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| **Level****7/8** | **Book: Pony****Author: R.J. Palacio** |  |  | **Region: Gold Coast** |
| **No.**  | **Question**  | **Answer** | **Page Ref**  | **Points and Comment re scoring**  |
|  | List 3 features that describe Mittenwool | Any three of:tall, thin, about 16, shiny eyed, unruly hair, hearty laugh | 15 | 1 per feature |
|  | What item of his mother’s did Silas take with him and why did he take it? | Bavarian violinHe had a feeling that he would not be coming home again | 2526 | 1 mark1 mark |
|  | What title did Enoch Farmer hold and why was he so desperate to catch Ollerenshaw? | US Federal MarshallOllerenshaw had killed his partner | 50 | 1 mark1 mark |
|  | Throughout the novel several alternatives are suggested instead for the name *Pony*. List any two of these.What name was given to Pony by the newspapers in the story about the capture of Ollerenshaw? ‘Demon Horse’ p. 241 | *Bucephalus* *Gringolet* *Perceval* *Aethon* *Demon Horse*  | p.28p. 59p. 59p.86p.241 | Half mark each for alternative names (spelling counts)1 mark |
|  | Who was the mean lady who ran Boneville school? What two things did she do to punish Silas for believing in Mittenwool?  | Widow Barnes He had to write *There are no such things as ghosts* on the board and she caned him on the hand  | p. 71p. 73 | 1 mark1 mark |
|  | What did Silas’ father do for a living?  | He was a bootmaker  | p. 106 | Thinking this is too easy for 2 marks so perhaps combine with another Q |
|  | Name the gang that Mac Boat belonged to and describe the coins that he got away withWhy was Mac Boat so infamous?  | Orange Street Gang, $20 000 newly minted Liberty Heads He was the best counterfeiter there ever was  | p.111p. 51 | Half mark each1 mark |
|  | Silas tried to eat an egg that he had cooked but it was ‘pipped’. What does this mean?  | Had a baby chick in it  | p. 114 | 1 point |
|  | What nickname did Deputy Beautyman have for Silas and what fear did they both share? | ‘Runt’ fear of edges/ ledges  | p. 258p. 161 | 1 mark1 mark |
|  | There were 3 mysteries in Silas’s life. List two of them.  | - he had been marked/ struck by lightning- he has a friend that no one else can see- he hears and see people who have died  | p.146 | 1 mark each |
|  | What was Mittenwool’s real name and what had happened to him when he was younger?What was the emblem of the orphanage named after him? | John Hills He had drowned in a creek. A lightning bolt on a bald-faced pony  | p.271p. 270p. 273 | Half markHalf mark1 mark |
| 12 | What did Pa insist on before he would agree to go with Rufe Jones? | Silas must stay behind and not go with them. | 12 | 1 |
| 13 | What was the event that Silas took as a sign that he should look for Pa? | Pony came Back. | 18 | 1 |
| 14 | What title does Enoch Farmer hold and what is he looking for? | US Federal Marshal.Outlaws who are heading east. | 50 | 1 point US Federal Marshal1 Point Outlaws headed East |
| 15 | Who did Silas see on top of the cliff waving at him and what did he find below them? | Mittenwool.A cave. | 124/125 | 1 point Mittenwool1 point a cave |
| 16 | Who is the Sheriff of Rosasharon? | Archibald Burns | 136 | 2 |
| 17 | When she married Pa, what was the only thing Mama took with her from her home? | Her violin | 157 | 2 |
| 18 | Where were the Morton brothers headed before they meet Mr. Ollerenshaw and why? | To CaliforniaTo pan for gold | 177 | 1 point California1 point to pan for gold |
| 19 | Who told Ollerenshaw about the ‘photographer in Boneville’ (Pa)? Who confessed this in the cave? | Doc ParkerRufe Jones | 218/219 | 1 point Doc Parker1 point Rufe Jones |
| 20 | What did Jack give to Silas on the train platform before he left?  | A cap/hat | 259 | 1 points |