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**Stand Tall Chapter 1:** Please respond in T.A.G.

Turn the question into a statement    Answer it    Give an example or elaboration

- 1) Why is the life of the main character suddenly so complicated?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- 2) How do you think Tree felt during the conversation with Mrs. Pierce? Explain using an example!
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- 3) On page 5, Tree says that “tallness is packed with great expectations.” What do you think he means by this?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- 4) On page 7, examine the line the author writes: “It was winter in his life, too, and not just because it was December.” What can you *infer* from this line?

**Stand Tall Chapter 2:** Please respond in T.A.G.

Turn the question into a statement    Answer it    Give an example or elaboration

1. What is *heymom.com*?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. Do you think this website is a good idea? Why or why not?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
3. How do you think the divorce will change the holidays for Tree?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
4. Why do you think Tree's brothers are giving such silly answers to their mother's questions?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
5. Where are Tree's brothers?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
6. What is Tree's favorite part of the week? Explain why you think that this is true.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
7. Tree said on page 12 "the older and slower Bradley got, the more he seemed to know." Do you agree that animals can sense trouble?