Inkflower – Chris Barker

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|  | Question | Answer | Page |
| 1 | On the first page Lisa lists a mountain of lessons you learn at school that you won’t find in a textbook. List at least 4 recommendations. | Don’t put your hand up to answer a question. (1/2 pt)Don’t suck up to teachers. (1/2 pt)Never admit you’ve been listening. (1/2 pt)Don’t be too smart. (1/2 pt)Don’t be too stupid. (1/2 pt)Don’t ask questions. (1/2 pt)Don’t speak in a foreign language. (1/2 )Don’tpt war jeans from Big W. (1/2 pt)Don’t try too hard to be cool. (1/2 pt)Don’t take notes in class. (1/2 pt) | 1 |
| 2 | What is Deb’s dog’s name and who is it named after? | Elle (1 pt)As in L for Lowe as in Rob Lowe. (1 pt) | 4 |
| 3 | What is it the family decide to do every Friday night? | Meet as a family every Friday night for dinner. (1 pt)After dinner Lisa’s dad would tell them about his childhood/life during the war. (1 pt) | 24-25 |
| 4 | Where did Lisa’s father grow up before the war?What was his life like and why? | Czechoslovakia (1 pt)He was lonely and attacked by the other children. (1/2 pt)Because he was Jewish (1/2 pt) | 29 |
| 5 | Lisa Keller discovered that her dad changed his name. What was her dad’s original name?Lisa discovered she was named after which relative?What is the name? | Rosenfeld (1 pt)Her grandmother. (1 pt)Pepi (1 pt) | 4348-9 |
| 6 | Lisa and her dad have the same smile which her dad inherited from his dad. Describe the smile. | Half-smile. (1 pt) | 44 |
| 7 | The family were forced to travel by train a number of times. What sort of car/carriage did they travel in?Describe the train and the conditions. | Cattle car/carriages (1 pt)Lots of people crushed in (1/2 pt)Standing room only (1/2 pt)People slept or died standing up (1/2 pt)Dark – no windows (1/2 pt) Bucket for a toilet for all to share (1/2 pt) | 65 |
| 8 | What happened to Lisa’s dad’s name (Emil) when he first arrived at the first concentration camp?After the war what did Emil do to this relic from the war and why? | He was given a number instead of a name. (1/2 pt)It was tattooed onto his wrist. (1/2 pt)Emil had flowers tattooed over the numbers. (1/2 pt)He wanted something beautiful to cover the ugliness. (1/2 pt) | 90105 |
| 9 | Describe the different coloured stars/triangles worn by the prisoners and what group of people they are describing. List 2 | Yellow – Jews (1 pt)Green – Criminals (1 pt)Black – Gypsies (1 pt)Purple – Jehovah’s Witnesses (1 pt)Red – Political prisoner (1 pt)Pink – Homosexuals (1 pt) | 92-3 |
| 10 | Lisa compiles a list of all the things she doesn’t want to forget about her father. List 4 characteristics. | 1. Boney bump on his nose (1/2 pt)
2. Skiing between his legs(1/2 pt)
3. Big walrus laugh. (1/2 pt)
4. Gap between his two front teeth (1/2 pt)
5. Huge hands (1/2 pt)
6. Size 11 shoes (1/2 pt)
7. Sleeping outside on hot summer nights (1/2 pt)
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| 11 | Working in the coal mine Emil worked the conveyor belt where his job was to pick the stones from the coal that came up the shaft.What terrible thing did he witness happened to his friend?A woman told Emil not to expect his friend back. Then she told Emil to ensure he was working under the belt in 5 minutes. What did she give him? | Emil’s friend Isaac’s fingers were caught in the belt and his arm was ripped off his shoulder. (1 pt)The mysterious woman gave Emil an apple the first day and after that, other foods. (1pt) | 123134 |
| 12 | After the United States army liberated Emil from the concentration camp list 4 things he needed to learn how to use and do again. | Toothbrush (1/2 pt)Toilet paper (1/2 pt)Cutlery (1/2 pt)Smile (1/2 pt)Laugh (1/2 pt) | 220 |
| 13 | What is it that Lisa is granted permission to set up at school?Where does she do this and who helps her? | Sharing circleFor students who have lost someone. (1/2 pt)In the library (1/2 pt)The librarian (1/2 pt) | 342 |
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