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1 For each question about Chapter One choose the correct answer: A (Charlotte), B (George) or C (Lucy).

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| 1 Whose mother is paying for the trip to Italy? | A | B | C |
| 2 Who is embarrassed? | A | B | C |
| 3 Who is poor? | A | B | C |
| 4 Who has a view? | A | B | C |
| 5 Who is shocked? | A | B | C |
| 6 Who is of a lower class? | A | B | C |
| 7 Who is confused? | A | B | C |

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2 Read the questions about Chapter Two. Choose the correct answers (a, b or c).

- 1 Who did Lucy visit Florence with on her first day?
 - a Charlotte
 - b Miss Lavish
 - c Mr Beebe
- 2 Where did they go?
 - a To the market.
 - b To the River Arno.
 - c To the church of Santa Croce.
- 3 What did the guide say about the Giotto's?
 - a They were not beautiful.
 - b They were not finished.
 - c They were not perfect.
- 4 Why did Mr Emerson run after the clergyman?
 - a To say sorry.
 - b To get directions.
 - c To ask the time.
- 5 How did Lucy feel when Mr Emerson asked her to try to understand his son?
 - a She felt shocked and did not know how to answer.
 - b She felt sad and sorry for him.
 - c She felt silly.

- 6 How many men did Lucy see arguing on the steps of the Piazza Signoria?
- a two
 - b three
 - c four

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

Lucy: What have I done?

George: ¹

Lucy: I'm very sorry. I feel well, I think.

George: ²

Lucy: Mr Emerson . . . I want to ask you something before we go in. I'm sorry. But you know how those ladies talk. Please don't tell them what happened with us today.

George: ³

Lucy: Thank you. How quickly these accidents come. And then we go back to the old life.

George: ⁴

- a Ah, then you do not agree with my father.
- b It's really not necessary.
- c I won't. I shall probably want to live.
- d That is very kind of you.
- e Then I'll take you home. Something huge has happened. And I want to know what it is. It is not about a man dying.
- f Yes, all right.
- g You fainted. How do you feel now?

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4 Complete the sentences about Chapter Three. Use one, two, three or four words.

- 1 Miss Bartlett was not about Lucy's adventure.
- 2 She was just was able to bring her cousin safely home.
- 3 The two cousins left the *pension* and along the Arno and on to the Piazza Signoria.
- 4 As Lucy looked at the fountain and tower, her body as she remembered the fight.
- 5 Lucy's adventure, Miss Lavish said, an idea for a novel.
- 6 Lucy looked at the ground and said that she was sorry but she didn't really want

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5 Match the names in the box with the facts about them.

Mr Eager	Miss Lavish	Mr Emerson	Miss Bartlett
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- 1 was not an ordinary clergyman. He was one of a group of English people who now lived in Florence and called it home.
- 2 Lucy did not feel that was a great writer.
- 3 does not write for newspapers now. He married a woman with money.
- 4 bought a small Tower of Pisa from a shop. Then they arranged to meet the next morning for their drive to the hills.

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6 Answer the questions about Chapter Four.

- 1 Who was at the front of the first carriage to Fiesole?
 - a
 - b
- 2 Who was in the first carriage?
 - a
 - b
 - c
 - d
- 3 Who was in the second carriage?
 - a
 - b
 - c

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7 Put the events from Chapter Four in the correct order (1–8).

- a Miss Bartlett was calling Lucy.
- b Miss Bartlett sent Lucy away.
- c George Emerson was standing in the middle of the field of violets.
- d George stepped forward quickly and kissed Lucy.
- e Lucy and Miss Bartlett left for Rome.
- f Lucy found the Italian driver standing by the carriages, and asked for the clergyman.
- g Lucy went to look for Mr Beebe.
- h The driver took Lucy into the trees, stopping only once to pick her some beautiful blue violets.

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8 Tick **six true things we learn about Cecil Vyse from Chapter Five.**

- 1 He asked Lucy to marry him four times.
- 2 He had a good job.
- 3 He had beautiful manners.
- 4 He had square shoulders and always held his head high, like a statue or a god.
- 5 He was rich.
- 6 He wanted Lucy to meet a better class of person.
- 7 He was a tall, handsome man who wore glasses.
- 8 He was good and he was clever.
- 9 He was happy in the country.

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9 Complete the text with the missing words.

A month later, Lucy was in the garden of Windy Corner hitting tennis balls ¹ with Minnie Beebe, the clergyman’s 13-year-old niece. Lucy was trying to talk to Mr Beebe, her mother and Freddy at the ² time.

“But they are coming now,” said Mr Beebe. “I wrote to Miss Teresa Alan a few days ago. They are coming. I heard ³ them this morning.”

“I shall not like those Miss Alans!” Mrs Honeychurch cried. “Just because they are old and silly we have to say, ‘How sweet!’ And poor Lucy ⁴ have to speak to them every day.”

