

Answer Key Quiz 3 with Common Core Standards

1. _____ Why did Spitz think he could beat Buck in a fight?
A) Buck didn't fight back when Spitz bullied him. RL.3
B) He was much bigger than Buck.
C) He thought he could beat up anyone.
D) Buck's leg was hurt, so he knew that he would have trouble fighting.

2. _____ What finally caused Buck to go after Spitz?
A) Spitz laughed at Curly's death.
B) Spitz ate Buck's dinner.
C) Spitz stole Buck's sleeping nest. RL.5
D) Spitz bit Buck's tail.

- 3 _____ What interrupted this fight before it got started?
A) Perrault hit them both with a club. .
B) Francois began serving dinner.
C) Sol-lecks came between them.
D) Wild huskies invaded the camp. RL.5

- 4 _____ Why is the fight between Spitz and Buck called the "Struggle for Supremacy"?
A) because all the dogs wanted to be leaders
B) because the winner would be the leader, and the loser would be dead RL.4
C) because the winner would go to the front of the sled, and the loser would have to go to the back
D) because Spitz and Buck wanted to take control from Perrault and Francois

5. _____ Who or what saved Perrault from drowning in the water?
A) Spitz
B) a pole RL.1
C) Joe
D) a rope

6. _____ What is the purpose for this trip?

- A) to find gold
- B) to transport supplies
- C) to deliver mail RL.6**
- D) to deliver dogs

7. _____ Why did Dolly go after Buck?

- A) She had rabies. RL.2**
- B) Buck wanted her attention.
- C) She was sticking up for Spitz.
- D) Buck stole her food.

8. _____ Why did Spitz get “the worst whipping as yet administered to any of the team”?

- A) He tried to run away.
- B) He stole food from Perrault.
- C) He laughed at the other dogs.
- D) He went after Buck when he was tired. RL.2**

9. _____ Why did Buck stand up for the other dogs when Spitz tried to punish them?

- A) He wanted to cause mutiny among the dogs. RL.3**
- B) He thought Spitz was unfair.
- C) Perrault taught him to do this.
- D) He was bored.

10 _____ Who or what started the final battle between Spitz and Buck?

- A) Perrault
- B) a rabbit RL.1**
- C) a husky
- D) Francois

11. _____ What caused Buck to defeat Spitz when all else failed?

- A) his strength
- B) his speed
- C) his imagination RL.3**
- D) his endurance