

Level 5-1
Pinocchio

Workbook

Teacher's Guide and Answer Key

Teacher's Guide

A. Summary

1. Book Summary

Geppetto shapes a piece of wood into a puppet boy and names him Pinocchio. Pinocchio is a bad puppet, and he gets into a lot of trouble. He runs away and gets Geppetto in jail. He sells his school book to buy a ticket to a puppet show. The owner of the show almost burns him in the fire as wood. But when he sees how brave Pinocchio is, he lets him go and gives him some gold coins. Then Pinocchio meets some robbers who try to steal his coins. A blue fairy comes to help him. Pinocchio tells a lie to the fairy, and his nose grows very long.

Pinocchio starts school, but he gets in trouble with a boy named Lampwick. The two are turned into donkeys. Pinocchio is thrown into the sea, where fish eat his donkey body. He is then swallowed by a whale and finds Geppetto inside as well. After they escape, Pinocchio works hard to help Geppetto. And when he hears that the blue fairy is sick, he sends her some money. He wakes up the next morning to find that he is a real boy. Geppetto tells him that when boys try to be good, good things happen.

2. Chapter Summary

► Chapter 1

Geppetto finds a piece of wood in the forest. When he begins to cut it, it says, "Don't hurt me." Geppetto makes a puppet called Pinocchio from the wood. After he is finished, the puppet runs away, and Geppetto chases him. A policeman catches Pinocchio, thinking he is a real boy. However, the policeman thinks Geppetto is going to hurt the boy when they get home, so he takes Geppetto to jail.

► Chapter 2

When Pinocchio gets home, he finds the house empty and there is no food. Then he hears a voice and finds a cricket. The cricket tells him that little boys who don't listen to their parents get into trouble. Pinocchio throws a hammer at him, and the cricket runs away. Pinocchio then falls asleep by the fire, and his feet burn up. In the morning, Geppetto comes home and sees Pinocchio without his feet. So he makes new feet for him. Pinocchio wants to go to school, but he doesn't have a book. Geppetto sells his coat to buy a book for him.

► Chapter 3

The next day, on his way to school, Pinocchio sees a puppet show. He sells his book to buy a ticket for the show. The puppets in the show ask Pinocchio to come on the stage, and this makes the owner of the show angry. He hangs Pinocchio on a nail on the wall and tells him that he is going to build a fire using him for wood. Pinocchio begs him not to, so the owner says he will use another puppet instead. Pinocchio doesn't want that to happen to his friends, so he asks the owner to burn him instead. The owner says that he is a brave puppet. He gives Pinocchio five gold coins and tells him to go home.

► Chapter 4

On the way home, Pinocchio meets two robbers. He is afraid, so he puts the gold coins in his mouth. The robbers ask for his money, but Pinocchio cannot speak because of the coins. The robbers hang him on a tree for a long time until they become bored and leave. Pinocchio removes the coins from his mouth and yells for help. A blue fairy who lives in a house nearby comes and takes him to her house.

► Chapter 5

Pinocchio tells the fairy his story. When she asks him about the coins, he lies to her, telling her he lost them. Just then, his nose grows very long. The fairy tells him that lying will make his nose grow. She gets some woodpeckers to make his nose short again. The fairy asks Pinocchio to live with her as her little brother, and she tells him to go and bring his father. On the way home, Pinocchio meets a fox and a cat. He doesn't know that they are the robbers he met before. The fox tricks Pinocchio, telling him that if he puts the gold coins in the ground they will grow into a money tree. Pinocchio puts the coins in a hole in the ground and covers them up. When he comes back later, the coins are gone. Pinocchio tells a policeman about the theft, but the policeman puts him in jail instead because he thinks that, without money, Pinocchio will make trouble. Pinocchio stays in jail for many months before he is set free.

► Chapter 6

On his way home from jail, Pinocchio meets a bird who says he knows all about him. He says the blue fairy is gone because her "little brother" never came home and that Geppetto is going across the sea to look for the little puppet. The bird asks Pinocchio to get on his back, and together they fly to an island where the blue fairy is. Pinocchio lives with her and promises to be good. He even starts school. At school, he meets a boy named Lampwick who doesn't like to study. One day Lampwick tells Pinocchio about Playtime Land and invites him to go there. The two boys get into a donkey cart that takes them there. They have

a wonderful time doing nothing but playing. Then one day, they wake up with donkey ears. A mouse tells them they have donkey fever. He says that boys who only play and never study turn into donkeys. The next moment, the two boys turn into donkeys.

