

THE OUTSIDERS assessments

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Reading Check 2

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THE OUTSIDERS THE OUTSIDERS Name: Name: Chapter 1 Chapter 2 1. What group is Ponyboy a part of? What is the 1. What are the names of the two girls Ponyboy name of the rival group? meets? 2. Who are Ponyboy's brothers? 2. Where do Ponyboy and his friends go to have fun? 3. What happens to Ponyboy when he walks home from the movies? 3. What is Johnny's home life like? Reading Check 3 Reading Check 4 THE OUTSIDERS THE OUTSIDERS Name: Name: Chapter 3 Chapter 4 1. What happens to Ponyboy and company when 1. What happens in the park? they are walking home from the movies? 2. What is the name of the Soc with the rings? 2. Where do Johnny and Ponyboy go to get help? 3. What does Darry do that causes Ponyboy to run 3. How do Johnny and Ponyboy escape the area? away? Where do they go?

Reading Check 1

- 12 Mini-Quizzes - 3 Questions per Chapter
- Google FormsTM for **Easy Grading**
- Common Core-Aligned **Materials**

Check for Understanding

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Quiz 1: Chapters 1-4 THE OUTSIDERS Name: SECTION I: Order the following events of the novel in *chronological* order _ - Ponyboy falls asleep in the lot and Darry slaps him when he comes home. _____ - Dally bothers Cherry and Marcia at the movies. Socs jump Ponyboy as he walks home alone from the movies. ___ - Ponyboy and Johnny run away after a violent altercation in the park. Ponyboy, Johnny, and Two-Bit are threatened by Socs and Cherry stops the SECTION II: Mark true statements with a T, and false statements with an F The Greasers are from the East Side, while Socs are from the West Side. Marcia dumps a coke on Dally when he won't leave the girls alone. - After Johnny gets badly beat by Socs, he starts carrying a gun. _____ - Ponyboy's parents were killed in an airplane crash. Ponyboy gets cut and almost drowned by Socs in these chapters. SECTION III: Fill in the blank 1. According to Pony, tough means rough and _____ means sharp, cool. 2. When Johnny and Pony get in trouble, they get help from _____ 3. The Socs that beat up Johnny, threaten the boys on the home from the movies, and jump Ponyboy and Johnny at the park drive a ______. 4. Sodapop had a horse named ______. Ponyboy likes all the members of his group except for **SECTION IV: Multiple-choice** Which of the following is a conflict that Ponyboy does not face in the first third of the novel? a. Ponyboy worries about his appearance after he cuts his hair Ponyboy fights with Darry over the house rules and Darry's high expectations

c. Ponyboy tries to fight off Socs when he walks home alone from the movies

d. Ponyboy struggles with the loss of his parents and wishes they were still alive

- 3 NovelQuizzes 1 perThird of Book
- Depth of Knowledge Questions
- Use for Assessment or Practice
- Essay Choice Board

Assessment Resources

Read the passage and answer question 1 that follows.

As we walked out into the hall, we saw Johnny's mother. I knew her. She was a little woman, with straight black hair and big black eyes like Johnny's. But that was as far as the resemblance went. Johnnycake's eyes were fearful and sensitive; hers were cheap and hard.

1. _____ Based on the passage, the imagery used to describe Johnny's mother is effective because of which reason?

- a. The imagery is effective at painting a clear picture as to what Johnny's mother looks like
- b. The imagery contrasts Johnny and his mother and is effective because it portrays her as uncaring and mean
- c. The imagery is effective at showing that she has a low-level job and works for cheap
- d. The imagery shows how Johnny and his mother look very similar to one another

Read the passage and answer question 2 that follows.

I should be scared, I thought with an odd detached feeling, but I'm not. The cinders and embers began falling on us, stinging and smarting like ants. Suddenly, in the red glow and the haze, I remembered wondering what it was like in a burning ember, and I thought: Now I know, it's a red hell. Why aren't I scared?

2. How is the following sentence from the passage effective?

The cinders and embers began falling on us, stinging and smarting like ants.

- a. The sentence emphasizes how dangerous the fire is and how the boys are in a risky situation
- b. The sentence emphasizes the importance of the fire to Ponyboy's thoughts
- c. The sentence describes Johnny's life as heroic and valuable
- d. The sentence shows that the church is burning down by a big fire

Read the passage and answer questions 3-6 that follow.

Nature's first green is gold,
Her hardest hue to hold.
Her early leaf's a flower;
But only so an hour.
Then leaf subsides to leaf.
So Eden sank to grief,
So dawn goes down to day.
Nothing gold can stay.

- 3. Which of the following lines is a metaphor?
 - a. "So dawn goes down to day."
 - b. "Her early leaf's a flower."
 - c. "Her hardest hue to hold."
 - d. "So Eden sank to grief."

Final Literary
Test

Matching,Multiple-Choice& Short AnswerQuestions

Answer Keys

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