

# Common Core Aligned Comprehension Assessment

<b>The Summer My Father Was Ten</b> CCSS Assessment	Name: _____ Score: / 9
<b>Directions:</b> Use what you know about <i>The Summer My Father Was Ten</i> to answer each of the following questions.	
1. What does the author mean when she describes the boy's feet "like heavy stones" after the vegetable fight?	
<input type="radio"/> A Mr. Bellavista told him not to move because the police were coming.	
<input type="radio"/> B His feet were covered in mud and it was hard to walk.	
<input type="radio"/> C His shoes were heavy from being soaked in tomato juice.	
<input type="radio"/> D He was afraid to apologize to Mr. Bellavista, and so it was hard to move.	
2. Which of these details best supports the theme of tradition found in this story?	
<input type="radio"/> A They grew vegetables and flowers.	
<input type="radio"/> B The boy, now grown up, plants a garden every year with his daughter, just like he did with Mr. Bellavista.	
<input type="radio"/> C The boys played baseball out in the street during the summer.	
<input type="radio"/> D Mr. Bellavista listened to opera on the radio.	
3. What happened after the boy decided to throw the tomato instead of the baseball?	
<input type="radio"/> A The boys ruined the garden by picking and throwing all the vegetables.	
<input type="radio"/> B Mr. Bellavista came out and yelled at them to stop.	
<input type="radio"/> C Nicky got mad and decided to go home.	
<input type="radio"/> D Everyone got in trouble and had to replant the garden right away.	
4. Which word is a synonym for vacant?	
<input type="radio"/> A messy	
<input type="radio"/> B next door	
<input type="radio"/> C empty	
<input type="radio"/> D old	
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Common Core Assessment:  
One question for each Reading  
Informational OR Reading Literature  
standard (1-9)



<b>The Summer My Father Was Ten</b> CCSS Assessment Answer Key
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1. What does the author mean when she describes the boy's feet "like heavy stones" after the vegetable fight? (RL.1)
<input type="radio"/> A Mr. Bellavista told him not to move because the police were coming.
<input type="radio"/> B His feet were covered in mud and it was hard to walk.
<input type="radio"/> C His shoes were heavy from being soaked in tomato juice.
<input checked="" type="radio"/> D He was afraid to apologize to Mr. Bellavista, and so it was hard to move.
2. Which of these details best supports the theme of tradition found in this story? (RL.2)
<input type="radio"/> A They grew vegetables and flowers.
<input checked="" type="radio"/> B The boy, now grown up, plants a garden every year with his daughter, just like he did with Mr. Bellavista.
<input type="radio"/> C The boys played baseball out in the street during the summer.
<input type="radio"/> D Mr. Bellavista listened to opera on the radio.
3. What happened after the boy decided to throw the tomato instead of the baseball? (RL.3)
<input checked="" type="radio"/> A The boys ruined the garden by picking and throwing all the vegetables.
<input type="radio"/> B Mr. Bellavista came out and yelled at them to stop.
<input type="radio"/> C Nicky got mad and decided to go home.
<input type="radio"/> D Everyone got in trouble and had to replant the garden right away.
4. Which word is a synonym for vacant? (RL.4)
<input type="radio"/> A messy
<input type="radio"/> B next door
<input checked="" type="radio"/> C empty
<input type="radio"/> D old
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Answer Key