“Who are the Miss Alans?” Freddy asked.

“They will be the new tenants at Cissie Villa,” replied Lucy, hitting a ball in the air and then coming to sit with her brother.

“That wasn’t the name ⁵ I heard,” said Freddy. “I’ve just seen Sir Harry. The name of the new tenants is Emerson.”

Lucy lay on her back and looked up at the blue sky.

“I know you’ll think that I’m a snob, but do you know which Emersons they are, Freddy?” asked Mrs Honeychurch.

“I don’t know,” replied Freddy, ⁶, like his sister and many other young people, did not think that one person should be more important than another.

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10 Read the letters from Chapter Seven. Choose the correct description (a, b or c).

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Dear Lucy
I understand that the Emersons have moved to Summer Street. Lucy, I am very worried and I think you should tell your mother and Mr Vyse about you and George Emerson. Mr Vyse will then stop him from coming to Windy Corner. I am very sorry about it all and could not rest until I told you this.
Your loving cousin
Charlotte.

- a Charlotte agrees to keep Lucy’s secret about what happened with George Emerson.
- b Charlotte thinks Lucy should tell her mother and Cecil what happened with George Emerson.
- c Charlotte wants to come and tell Lucy’s mother and Cecil what happened with George Emerson.

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Dear Charlotte
Thank you for your letter. When Mr Emerson forgot himself on the hill, we agreed not to tell Mother because you did not want her to be angry with you. I cannot change this now. She knows that I met the Emersons in Florence and that they are good people. I like the old father and am happy to see him again. I am more sorry for the son than for myself. Cecil knows them. He is well and spoke of you the other day. We will marry in January.
Yours
L. M. Honeychurch.

- a Lucy is happy to see the father again, but will not say anything to Cecil or her mother about the son.
- b Lucy is not happy to see the father and son again, and will not say anything to Cecil or her mother.
- c Lucy does not want to see the father and son again, and will tell Cecil and her mother everything.

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

- 1 Mr Beebe, George and Freddy went for a swim.
- 2 They swam in their clothes.
- 3 The water was very cold.
- 4 Mrs Honeychurch, Cecil and Lucy came down the path to the pool.
- 5 Cecil was very angry with Freddy.
- 6 Lucy spoke to George.

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

As Mrs Honeychurch, Lucy and Cecil sat drinking tea with old Mrs Butterworth, Lucy thought about

how difficult it was ¹ **a** knew the future. “How many times did I see ² **a** me meeting
b know **b** my
c knowing **c** myself
d to know **d** mine

George again?” she thought. “But never naked and so happy, and saying hello ³ **a** as a bright sun.
b like
c same
d that

I decided to nod, because that seemed to be the right thing to do. But the right thing for who?”

Cecil was bored ⁴ **a** at Mrs Butterworth. He did not want to hear about her flowers and how
b from
c to
d with

they changed their colours. When he was irritated, he always gave long answers ⁵ **a** when “yes” or
b where
c why
d which

“no” would be fine.

“Lucy,” said her mother, when they got home. “Is anything the matter with Cecil? Is he tired?”
 The question worried Lucy. Until now, her mother was always nice about Cecil.
 “Yes, maybe he’s tired,” she replied.

“Because if he ⁶ **a** doesn’t ,” her mother said, taking off her coat, “then I can’t understand his
b isn’t
c won’t
d wouldn’t

bad manners.”

“Mrs Butterworth is quite boring.”

“Cecil thinks she’s quite boring, you mean,” said Mrs Honeychurch, crossly. “You loved her when you
 were little. Surely he ⁷ **a** can be nice for half an hour?”
b must
c will
d would

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13 List three things that irritate Cecil about the Honeychurches since returning from London in Chapter Eight.

- a
- b
- c

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14 Complete the text. Choose the correct words. There are two extra words.

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She saw the Emersons again after leaving church with her mother. The ¹ was waiting for them in front of Cissie Villa, and Mr Emerson and George were smoking in the garden.

“You must introduce us,” said Mrs Honeychurch. “Or maybe the young man thinks that he knows me ² from that day at the pool.”

Lucy introduced them, and Mr Emerson took Lucy’s hands. “I am very glad that you are going to be married,” he said.

“I’m glad, too,” replied Lucy. “How are you enjoying your new house?”

“Very much,” he said, but there was a change in his voice that was new to her. “But we understand that the Miss Alans were coming here, and now they have no home. I am very unhappy about it.”

“I think there was some ³,” said Mrs Honeychurch, uncomfortably.

“Sir Harry is not happy with us,” said George. “He was expecting upper-class ⁴ who liked art.”

“So I think we should write to the Miss Alans and offer the house to them,” said Mr Emerson to Lucy.

“Oh, you must stay now you have come!” Lucy said, lightly, but inside she felt angry and ⁵, knowing all this was because of Cecil.

