

The Story of the Treasure Seekers Quiz

4 points each

Quiz questions based on the Comprehension Guide by Ginny Walls

1. Who was the author of this book? _____
2. How many people lived in the house? _____
3. Who was the oldest child? _____
4. What was Father's nickname for Dicky? And why? _____

5. Who was Albert-next-door? _____
6. What kind of pet did they have? And what was its name? _____

7. What did Albert-next-door's uncle tell the children when he brought Oswald home? _____

8. What was the title of one of Noel's poems? _____
9. What poem did they send to the newspaper? _____
10. What was the name of the newspaper where Noel's poem was printed? _____

11. What holiday occurs every November 5th in England? _____
12. What did the children buy with their money from the poetry? _____

13. What does a 'note in hand' mean? _____

14. Were the kids able to sell any bottles of Sherry? If so, who was their first customer? _____
15. What illness did the children vote to cure? _____
16. Why did Eliza hate it when the children were punished? _____

17. Who was the first burglar that the children encountered? The second burglar?
 - I. _____
 - II. _____
18. List 5 things that the children served to the poor Indian Uncle for dinner.

- I. _____
- II. _____
- III. _____
- IV. _____

19. Where did the children and the poor Indian Uncle eat dinner? _____

20. What did the Indian Uncle bring to the children at the end of the story? List 5 examples.

- I. _____
- II. _____
- III. _____
- IV. _____
- V. _____

21. What did the Indian Uncle give to Father? _____

22. What was the children's first impression of seeing the poor Indian Uncle all dressed up? _____

23. Were they correct with this impression? If not, what was wrong with their first impression? _____

24. What important matter did the Indian Uncle say he had to discuss with them? _____

25. What was the most prized possession that the Indian Uncle had? How did he get it? _____

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1. Who was the author of this book? **Edith Nesbit**
2. How many people lived in the house? **7, Father and 6 children**
3. Who was the oldest child? **Dora**
4. What was Father's nickname for Dicky? And why? **The Definite Article because he always had to have everything settled exactly.**
5. Who was Albert-next-door? **Their neighbor.**
6. What kind of pet did they have? And what was its name? **They had a dog named Pincher.**
7. What did Albert-next-door's uncle tell the children when he brought Oswald home? **That it wasn't nice to spy on ladies and that they should mind their own business.**
8. What was the title of one of Noel's poems? **Reviving Preacher, The Wreck of the Malabar, or Lines on a Dead Black Beetle**
9. What poem did they send to the newspaper? **The Wreck of the Malabar**
10. What was the name of the newspaper where Noel's poem was printed? **The Daily Recorder**
11. What holiday occurs every November 5th in England? **Guy Fawkes Day**
12. What did the children buy with their money from the poetry? **A birthday present for Father and fireworks for Guy Fawkes Day**
13. What does a 'note in hand' mean? **A signed, written promise to repay a debt.**
14. Were the kids able to sell any bottles of Sherry? If so, who was their first customer? **Yes, the butcher bought half a dozen bottles.**
15. What illness did the children vote to cure? **The common cold**
16. Why did Eliza hate it when the children were punished? **She had to bring meals to their rooms and light the fire in Noel's room early.**
17. Who was the first burglar that the children encountered? The second burglar? **The first was Mr. Bastable's friend. The second was a real burglar who escaped.**

18. List 5 things that the children served to the poor Indian Uncle for dinner.
Rabbit, sweets, almonds, figs, coconut, and pudding with currants
19. Where did the children and the poor Indian Uncle eat dinner? On the floor of the nursery
20. What did the Indian Uncle bring to the children at the end of the story? List 5 examples. Presents which included model engines, books, Japanese china tea-sets, sweets, yards of soft silk from India, a real Indian Sword, a book of Japanese pictures, ivory chess men, games, preserved fruits, carved fans, bangle bracelets, strings on amber beads, necklaces of uncut gems, shawls of silk, cabinets of brown and gold, ivory boxes, silver trays, and brass things.
21. What did the Indian Uncle give to Father? An ivory paper knife and a box of cigars
22. What was the children's first impression of seeing the poor Indian Uncle all dressed up? They thought he was the butler.
23. Were they correct with this impression? If not, what was wrong with their first impression? No, they were not correct as he was the master of the house.
24. What important matter did the Indian Uncle say he had to discuss with them? He had invited them to live in his house with him as his house was rather big for him.
25. What was the most prized possession that the Indian Uncle had? How did he get it? It was a three-penny bit on his watch chain that the children had given him when they believed he was poor.