

The Remarkable Journey of Coyote Sunrise

1. What theme is highlighted by the main character's awareness and adjustment to her surroundings, like the hot asphalt and the gas station's rules?

- Navigating and adapting to different environments
- The sameness of all towns and cities
- The dangers of the outside world
- The value of always being prepared

2. The main character's braid is described as slapping "wetly against" her back. This detail emphasizes...

- the intense heat and her sweaty discomfort.
- the importance of her appearance to her.
- her pride in her long hair.
- her hurry to leave the gas station.

3. How does the main character probably feel about rules, based on the passage?

- She doesn't know many rules.
- She doesn't always agree with them.
- She always follows them closely.
- She's scared of breaking them.

4. Based on the passage, what can readers infer about the main character?

- She is shy and reserved.
- She is very academic.
- She is independent and used to her way of living.
- She is wealthy and spoiled.

5. What can readers infer about the main character's past interactions in similar places based on her actions in the gas station?

- She has heard of the "No Shoes, No Shirt, No Service" rules before.
- She often gets lost in big stores.
- She is typically offered free items because of her attire.
- She is always praised for being barefoot.

6. Which sentence from the passage uses figurative language to describe the intense heat?

- "The black top of the gas station parking lot radiated the heat right back up at you so it felt like you were getting cooked from both sides."
- "Once upon a time, it was hot and I was sweaty."
- "Honestly I don't even remember the name of the town but I know it was on the dry, hot side of the state, away from the ocean."
- "The man behind the counter looked at my bare feet and started to say something."

7. The main character's casual approach to the "No Shoes, No Shirt, No Service" rule supports which theme in the passage?

- The challenge of shopping without a list
- The difficulty of understanding store policies
- The desire for personal freedom and individuality
- The importance of following rules strictly

8. How does the main character likely view challenges, based on her reaction to the hot day and store rules?

- As major issues she needs to avoid
- As minor obstacles she can handle
- As things she has never faced before
- As reasons to get upset and complain

9. In the context of the passage, what does the word "tyrannical" most likely mean?

- Boring and uninteresting
- Joyful and uplifting
- Weak or ineffective
- Unreasonable and strict

10. How does the author use language to show what the setting is like?

- By mentioning her friends
- By describing the radiating heat and shining sun
- By explaining the history of the place
- By discussing her past adventures

11. How does the main character most likely feel about being barefoot?

- She is comfortable and it is normal for her.
- She wishes she had shoes on.
- She is sad because her shoes were stolen.
- She is trying to make a fashion statement.

12. Which phrase best describes the mood of the passage, especially regarding the hot day?

- Energetic and lively
- Calm and relaxing
- Cold and unwelcoming
- Warm and challenging