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1 Choose the correct answers (a, b, c or d) about Chapter One.

- 1 Who is John Dashwood?
 - a Elinor and Marianne's brother
 - b Elinor and Marianne's cousin
 - c Elinor and Marianne's father
 - d Elinor and Marianne's uncle
- 2 What is Henry Dashwood allowed to leave to his wife, Mrs Dashwood?
 - a his estate
 - b £10,000
 - c £3,000 each to the girls and £100 a year to his wife
 - d nothing
- 3 What is John Dashwood like?
 - a calm
 - b kind
 - c selfish
 - d unpleasant
- 4 Which of these sentences is true?
 - a Elinor feels things more deeply than Marianne.
 - b Elinor is prettier than Marianne.
 - c Marianne is a better artist than Elinor.
 - d Marianne is younger than Elinor.
- 5 What is the one thing that makes Mrs Dashwood want to stay at Norland?
 - a Elinor can spend more time with Edward Ferrars.
 - b Marianne can spend more time with Edward Ferrars.
 - c She really likes Fanny Dashwood.
 - d The family have nowhere else to go.
- 6 What does Edward Ferrars want?
 - a to be his mother's favourite
 - b to become someone important
 - c to have a quiet, comfortable and private home life
 - d to marry well

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2 Put the information from Chapter One in the correct column.

he has a good character, but he is shy although he is not handsome, his eyes are kind
 he enjoys books and has opinions on many things
 his eyes do not have that fire that shows a really interesting character
 he does not love music he does not understand much about art

What Elinor thinks of Edward Ferrars	What Marianne thinks of Edward Ferrars

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3 Match the two parts of the sentences. Draw lines between them.

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Mrs Dashwood was happy to tell John and Fanny 2 Mrs Dashwood explained that they only had a cottage, 3 She invited everyone to visit 4 Mrs Dashwood took Elinor's advice to save money 5 When Mrs Dashwood and the girls were ready to leave, 6 Finally the carriage reached the green hills of Barton, | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a and they began to feel better. b but spoke in an especially warm way to Edward. c by keeping only three servants. d but there was room for visitors. e that she and her daughters would soon leave Norland. f they all felt sad. |
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4 Tick the five things we know about John Willoughby from Chapter Two.

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| 1 He cannot ride a horse. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2 He enjoys the same writers and same books as Marianne. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3 He has a kind voice. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4 He has two dogs. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 5 He helps Marianne. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 6 He owns Allenham. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 7 He is extremely handsome. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 8 He is married. | <input type="checkbox"/> |

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5 List three reasons why Elinor thinks that Marianne is secretly engaged to Willoughby.

- a
- b
- c

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6 After Colonel Brandon receives a letter, he leaves Barton Park. Answer the questions about Chapter Three.

- 1 Where does Colonel Brandon say he has to go after he has read his letter?
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- 2 Who thinks she knows who the letter is from?
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- 3 From whom does she think the letter came?
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- 4 How does Colonel Brandon know this person?
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- 5 Why is Marianne embarrassed when she returns from her drive with Willoughby?
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- 6 What does Elinor later say to Marianne?
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7 Complete the text. Choose from the sentences (a–h) below. There are three extra sentences.

Marianne stayed upstairs until dinner and then sat at the table with red eyes, not eating or speaking. When her mother touched her hand kindly, Marianne immediately started to cry and left the room. ¹..... The next day, she did not talk and walked around the village of Allenham remembering her time with Willoughby. In the evening, she played the songs that she and Willoughby had sung together, crying as she sang them.

She continued to behave in this way, and after a while, she was just sad and silent. She did not read, and she went for walks alone. ².....

One morning, Marianne agreed to go for a walk with Elinor. ³

“It is Willoughby!” cried Marianne, rushing forwards.

Soon, the man was nearer, and both sisters were extremely surprised to see that it was Edward Ferrars. For a moment, Marianne forgot that she was unhappy and felt happy for Elinor. ⁴

But Marianne was surprised that he was so cold. He did not show Elinor any special attention. ⁵

He was so different from Willoughby. Marianne asked Edward questions, and he told them that he had come from Plymouth, where he was visiting friends.

- a As they were walking, they saw a man on a horse riding towards them.
- b Elinor could not understand what had happened.
- c Half an hour later her mother returned.
- d He did not seem happy and did not speak much.
- e He got off his horse and walked with them to Barton Cottage.
- f No letter came from Willoughby.
- g Perhaps Willoughby and Marianne were not engaged.
- h She did not sleep that night and cried for most of it.

