**Chapter 1 The Public Meeting**

Before You Read

[Sample Answers]

1. I think people gather and share information about some current issues in a public meeting.

2. I think they are in a community center.

3. I think this story takes place in the early 1900s.

After You Read

A. Choose the best answer.

(c)

B. Put a check (√) next to the facts about the public meeting.

(√) was held at the Mansion House

(√) was arranged by the Lord Mayor of London

 included speakers who were chosen for three reasons

 was an event for which tickets had to be purchased

(√) included famous speakers

(√) included speakers who were businessmen

 required late arrivals to stand

**Chapter 2 The Visitor**

Before You Read

[Sample Answers]

1. Yes, because she was quite interested in Mr. Lismore at the meeting.

2. I think they are Mr. Lismore and Mrs. Callender.

3. Yes, judging by what Mrs. Callender said in the previous chapter, they seem to know each other.

After You Read

A. Choose the best answer.

(a)

B. Put the information in the right place.

1. (b) 2. (d) 3. (c) 4. (a)

**Chapter 3 An Errand of Gratitude**

Before You Read

[Sample Answers]

1. I think Mrs. Callender wants to help Mr. Lismore with his financial difficulty.

2. I think the man is showing the address of someone who can help him financially.

3. Yes, because Mrs. Callender will want to make sure Mr. Lismore’s problem is solved.

After You Read

A. Choose the best answer.

(b)

B. Write the information in the right place.

**Mr. Lismore Mrs. Callender**

• told his short story • wanted to know why her inquiries failed

• accepted a(n) invitation • invited Mr. Lismore for a visit the next day

• said he was not married • left Mr. Lismore with a(n) sigh

 or in love

**Chapter 4 Options**

Before You Read

[Sample Answers]

1. Yes, because there are negative rumors about his financial situation.

2. I think he is reading a letter from Mrs. Callender.

3. I think he is worried.

After You Read

A. Choose the best answer.

(a)

B. Put the information in the right place.

1. (f) 2. (a) 3. (e) 4. (d) 5. (c) 6. (b)

**Chapter 5 Mr. Lismore’s Position**

Before You Read

[Sample Answers]

1. Yes, because she was willing to help him from the beginning of the story.

2. I think they are talking about how to solve Mr. Lismore’s financial problem.

3. Yes, because her house looks quite beautiful.

After You Read

A. Choose the best answer.

(c)

B. Write the information in the right place.

**Mr. Lismore**

was close to insolvency

suffered from financial troubles

was waiting for a ship

**Mrs. Callender**

was very rich

spoke of a condition

was anxious while talking

**Chapter 6 The Choice**

Before You Read

[Sample Answers]

1. I think he needs to choose if he wants to take Mrs. Callender’s suggestion or not.

2. I think she is writing a letter to Mr. Lismore.

3. Yes, because she wants to persuade Mr. Lismore to take her suggestion seriously.

After You Read

A. Choose the best answer.

(b)

B. Write T for True or F for False.

1. T

2. T

3. F

4. T

5. F

6. T

7. T

8. T

**Chapter 7 Married Life**

Before You Read

[Sample Answers]

1. No, because their marriage is not based on love.

2. I think they are in some foreign city.

3. I think Mr. Lismore will fall in love with someone and want to divorce.

After You Read

A. Choose the best answer.

(c)

B. Write the information in the right sentence.

Mrs. Callender and Mr. Lismore got married and then left England.

They went to Munich, where Ernest spent time in the galleries .

They were not living happily together, but Mr. Lismore hid his doubts.

**Chapter 8 The Other Lady**

Before You Read

[Sample Answers]

1. No, because she might be in love with Mr. Lismore.

2. I think Mr. Lismore is apologizing for wanting to leave her.

3. I think she feels sad but wants him to be happy.

After You Reads

A. Choose the best answer.

(b)

B. Put the events in the correct order from 1 to 8.

• 8

• 3

• 6

• 7

• 2

• 5

• 1

• 4

**Chapter 9 The Secret Revealed**

Before You Read

[Sample Answers]

1. She stopped him because she loves Mr. Lismore and wants to apologize for her attitude.

2. I think he is angry and disappointed in her.

3. I think the lady has a secret.

After You Reads

A. Choose the best answer.

(c)

B. Put the information in the right place.

 **Mr. Lismore Mrs. Lismore**

 a b d

 c e f

 h g