The Short Trip

Assessment

1. **Who are the characters in the story?**
   Choose from these names:
   Ali / Marwan / Omar / Fay / Ahmed / Narrator /
   _____
   _____

2. **What is the setting in each chapter?**

   Chapter One: _____
   Chapter Two: _____
   Chapter Three: _____

3. **What lesson can we learn from this story?**
   Fill in the correct words:

   We have to be _____ to other people because they might have to _____ you some day.

4. **Read the first paragraph of each chapter. Say which chapter it is and what the name of the chapters are.**
   Use the following word bank:

Ahmed	**Three**	**Two**
A Good Team	**One**	**The Island**

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Chapter		Chapter		Chapter	
Suddenly, everything was as dark as the night. A storm was coming! Trees moved in the wind. I felt rain begin to come down.		I was happy when I got up today. My friends and I were going out in my boat. We wanted to go to an island. Marwan and I met at the beach. Omar came later with Ahmed. Now, I wasn't happy.		My boat was gone! How would we leave the island? I tried not to feel afraid.	

5. Put the following paragraphs from Chapter 3 in the correct order by numbering it from 1 to 4:

Omar used Marwan's glasses with the sun to start a small fire. We dried our clothes by the fire. "We do make a good team," Ahmed said.	"I'm sorry," Ahmed said. "We're here because of me. I feel like a bad person." Ahmed was not nice sometimes, but today was different. "It's okay, Ahmed," I said. "You helped me go up that tree." "You also helped us stay out of the rain," Marwan said. "We all make a good team," Omar said. Ahmed looked happy. His smile was like warm sunshine. Finally, the storm was done. The real sun came out.
"Are we all friends now?" Omar asked. We all agreed, "Yes!" We went down to the beach. My boat was back! The storm had pushed it up on the shore! We ran to it. Ahmed helped me in. Everyone else jumped in, and we started rowing for home, together.	Suddenly, everything was as dark as the night. A storm was coming! Trees moved in the wind. I felt rain begin to come down. "We need to stay dry!" I said. Marwan saw small trees that were down. They were hard to move, but Ahmed moved them! He put them near a big tree. We put wide leaves on them. We got under the leaves as buckets of rain came down. We were warm, but our clothes were wet.

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