► Chapter 7

Then the man who has the donkey cart comes and sees the two donkeys. He takes them to town to sell. He sells Lampwick to a farmer, and Pinocchio to a man who makes drums. The drum maker wants to make a drum out of the skin of the donkey that is Pinocchio. He ties a rope around Pinocchio and throws him into the sea to kill him first. Many fish come and eat the donkey. After the meat is all gone, only the puppet is left. As Pinocchio is swimming away, a whale comes and swallows him. Inside the whale, he meets Geppetto, and together they escape from the whale's mouth.

► Chapter 8

Pinocchio swims to land with the weak Geppetto on his back. He finds a house where he meets the cricket again. He asks the cricket to let his father stay in the house, and the cricket lets both of them stay there. Pinocchio asks where he got such a nice house, and the cricket said a blue fairy gave it to him. Pinocchio wants to know when the blue fairy will come back, but the cricket says never. Pinocchio works hard every day for a farmer to get milk for his father. He learns to make baskets, and he learns to read and write. One day, he hears from a friend that the blue fairy is sick. He gives four coins to the friend to help the fairy. That night, Pinocchio has a dream about the fairy. When he wakes up, he is a real boy. He notices that things are now different. He and his father now live in a nice house and have nice clothes. Geppetto tells Pinocchio that it is his reward for being good. He says that when boys try to be good, it changes everything. Pinocchio is glad to be a real boy.

B. Background and Themes

★ **Rewards and punishments:** Bad things happen to us when we do bad things, and good things happen to us when we do good things.

★ **Friendship:** True friends care about each other, but having bad friends can lead to trouble.

★ **Ambition:** Doing nothing but playing all the time only leads to big problems in life.

★ **Responsibility:** Pinocchio's irresponsible actions made life difficult for Geppetto.

Answer Key

Part A Story Focus

Before You Read

(Answers may vary.)

► Introduction

1. It was a newspaper story.
2. It was from Italy.
3. There were 36 chapters in Collodi's original story.

► Characters

1. Pinocchio: brave, kind, young
2. Geppetto: old, hardworking, loving
3. The Blue Fairy: good, magical, sweet
4. Lampwick: lazy, bad, silly

While You Read

(Answer may vary.)

► Chapter 1

A. Preview Questions

1. I think this man is going to have a puppet show.
2. They can be made of metal, plastic, or cloth.
3. I think he used a knife and a saw.

B. Review Questions

1. He cuts it into a puppet.
2. It grows very long.
3. He takes Geppetto to jail.

► Chapter 2

A. Preview Questions

1. I think he is telling Pinocchio a fun story.
2. I think this is Geppetto's house.
3. I think he is a bad puppet.

B. Review Questions

1. He tells Pinocchio that boys who don't listen to their parents get into a lot of trouble.
2. He throws a hammer at the cricket.
3. They burn up when he falls asleep by the fire.

► Chapter 3

A. Preview Questions

1. I think he is going to have Pinocchio in his puppet show.
2. I don't think he will like this place.
3. I think he will run away.

B. Review Questions

1. He sells it to buy a ticket to see a puppet show.
2. He hangs Pinocchio on a nail on the wall.
3. Pinocchio offered to let Fire-Eater burn him in place of another puppet.

► Chapter 4

A. Preview Questions

1. I think they are robbers.
2. I think they want Pinocchio's money.
3. I think he will hit them and run away.

B. Review Questions

1. They hang him in the tree.
2. He puts the coins in his mouth.
3. A fairy comes to help him.

► Chapter 5

A. Preview Questions

1. I think he is sick.
2. I think he tells a lie.
3. I think it will break off.

B. Review Questions

1. He says he lost them.
2. She wants them to live with her.
3. He says if Pinocchio plants the coins, a money tree grows.

