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**Instructions:** Read each question carefully and choose the best answer.

1. What was the setting for this story?
  - (A) Brazil
  - (B) Portugal
  - (C) Argentina
  - (D) United States
2. Why did Cammy put her bracelet in the bag she threw into the water?
  - (A) so she would be rid of it
  - (B) because the girl in the canoe asked for it
  - (C) so that her parents would buy her a new one
  - (D) to give something of herself to the girl in the canoe
3. If you did something **frantically**, how did you do it?
  - (A) cheerfully
  - (B) wildly, crazily
  - (C) in anger
  - (D) with fear
4. What did Cammy's mom think about how Cammy was acting in the first chapter?
  - (A) She was disgusted by Cammy's complaints and immature behavior.
  - (B) She was glad Cammy was having a great time and enjoying all the sights.
  - (C) She was concerned that Cammy didn't have any other children to play with.
  - (D) She was relieved that Cammy was going to be fine and back with them.
5. The native family gave Cammy canoe lessons so she could \_\_\_\_\_.
  - (A) teach others
  - (B) help them fish
  - (C) go to Santarem
  - (D) overcome her fears

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6. What is **malaria**?
- Ⓐ a type of dolphin
  - Ⓑ a feeling of fear and dread
  - Ⓒ an illness carried by mosquitoes
  - Ⓓ a type of vegetable grown in rainforests
7. Who rescued Cammy when she fell into the river?
- Ⓐ Ixtola
  - Ⓑ Gabriela
  - Ⓒ her father
  - Ⓓ a native boy
8. After three days on the Amazon River, what did Cammy say she liked about the trip?
- Ⓐ watching the sunsets
  - Ⓑ eating the fish they served
  - Ⓒ sleeping in the hammocks
  - Ⓓ playing with the children on the boat
9. Why did Cammy's dad jump in the river when he saw her in the canoe?
- Ⓐ He was so excited to see her, and he wanted to hug her.
  - Ⓑ He wanted to make sure that she got back on the boat.
  - Ⓒ He didn't think she could paddle the boat, so he would do it for her.
  - Ⓓ He wanted to go for a swim, and then he would join her in the canoe.
10. Why did the boy in the canoe stare at Cammy like she was from another planet?
- Ⓐ Cammy did not look like the people of his land.
  - Ⓑ Cammy was not happy about sitting on the fish.
  - Ⓒ Cammy had such strange clothes on.
  - Ⓓ Cammy was acting so strangely.

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**11. Extended Response:** What was something important that Cammy learned from the native family?

**12. Extended Response:** By the end of the story, how did Cammy feel about the Amazon Adventure? Give details from the story to support your answer.

## Quick Check Answer Sheet

## Adventure on the Amazon River

Main Comprehension Skill: Story Elements: Identify Parts of a Plot

1. Ⓐ *Story Elements*
2. Ⓓ *Make Inferences / Draw Conclusions*
3. Ⓑ *Vocabulary*
4. Ⓐ *Analyze Character*
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10. Ⓐ *Analyze Character*
11. Answers will vary but could include the following: *she was able to learn a foreign language, she was able to communicate with the native people by using gestures as well as words, she shouldn't stand on the railing of a boat, this adventure that her parents were taking her on was fun and exciting, and so on.*
12. Answers will vary but may include the following: *Cammy felt proud and relieved when she was rescued by native people and despite speaking different languages was able to communicate with them, Cammy was brave to leave the native people and go out in a canoe to try to find the boat that her parents were on, falling over board and being rescued by a native boy and the other native children and bringing her to their home seemed scary as well as adventurous, and so on.*