## Chapter 11—They’re After Us!

***Huck Finn* Study Questions Chapters 11-20**

Answer these questions as we read *The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn*. These questions will help prepare you for your tests and quizzes in this unit. Answer each question completely and in full sentences on your own piece of paper. You do not need to write the question, just the answers.

1. What does Huck tell the woman in the cabin his name is? What does he say he’s doing in town?
2. How long has this woman been in town?
3. Who are the two suspects in Huck’s death? Why are these people suspected?
4. How did the woman test Huck to see if he actually was a girl?
5. What was Huck’s next story?
6. How could the woman tell Huck was a boy?
7. What does Huck do when he returns to the island?
8. Write a short summary of the most important things in this chapter.

## Chapter 12—Better Let Blame Well Alone

1. What do Huck and Jim do when they find the wrecked steamboat? Who do they find in it? What are those people talking about?
2. What happens when Huck meets back up with Jim outside of the ferry boat?
3. Write a short summary of the most important things in this chapter.

## Chapter 13—Honest Loot from the *Walter Scott*

1. How do Huck and Jim escape from *The Walter Scott*?
2. Who does Huck tell the watchman are on the *Walter Scott*?
3. How did Huck think the widow would feel if she knew about Huck helping out the gang?
4. What ended up happening to the *Walter Scott*?

## Chapter 14—Was Solomon Wise?

1. What did the gang steal from the *Walter Scott* that Huck and Jim ended up with?
2. What does Jim think about Solomon?
3. What does Jim think about French?

## Chapter 15—Fooling Poor Old Jim

1. Where were Jim and Huck headed?
2. What happened to the raft in the fog?
3. How does Huck attempt to find Jim?
4. What trick does Huck play on Jim?
5. How did Jim interpret his “dream?”
6. What did Jim tell Huck when he realized he was being fooled? How did Huck feel about his trick?
7. Write a short summary of the most important things in this chapter.

## Chapter 16—The Rattlesnake Skin Does its Work

1. Why does Jim feel “trembly and feverish?” Why does Huck feel that way?
2. What does Huck intend to do when he takes the canoe to town?
3. What does Huck end up telling the people he finds?
4. Is the town they find Cairo?
5. Why did Huck and Jim decide not to “borrow” a canoe?
6. What did the river boat do?
7. Does Huck find Jim?
8. Write a short summary of the most important things in this chapter.

## Chapter 17—The Grangerfords Take Me In

1. What happens when Huck gets to land and is cornered by the dogs? What do the people tell him to do? What is Huck afraid will happen?
2. Who is Buck?
3. What does Huck tell the family happened to his family?
4. Why does Huck want Buck to spell Huck’s “name?”
5. What does Huck think of the house?
6. What kind of pictures did the dead daughter draw?
7. What was in the daughter’s scrapbook?
8. Write a short summary of the most important things in this chapter.

## Chapter 18—Why Harney Rode Away for His Hat

1. What was Colonel Grangerford like?
2. How many living children do the Grangerfords have? How many have died?
3. Who is the other “clan of aristocracy?”
4. Who did Buck try to shoot? Why did Buck want to kill him?
5. What is a feud? Who started the feud between the Shepherdsons and the Grangerfords? Why did it start?
6. What does Miss Sophia ask Huck to do? What falls out of the Testament?
7. What does Huck’s servant want to show him? Who does Huck find?
8. What happened to their raft?
9. What happened the next day? Where did Miss Sophia go?
10. What happened to Buck’s father and brothers?
11. What happens to Buck?
12. How does Huck get away?
13. Write a short summary of the most important things in this chapter.

## Chapter 19—The Duke and the Dauphin Come Aboard

1. How does Huck find their next two passengers? What are they running from? Why?
2. Who does the young man claim to be?
3. Who does the old man claim to be?
4. Does Huck believe them?
5. Write a short summary of the most important things in this chapter.

## Chapter 20—What Royalty Did to Parkville

1. Which bed does the Dauphin demand to have? Where do Huck and Jim end up sleeping?
2. How does the Duke want to earn money?
3. What do they find in the town?
4. What story does the king tell the people at the revival camp? How do the people react?
5. What was the duke doing while the king was collecting money?
6. What plan did the duke come up with so they could travel in the day?
7. Write a short summary of the most important things in this chapter.