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**Reading Comprehension**
**Story Elements**

**(A) Read each sentence. Choose the correct story element that is being described. (5mks)**

1. It was in the afternoon in the woods.

2. Mark was a shy student.

3. It was a dark and stormy night.

4. The fire was extinguished before it spread.

5. Don was confident.

**(B) Read the fairy tale summary of Little Red Riding Hood, then answer the questions.**

Little Red Riding Hood

Little Red Riding Hood went to the forest to visit her ill granny. She took some cake and lemonade in a basket. She met a wicked wolf that asked her which path she was taking. She replied, "I'm taking the path that leads to my granny's cottage."

While Little Red Riding Hood was busy picking flowers to take to her granny, the wolf went to the cottage and swallowed granny in one gulp. Then the wolf put on granny's cap, got in granny's bed, covered up in blankets, and settled in to wait. Little Red Riding Hood arrived at the cottage and came into granny's bedroom. She said, 'Granny what big ears you have," and the wolf replied, "All the better to hear you with, my dear." And so on with Granny's eyes: "All the better to see you with, my dear," and teeth: "all the better to eat you with, my dear."

The wolf swallowed Little Red Riding Hood in one gulp and then fell asleep. A woodsman came by while the wolf was still asleep. The woodsman cut the wolf open with his ax and out popped Granny and Little Red Riding Hood. Then the woodsman, Granny, and Little Red Riding Hood all sat down by the fire and enjoyed cake and lemonade.

6. Who are the characters in the story? (4)

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_____ _____

7. What is the setting of the story? (1)

8. What word best describes the wolf's character?

9. Number the sentences in the order that they happened in the story. (4)

_____ Little Red Riding Hood was picking flowers.

_____ The woodsman rescued Little Red Riding Hood and Granny.

_____ Little Red Riding Hood went to visit her Granny.

_____ The wolf pretended to be Granny.

10. (a) Which word best describes Little Red Riding Hood's character? Choose your answer. (1)

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(b) Support your answer with evidence from the passage. (1)

11. What was the conflict in the story? (1)

12. How was it resolved? (1)

13. Which best describes the theme? (1)