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8 Match the names in the box with the facts about them in Chapter Five.

Mrs Palmer	Anne Steele	Lucy Steele	Colonel Brandon
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- 1 is not usually so open.
- 2 was a friendly but silly woman who talked a lot.
- 3 , the oldest sister, was nearly thirty and talked very openly.
- 4 was clever, although she had not read many books and had not had much education.

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9 Circle the correct words to complete the text.

Elinor ¹ **had** / **had no** reason to believe that Lucy ² **was** / **was not** telling the truth. ³ **Everything** / **Nothing** about Edward’s visit to Barton Cottage seemed to show this. He ⁴ **had been** / **had not been** in Plymouth, he had seemed ⁵ **happy** / **unhappy**, he ⁶ **behaved** / **did not behave** very warmly towards her, and he wore the ring. However, she ⁷ **could** / **could not** believe that he ⁸ **had pretended** / **had not pretended** to like her. He was too honest. Everyone had thought that he ⁹ **didn’t love** / **loved** her. She worried about him. Could he be happy with Lucy Steele? Perhaps at first, she had seemed pretty and he only realized later that she ¹⁰ **was** / **was not** the woman that he wanted to marry.

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10 Complete the conversation. Choose the best answers (a–h) below. There are three extra answers.

Elinor Please tell me more about your engagement.

Lucy: ¹

Elinor: It is difficult for you. I believe that Mr Edward Ferrars depends on his mother for his income.

Lucy: ²

Elinor: Would it not be better to tell Mrs Ferrars?

Lucy: ³

Elinor: I would be happy to.

Lucy: ⁴

Elinor: I do not think that Fanny, Edward's sister, would want him to become a priest.

Lucy: ⁵

Elinor: I cannot answer that, Miss Steele.

- a Can I tell you a secret?
- b Edward wants to become a priest, so perhaps you could talk to your half-brother John Dashwood and ask him to help Edward.
- c I will be here again tomorrow, if you are free to talk.
- d It is difficult. It might be best to end our engagement. What is your advice, Miss Dashwood?
- e Let's walk around the garden together.
- f She might be angry and then she might give all her money to Edward's younger brother. But I have an idea, and you could help me.
- g Thank you for asking. You seemed cold when I spoke to you the other day. I am happy that you want to talk.
- h We must wait, maybe many years, until Mrs Ferrars's death.

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11 Read these sentences about Chapter Seven. Write T (true) or F (false) or DS (does not say).

1 In London, Colonel Brandon came to the house almost every day.

2 Elinor did not enjoy her conversations with him.

3 She noticed that Marianne saw him looking at her.

4 One morning, Willoughby had visited the house while they were out.

5 Willoughby didn't go to the ball because he knew that Marianne would be there.

6 Colonel Brandon was happy when he thought that Marianne was engaged to Willoughby.

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12 Complete the letter with the missing words.

My dear Marianne

I ¹..... just received your letter. I am sorry that you are unhappy
²..... the way I behaved last night. Please forgive ³..... . I enjoyed my
time in Devon with your family very much. I did not want to ⁴..... you unhappy. I am
sorry but I am going to be engaged ⁵..... another lady very soon. As you asked, I am
returning your letters and the piece ⁶..... your hair that you gave me.

John Willoughby

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13 Rewrite the sentences about Chapter Eight. Choose the correct phrases from the box to replace the bold words.

unkindly the same . . . as another took care of very changed made

1 Eliza had **a different** warm character and strong feelings **to** Marianne.

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2 Her parents had died, and my father **left** her.

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3 When she was seventeen, my father **would not let** her marry my brother.

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4 My brother married her and behaved very **well** towards her.

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5 She had lost all her money and was **much better**.

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6 She had left my brother and had a baby with **the same** man.

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14 Complete the text. Choose one word (a, b, c or d) for each gap.

Elinor told her sister about her conversation with Colonel Brandon, and she saw that Marianne ¹..... it. But from the way she cried, Elinor realized that she was as unhappy as before. She was very upset to hear the truth about Willoughby's character and how he ²..... the young Eliza. Marianne realized that they had both suffered because of Willoughby. He had not been honest with her, but she had been luckier than the other young lady. However, knowing this did not make Marianne happier. She sat there ³....., her eyes full of sadness. It was extremely painful for Elinor. She hated to see her like this.

Elinor wrote to her mother to tell her the news. Mrs Dashwood's replies were long and full of the same sadness, and Elinor knew that she worried about her daughter.

