2, 1, 4

13. Which statement from this chapter is an opinion?

- a) Captain Fleery is a member of the Believers.
- b) Lina sent a letter to Mayor Cole.
- c) Granny is sinking deeper into a troubled state of mind.
- d) Electricity is made by the generator.

14. Which statement from this chapter contains a cause-effect relationship?

- a) No one was sitting at the guard's desk, so Lina left the note there, placed so the guard would see it when he arrived.
- b) Lina made beet soup for dinner which Granny stirred and stirred without eating.
- c) At the Supply Depot, crowds of shopkeepers stood in long disorderly lines that stretched out the door.
- d) Lina sat down at her table and uncovered the patched-together document to write down what she decoded.



# The City of Ember - Chapter 8 "Explorations" & Chapter 9 "The Door in the Roped-Off Tunnel" - Pages 113-131

1. What did Doon do after his work was finished?

- a) Doon played cards.
- b) Doon raced salamanders.
- c) Doon explored the tunnels.
- d) Doon slept.

2. What new creature did Doon find in the tunnels?

- a) snail
- b) rat
- c) cricket
- d) ant

3. Doon went to the library to look up \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) generators
- b) fire
- c) insects
- d) maps of the city

4. The books in the library \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) contained useful information the Builders thought the people needed to know
- b) were printed over 300 years earlier
- c) were bound together with string and paperclips

5. When Doon couldn't find any useful information about fires, he read about \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) furniture repair
- b) canning fruits
- c) meaning of words and phrases
- d) fun things to do with string

6. Doon read the meanings for "heavens above", "hogwash", "batting a thousand", and "all in the same boat" while researching in the library. What could you conclude about the reason the Emberites no longer used these phrases?

- a) The people of Ember had limited knowledge, and the phrases had no special meaning to them.
- b) The people of Ember were taught to use phrases that had only literal meanings.
- c) The Emberites played few games and these terms were all used in games.

7. What did Doon think of the document?

- a) Doon thought the document was important.
- b) Doon wasn't interested in the document.
- c) Doon thought Lina should just throw the document away.

8. Doon took Lina inside the Pipeworks to \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) the wall of carvings
- b) the locked door
- c) see the generator

9. What did Lina and Doon see on the other side of the locked door?

- a) They saw a tunnel leading out of Ember.
- b) They saw a supply closet full of needed materials for Ember.
- c) They were unable to get inside.



10. Another title for Chapter 9 could be \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) The Wild River Ride
- b) Lina and Doon Team Up to Solve the Mystery
- c) The Fight with the Mystery Man

11. What question does Chapter 9 answer?

- a) What is behind the locked door?
- b) How big is the river?
- c) Who was in the Pipeworks with Lina and Doon after work?
- d) What does Doon like to draw?

12. At the end of Chapter 9 Doon and Lina can best be described as what?

- a) exhausted
- b) angry
- c) puzzled
- d) excited

13. Which statement is an example of a cause and effect relationship?

- a) When they came up out of the Pipeworks, they stripped off their boots and slickers and hurried out into Plummer Square, where they flopped down on the bench and burst into furious talk.
- b) And in a minute, they heard a thump and click – the door closing, the lock turning – and footsteps once again, this time quick.
- c) Doon thought the room could be a storage room with some special tools in it.
- d) Because the instructions had the word Pipeworks, Doon and Lina began their search in the Pipeworks.

14. Which of these statements from Chapter 9 states an opinion?

- a) The river goes through the Pipeworks.
- b) To Lina, this sounded far less interesting than an undiscovered city, but she didn't say so.
- c) Doon led her up the path beside the water.
- d) Lina stopped at home the next day long enough to change out of her messenger jacket.

