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WISHWEAVER - TALES OF WHIMSY

Reading Comprehension Answer Sheet Chapters 1 - 11

Questions Answered below from the Author

1 What was Whimsy's biggest fear?

Whimsy's most afraid of heights and would prefer to stay firmly planted to the ground.



2 What made Whimsy cross the river?

She heard a voice calling for help from across the river and knew she couldn't just walk away.

3 What does Flit need to be careful of?

Flit needs to be careful of the wind taking him away from Whimsy.

4 Name two of the ridiculous wishes that were made when the Wishweaver was still around.

A firefly wanted to glow blue; a pig wanted a twirlier tail; a crocodile wanted hair.

5 What does Lady Porcupine give Whimsy to take on her journey?

Lady Porcupine gives Whimsy eight Crawler Biscuits to take with her in a sack that she ties to her back.

6 How does Whimsy help Cricket?

Using her webs, Whimsy ties Cricket's hair into a series of wrapped buns so that she won't trip on it anymore and it will stay out of her way.

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7 How do the fireflies make their music?

The fireflies make their music by bouncing their backsides on the bellflowers in Bellflower Grove.

8 Why does Whimsy get bullied by Bax, Sid, and the other spiders?

Whimsy gets bullied by the spiders because she is staying on the ground not high up in the trees. Ultimately, she's different from the rest of them.

9 How does Whimsy survive the fall? What fact about spiders did you learn because of this?

Whimsy survives by releasing a strand of web and hoping the West Wind will push her thread to somewhere it can stick. Spiders make their webs by waiting for the right breeze to carry their webs from one branch to the next.

10 What do Whimsy and Flit find at the bottom of the waterfall?

The Ivy-Covered Cottage where Mayflower Water Buffalo now lives.

11 **BONUS QUESTION:** What mis-guided wish brought Mayflower to her new but lonely home?

Mayflower Water Buffalo wished to swim in endless pools of water.

12 **BONUS QUESTION:** What is the symbolism of Lady Porcupine's Crawler Biscuits?

The Crawler Biscuits act as a symbol of friendship, kindness, and the importance of sharing.