However, Mrs Dashwood thought that Marianne ⁴..... not be at Barton, as this would make her think of Willoughby. And she also thought that in London, Marianne would be ⁵..... likely to see him again as he would take his new wife to his home in the countryside. Mrs Dashwood had also heard that John Dashwood and his wife, Fanny, ⁶..... in London soon, and she thought that they should see them.

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| 1 a believes | b believed | c has believed | d was believing |
| 2 a has left | b left | c had left | d was leaving |
| 3 a silent | b more silent | c the most silent | d silently |
| 4 a ought | b should | c will | d would |
| 5 a less | b little | c many | d much |
| 6 a was | b were being | c will be | d would be |

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15 Complete the information about Mrs Ferrars in Chapter Nine.

Name: Mrs Ferrars

Children: Fanny, ¹..... and ².....

She was: a ³....., ⁴..... woman
with a ⁵..... character

She did not: ⁶..... Elinor warmly

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16 Complete the lists about Chapter Ten, when Fanny finds out about Edward's secret engagement to Lucy. Put the words from the box into the correct categories.

to send Lucy away	her brother not to marry a poor woman			
cried	screamed	angry	upset	shouted

How Fanny felt:

What Fanny did:

What Fanny wanted:

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17 Change the reported speech into direct speech.

1 John said that Fanny had invited Lucy and Anne Steele to their home, thinking they deserved her attention.

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2 He told them that now, Edward's mother would never see him again.

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3 John said that Edward would not end his engagement.

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4 Mrs Jennings said that he had behaved in the right way.

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5 She added that Lucy Steele deserved a good husband.

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6 John Dashwood said it was wrong to have a secret engagement.

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18 Complete the text. Use the correct forms of the verbs in brackets.

As soon as she ¹..... (**can**), Elinor ²..... (**find**)
 a reason to go. She ³..... (**have to**) prepare their things, as she and Marianne
⁴..... (**leave**) London very soon and travel with Mrs Jennings to Somerset.
 Colonel Brandon ⁵..... (**join**) them a few days later.
 Although Marianne ⁶..... (**be**) unhappy in London, when the time came
 to leave, she ⁷..... (**feel**) only sadness. This was the place where she
⁸..... (**have**) her last hopes of happiness with Willoughby.

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19 Complete the text. Choose the correct words (a, b, c or d).

¹ **a** After a long journey, they arrived at Cleveland, the Palmers' home in Somerset. It was a

- b** At
- c** Before
- d** During

large house in beautiful countryside. As Marianne entered and looked ²

- a** about across the hills,
- b** in
- c** on
- d** out

she knew that Willoughby was there, not very far away at Combe Magna, his estate. She was full of the

³ **a** deep sadness.

- b** deeper
- c** deepest
- d** deeply

During the days that followed, Marianne spent her time walking ⁴

- a** all in the countryside,
- b** alone
- c** just
- d** only

but soon the weather changed and it rained and rained. After that, she found books in the house and spent her time reading.

Colonel Brandon ⁵ **a** arrived Somerset a day or two later and came to visit Cleveland. He talked

- b** came
- c** got
- d** reached

to Elinor about Delaford and what it would be ⁶ **a** like for Edward there.

- b** liked
- c** likes
- d** likely

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20 Put the events in the correct order (1–8).

- a** Marianne sent Willoughby a letter in London.
- b** Mrs Smith heard about Willoughby and Eliza.
- c** Sophia made Willoughby leave the ball because she was jealous.
- d** Sophia made Willoughby write a letter to Marianne saying he was engaged.
- e** Willoughby agreed to marry Sophia Grey.
- f** Willoughby heard that Marianne was ill and came to visit her.
- g** Willoughby met and fell in love with Marianne.
- h** Willoughby saw Marianne at a ball in London.

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21 Complete the text. Choose the correct words from the box.

soon long before so enough later

A few days ¹..... , it was decided that Marianne was strong ²..... for the journey back to Barton. Colonel Brandon lent them his carriage, and he was invited to come and visit the cottage in the next few weeks. Mrs Jennings, who had been ³..... kind to them all, was sad to say goodbye but said that she would ⁴..... see them again.

The journey was ⁵..... , but Marianne seemed happier and stronger than ⁶..... .

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22 Complete the text. Form new words using the words in capital letters.