“Bad things happen everywhere,” George told his father. “Where we stand a ⁶ falls. We can’t keep moving because of that.”

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15 Complete the conversation between Lucy and Charlotte. Choose the best answers from the box.

Oh no, she hasn't put that in her book? Tell her what?
 My dear Lucy. I know nothing about it.
 Oh, Lucy, I shall never forgive myself. Never! What if Cecil learns that . . .
 Then Eleanor Lavish won't be my friend any more.
 When I had tea with her in Rome . . . when we were talking, I . . .

- Lucy: Something terrible has happened. Do you know anything about Miss Lavish's new novel? There's a bit in it where the man and the woman kiss. Do you know about that?
- Charlotte: **1**
- Lucy: There are violets. Charlotte, why did you tell her? It must be you.
- Charlotte: **2**
- Lucy: About that terrible afternoon in February.
- Charlotte: **3**
- Lucy: Yes, she has!
- Charlotte: **4**
- Lucy: So you *did* tell her?
- Charlotte: **5**
- Lucy: Oh, Charlotte! What about the promise you gave me? 'Don't tell your mother,' you said. But then you told Miss Lavish! Cecil read that part to me and to Mr Emerson. Then Mr Emerson kissed me again when Cecil wasn't looking!
- Charlotte: **6**

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16 Complete the text. Choose one word for each gap.

"Right!" said Lucy. "If no one will help me, I'll speak to him myself. I can see Freddy taking him into the dining room. The others are in the garden. Let's do this ¹"

She led the way downstairs to the dining room ² Freddy and George were looking to see if there was any food.

"Please leave us," said Lucy to her brother. But as soon as she saw George, she felt her heart beat faster and her angry feelings turned to something ³ "We will find food for Mr Emerson," she added, quickly.

Freddy sang as he went back to the garden. Lucy sat down at the table while Miss Bartlett, who looked very frightened, picked ⁴ a novel.

"I can't have it, Mr Emerson," Lucy started. She wanted to keep it short. "I cannot even talk to you. Get out of this house and never come back into it. Now go, please."

"But I can't . . ."

She shook her head. "Go, please. I do not want to call in Mr Vyse."

"You're not . . ." he said, looking at her like Miss Bartlett was not in the room. "You're not going to marry that man?"

“You are mad,” she said, quietly.

His words were louder than hers. “You cannot live with Vyse. He cannot know anyone deeply. Have you ⁵ spoken to him without feeling tired?”

“I will not talk about—”

“No, but have you?” George went on. “He is fine while he stays with things – like novels or pictures. But he is terrible with people. That’s why I have ⁶”

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| 1 quicker | quickest | quickly |
| 2 what | when | where |
| 3 also | else | other |
| 4 up | over | out |
| 5 always | ever | never |
| 6 to speak | speaking | speak |

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17 Complete the sentences. Choose the correct words from the box.

should can might would may have to must could

- “If I say this, I think you have done the right thing,” he said.
- “I think Freddy was worried that Cecil take you away from him.”
- “..... your mother allow you to go so soon after Italy? You’ve only been home for three months.”
- “She allow me!” cried Lucy, pulling her fingers through her hair.
“I go away!”
- But her mother was not happy. “I tell you, dear, that I don’t understand why you haven’t told your friends about Cecil.”
- Lucy was silent. How she say to her mother, “Because George Emerson kissed me and, if he hears about Cecil, he try to kiss me again.”

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18 Match the people with what they did in Chapter Twelve. Draw lines between them.

Cecil

George

Lucy

The Miss Allens

- a went to Greece
- b understands what Charlotte did
- c stayed in England
- d went back to the *Pension* Bertolini

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19 Circle the correct words.

- 1 “Shall we ask someone for directions?” said Lucy, **which** / **who** wanted to see the church of Santa Croce.
- 2 “Now stop being so boring and tell us **which** / **who** part of the church you want to see.”
- 3 This was not because she did not like him, but because she did not know **what** / **where** happened at the Piazza Signoria, and she thought **that** / **which** he did.
- 4 “Italy and London are the only places **which** / **where** I’m truly happy to be.”
- 5 He knew that he was failing and asked himself **who** / **why** any lower-class man could do **what** / **which** he could not.
- 6 She felt fine **when** / **why** she thought these tenants were coming here because of Sir Harry Otway, but she was angry now.
- 7 “I taught him not to believe in religion, **that** / **which** starts only hate and wars.

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20 Match the words in the box with the definitions. There are two extra words.

fate naked boiler snob education waste guest manners shutters

- 1 A person who is staying in a hotel, or visiting your house.
- 2 Not wearing clothes.
- 3 The way that you act when you are with other people.
- 4 Not use time, money, etc. well.
- 5 A person who thinks they are better than other people because they are from a higher class.
- 6 Some people believe that this decides things in people’s lives and cannot be stopped or changed.
- 7 A machine in a house that makes water hot.

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