

## **SHERLOCK HOLMES & THE DUKE'S SON**

### **I. Are these sentences true (T) or false (F)?**

- \_\_\_ The Priory School was in London.
- \_\_\_ There were a lot of rich boys at the Priory School.
- \_\_\_ The Duke was a small man.
- \_\_\_ Heidegger was a German teacher.
- \_\_\_ The Duke lived with his wife.
- \_\_\_ Holmes and Watson found interesting tracks on the moor.
- \_\_\_ Holmes and Watson found Heidegger at the Green Man.
- \_\_\_ Reuben Hayes once worked for the Duke.
- \_\_\_ James Wilder was Arthur's younger brother.
- \_\_\_ Sherlock was a richer man at the end of the story.

### **II. Put the following events in the right order. Number them 1-10.**

- \_\_\_ Holmes and Watson go out onto the moor.
- \_\_\_ Holmes and Watson meet Reuben Hayes
- \_\_\_ Holmes and Watson find Heidegger.
- \_\_\_ The Duke tells the true story to Holmes and Watson.
- \_\_\_ Wilder goes to Australia.
- \_\_\_ Dr Huxtable comes to see Holmes.
- \_\_\_ Holmes and Watson go to Holderness Hall and talk to the Duke.
- \_\_\_ Holmes and Watson meet the Duke.
- \_\_\_ Holmes and Watson travel to the north of England.
- \_\_\_ Holmes and Watson find bicycle tracks.

**III. Who in the story ... James Wilder, Heidegger, Dr Huxtable, the Duchess, Reuben Hayes.**

- 1) had a school in the north of England? .....
- 2) worked as a secretary? .....
- 3) killed Heidegger? .....
- 4) taught German? .....
- 5) lived in France? .....

**IV. Fill in the gaps. Use these words: *mystery, inn, Huxtable, north, London, Watson, moor, Government, Arthur, tracks.***

Sherlock Holmes lived in ..... . One day, a man called ..... came to see him. This man had a school in the ..... of England, and he wanted Holmes to find a boy called ..... . This boy was the son of a ..... Minister, a very rich and important man. Holmes and his friend ..... went to the school. The first day they walked across a ....., where they found some bicycle ..... – and a dead man. They also talked to a man at an ..... . The next day, Holmes had the answer to the ..... .

**V. Choose the best answer.**

- 1) When visitors came to see Sherlock Holmes they often \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. looked white and ill
  - b. did surprising things
  - c. came by bicycle

- d. fell into the big chairs
- 2) Dr Huxtable had a school for \_\_\_\_\_ in the north of England.
- a. boys
  - b. girls
  - c. secretaries
  - d. teachers
- 3) \_\_\_\_\_ came to visit Sherlock Holmes in London.
- a. Mr Heidegger
  - b. Reuben Hayes
  - c. the Duke of Holderness
  - d. Dr Huxtable
- 4) Sherlock Holmes said he could not leave London because \_\_\_\_\_.
- a. he was ill
  - b. Dr Watson was ill
  - c. he was working on two important cases
  - d. he was unhappy
- 5) The Duke was offering \_\_\_\_\_ pounds for news of his son.
- a. five hundred
  - b. fifty
  - c. five
  - d. five thousand
- 6) The Duchess of Holderness left the Duke and went to live in \_\_\_\_\_.
- a. the south of France
  - b. London
  - c. Mackleton
  - d. the north of England

- 7) The Duke sent his \_\_\_\_\_ to speak to Dr Huxtable about his son.
- a. sister
  - b. mother
  - c. secretary
  - d. brother
- 8) After two weeks \_\_\_\_\_, the Duke's son was much happier.
- a. in the south of France
  - b. at school
  - c. with his father
  - d. in London
- 9) On \_\_\_\_\_ the Duke's son disappeared.
- a. March 14th
  - b. April 15th
  - c. May 13th
  - d. June 12th
- 10) When he disappeared, the Duke's son was wearing a short black coat and \_\_\_\_\_.
- a. dark blue trousers
  - b. red shoes
  - c. no socks
  - d. a black shirt
- 11) Sherlock Holmes and Dr Watson took a train north with \_\_\_\_\_.
- a. Dr Huxtable
  - b. the Duke
  - c. Hiedegger
  - d. Mr Wilder
- 12) \_\_\_\_\_ rode away from the school on a bicycle.
- a. the Duke's son

- b. Dr Huxtable
- c. Dr Watson
- d. Heidegger

13) The Duke's son had a letter from \_\_\_\_\_ the day before he disappeared.

- a. Sherlock Holmes
- b. Heidegger
- c. his mother
- d. his father

14) Sherlock Holmes and Dr Watson stayed at \_\_\_\_\_.

- a. the Priory School
- b. Holderness Hall
- c. the White Horse Inn
- d. the Green Man Inn

15) One of the gardeners found the boy's \_\_\_\_\_.

- a. shoes
- b. hat
- c. bicycle
- d. letter

16) Sherlock Holmes and Dr Watson looked on the moor for \_\_\_\_\_ tracks.

- a. cow
- b. bicycle
- c. sheep
- d. horse

17) They found the body of \_\_\_\_\_ on the moor.

- a. Dr Huxtable
- b. the Duke's son

- c. Heidegger
- d. Mr Wilder

18) Sherlock Holmes offered Reuben Hayes a pound for the use of a \_\_\_\_\_.

- a. bicycle
- b. horse
- c. sheep
- d. car

19) Sherlock Holmes said that the kidnapper of the Duke's son was \_\_\_\_\_.

- a. the Duke
- b. Heidegger
- c. Dr Huxtable
- d. Dr Watson

20) \_\_\_\_\_ murdered Heidegger.

- a. Mr Wilder
- b. Dr Huxtable
- c. Reuben Hayes
- d. The Duke