Life at the cottage returned to normal. But Elinor very much wanted to hear news of Edward. One day, a servant came back from the ¹ town and told them that he had heard that Mr Ferrars had got married. Marianne looked ² and fell into her chair. Elinor's face hid her true feelings. Mrs Dashwood asked the servant a few questions, and they heard that people had seen Mr Ferrars in his carriage with Lucy Ferrars, his new wife.

At dinner, Elinor ate almost ³ Mrs Dashwood began to understand better that Elinor, who had been silent since the news of Edward's marriage, suffered more than she had ⁴ She had seen only that Marianne suffered and not that her other daughter, who seemed so strong and calm, could also feel the greatest ⁵

Elinor realized that she had believed that somehow Edward might not marry Lucy, that something would change. And now, he would soon be at Delaford with Lucy. She waited ⁶ to hear of more news.

A few days later, she heard the sound of a horse arriving at the cottage. It must be Colonel Brandon, she thought. Looking out, she saw Edward getting off his horse. "I must be calm," she said to ⁷ , but her face was white.

Her mother and Marianne had also changed colour. They all waited silently for Edward to enter the room. ⁸ spoke as he walked in. He looked worried, then embarrassed. He could not speak at first. Elinor sat down and began to speak about the weather.

- NEAR
- SHOCK
- THING
- THINK
- SAD
- QUIET
- SELF
- BODY

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23 Complete the sentences. Use the verbs in the box in the *past perfect* form.

- show
- marry
- come
- ask
- decide
- learn

- 1 Edward to Barton to ask Elinor to marry him, now that he was free.
- 2 His visit to the cottage him that Elinor had strong feelings for him.
- 3 By four o'clock, he Elinor to marry him and become the happiest of men.
- 4 Elinor was still not sure why Robert Lucy.
- 5 Lucy that Robert was his mother's favourite child, so would inherit the family property.
- 6 She then to make Robert like her by saying nice things to him.

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24 Read the letter from Chapter Fourteen. Choose the correct description (a, b or c).

Dear Edward,

I hope that we can be friends, but I now love your brother. We cannot live without each other and have just got married. I have burned your letters. Please do the same with mine, but you may keep the ring with my hair.

Lucy Ferrars

- a Lucy chose to marry Robert and burned Edward's letters because she hates him.
- b Lucy loved and married Robert, but had no negative feelings towards Edward.
- b Lucy would prefer to be married to Edward, but she had to marry his brother, Robert.

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25 Match the words and write the new words or phrases.

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| 1 accept | a parties and balls | |
| 2 arrange | b opinions | |
| 3 have | c money | |
| 4 inherit | d advice | |
| 5 keep | e an invitation | |
| 6 take | f a promise | |

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26 Rewrite the sentences. Choose the correct words to replace the underlined words.

get to know come back run away together get close to take care of you

- 1 "You will be with Mrs Jennings, who will make sure you are ok in London."
.....
- 2 "You should learn about your relatives better."
.....
- 3 "It made my feelings for her return."
.....
- 4 "Any young woman who is not from a family like that should not try to become important to Edward."
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5 “Eliza and I planned to leave without telling anyone, but a servant heard us talking and told my father.”

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27 Complete the second conditional sentences.

- 1 She would not be so open with Willoughby if she (**not engaged**).
- 2 “I think that you would be happier if you (**have**) a profession to keep you busy.”
- 3 They would worry about her if they (**know**) Lucy’s secret.
- 4 If Edward (**can**) get a position in a church, he would have an income of his own.
- 5 “I would be very surprised if they..... (**get**) married.”

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28 Complete the sentences with a stem and a suffix from the table.

Stem		Suffix	
sad	engage	-able	-ful
pain	comfort	-ment	-ness

- 1 It was only a cottage but he promised to make it
- 2 At first, Elinor did not know why Lucy was telling her about the secret
- 3 Marianne sat there silently, her eyes full of
- 4 It was extremely for Elinor. She hated to see her sister like this.

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29 Complete these lists. Put the words from the box into the correct categories.

inherit	priest	cottage	estate	servant	countryside
property	greet	lawyer	pretend	hide	soldier

- Actions:**
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- People:**
-
- Places:**
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30 Match the words in the box with the definitions. There are three extra words.

forgive	encourage	grateful	opinion	duty
unpleasant	fever	wealthy	admiration	

- 1 when your body is too hot because you are ill
.....
- 2 feeling or showing thanks to someone
.....
- 3 rich
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- 4 when you like a person or thing because they are very good,
beautiful, clever, etc.
.....
- 5 something that you should or must do
.....
- 6 to decide that you will not be angry with someone who has
done a bad thing to you
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