► Chapter 6

A. Preview Questions

1. I think it is a place where children only play.

2. I think he will get into trouble.
3. No, I don't think he is a good friend.

B. Review Questions

1. He rides on the back of a bird.
2. He takes Pinocchio to an island where the blue fairy lives.
3. He likes Playtime Land because nobody studies there.

► Chapter 7

A. Preview Questions

1. I think they fell into the sea and were swallowed.
2. I think they will escape.
3. I think he will become a good puppet.

B. Review Questions

1. The man with the donkey cart sells them.
2. He throws Pinocchio into the sea to kill him.
3. He is swallowed by a whale.

► Chapter 8

A. Preview Questions

1. I think Pinocchio is going to change from a puppet into a real boy.
2. I think Geppetto is sick and weak.
3. I think Pinocchio will decide to be good, and this will change him.

B. Review Questions

1. The blue fairy gave it to him.
2. He is sad because the blue fairy is never coming back.
3. He gets a reward for trying to be good.

Mini Quiz

a. As you sow, so shall you reap.

→ If you do bad things, then bad things will happen to you. But if you do good things, then good things will happen to you. When Pinocchio was doing things he should not do, bad things happened to him. He got into trouble with Fire-Eater, with the robbers, and at Playtime Land. When he finally started to work hard and help Geppetto and the blue fairy, a good thing happened to him when he was turned into a boy.

b. A penny saved is a penny earned.

→ If you save your money, it's the same as making money.

c. Absence makes the heart grow fonder.

→ If you are separated from someone for a long time, you really begin to miss that person.

After you read

(Answers may vary.)

► Pattern Practice

4. A: Would you like to go swimming?

B: Sure, that sounds cool!

5. A: I'm going to the library. Do you want to come?

B: No, it sounds boring.

► Challenge

1. Pinocchio is wearing a shirt with flowers on it.
2. In the background, there are a boy puppet and a dog puppet.
3. Fire-Eater is giving Pinocchio some coins.
4. Pinocchio is holding out his hand and taking the coins.

Part B Skill Focus

Vocabulary Preview

A.

1. c, e, g

2. a, b, h

B.

1. ashes 2. cricket

3. donkey 4. fairy

5. jail 6. swallows

7. woodpeckers

Reading Comprehension

► Beginning: Chapters 1–3

A.

1. F 2. T 3. T 4. T 5. F

B.

1. He is Pinocchio.
2. He is a puppet.
3. He is made of a piece of wood.
4. He does not listen to Geppetto.

C.

1. c 2. a 3. d 4. a 5. d 6. b

► Middle: Chapters 4–5

A.

1. T 2. T 3. F 4. T 5. F

B.

1. The blue fairy
2. Pinocchio
3. The fox
4. Pinocchio

C.

1. a 2. c 3. b 4. b 5. d 6. b

► End: Chapters 6–8

A.

1. T 2. F 3. T 4. F 5. T

B.

b → d → a → c

C.

1. c 2. c 3. a 4. b 5. c 6. d

Think and Write

| Pinocchio | Both | The Fox |
|--------------------|----------------------|------------------------|
| made of wood | tells a lie | is a robber |
| tries to be good | wants the gold coins | has a cat friend |
| becomes a real boy | goes to the woods | tricks people |
| loved by the fairy | | wears a mask sometimes |

Vocabulary Review

1. The policeman grabs the puppet **by** its long nose.
2. Pinocchio feels something **in** his stomach.
3. Little boys who do not listen to their parents **get** into a lot of trouble.
4. Pinocchio sells his A-B-C book and **buys** a ticket for the show.
5. Fire-Eater looks at Pinocchio and says, "I can use you **for** my fire."
6. The robbers **pick** up Pinocchio and take him into the woods.
7. Finally, the robbers **get** bored.
8. The fox **hears** the gold coins in the puppet's pocket.
9. When a person plants a coin in the ground, a money tree **grows**.
10. During a festival, everyone is set **free**.

Summary

A.

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B.

(Answers may vary.)

1. Geppetto makes a puppet with a piece of wood.
2. Pinocchio digs a hole and puts his coins in it.
3. As Pinocchio is swimming, a whale comes and swallows him!
4. When Pinocchio wakes up, he is a real boy.

Book Report

Story 1. policeman 2. trouble 3. robbers 4. fairy 5. swallowed