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**Classwork/Homework Chapters 1-5**

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| Classwork:  -Read the About the Author and complete questions (p. 17-18)  -Vocab Ch. 1-2  -Read Ch. 1-2 and begin questions  **Homework:**  **□Complete Questions for**  **Ch. 1-2**  **□Independent Reading**  **□2-3 sections of homework sheet** | Classwork:  -Vocab Ch. 3  -Language Focus p. 29-30  -Read Ch. 3 and complete questions  -Pronoun Review game  **Homework:**  **□Complete Questions Ch. 3**  **□Independent Reading**  **□2-3 sections of homework sheet** | Classwork:  -Pronoun Quiz  -Finish rough draft of narrative  -Begin revising and editing  **Homework: □Independent reading**  **□2-3 sections of homework sheet** | Warm-up: Vocab Ch. 4-5  CW: Read Ch. 4-5  Literature Focus p. 26-27  **HW: Ch. 4-5 Questions**  **Study for quiz over Ch. 1-5** | Classwork:  -Vocab/  Comprehension Quiz  -Independent Reading  -Finish pronoun quiz for anyone who didn’t finish  **HW: Have a great weekend! ☺** |

Vocab Ch. 1-2

1. Unvanquished-
2. Microsecond-
3. Mainstream-
4. Fiend-

Questions Ch. 1

1. What was Max’s nickname in daycare? Why was he called that?
2. What does Max mean by, “the year Gram and Grim took me over…”?
3. How does Max feel about his grandparents? Justify your answer with evidence from the text.
4. Infer what Grim means when he says that Maxwell is “getting to look a lot like *him*.”
5. What is the nickname that Kevin gives his mom? What does that tell you about how he feels about his mom?

Questions Ch. 2

1. How does Max describe himself in Ch. 2? Why is he convinced that he doesn’t have a brain?
2. Describe Max’s bedroom. Infer how Max feels about his bedroom. Justify your answer with details from the story.
3. What is Kevin doing as the movers are moving them into their new home?
4. Why do you think Grim and Gram are so afraid of Max doing something bad or dangerous?
5. List 3 pieces of information that you can infer about Kevin from Ch. 2.

Vocab Ch. 3

1. Bulkhead-
2. Ornithopter-
3. Propulsion-

Ch. 3 Questions

1. Why is Kevin waving his crutch up at the tree and jumping up and down?
2. What does Max do to help? What do they end up doing?
3. Compare and contrast how Max and Kevin describe the ornithopter.
4. Explain why Ch. 3 is entitled “American Flyer.”
5. This chapter describes the beginning of the friendship between Kevin and Max, a friendship they both need. Why do you think the characters aren’t eager to begin a friendship if they both need a friend?

Ch. 4-5 Vocab

1. Sobriquet-
2. Quest-
3. Invincible-
4. Ignorance-
5. Tenements-

Ch. 4 Questions

1. Why does Kevin refer to his mom as the “fair Gwen of air?”
2. Reread the passage where Kevin tells Max about how Arthur became king. Identify how Arthur’s story is similar to Kevin’s.
3. According to Kevin, what is robotics and how is it used?
4. When comparing TV to books, Kevin says, “Books are like truth serum- if you don’t read, you can’t figure out what’s real.” Explain what this means.
5. Create a list of ways Max and Kevin are opposites.

Ch. 5 Questions

1. Decide why Max pretends he doesn’t remember Kevin at daycare. Justify your answer with details from the text.
2. Why does Gwen call to apologize?
3. Why do you think Max feels so uncomfortable having dinner with Kevin and his mom?
4. Why does Max begin to cry as he lies down on his bed that night?
5. This chapter gives us some of the first clues about Kevin’s family. What are some of those clues?