

Surviving the Applewhites

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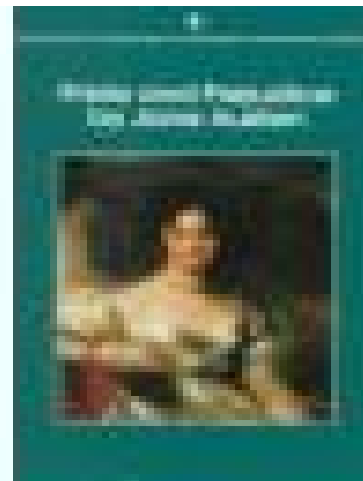
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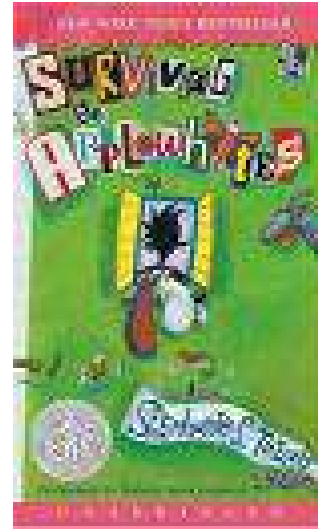
Segolene Yver

Reward

- We both recommend this book for different reasons.
- Segolene's reason are because she thinks that the main character has a good point of view on how to achieve a goal. The next book Segolene would recommend would be one from the Twilight series.
- Sherry's reason is because she thinks the book involves a lot of thinking while reading and understanding what she reads. The next book Sherry would read is Pride and Prejudice.



Extend



- We both decided to do a Power Point to show what we understood from the this great book.

Assess



- We both realized that Jake changed, as his life improved. He changed in a way that he matured and learned an important lesson. He learned that he can make good choices and be whatever he wants and not have to be like his parents. He decided to be an actor.
- We thought that this lesson was important because people are all different and have to make lots of choices as we decide what we want to be and how we talk to people.
- After we finished the book we found out that Jake found his goal of being an actor and is happier.

Change



- If Segolene could change one part of the story it would be the ending because she thinks that the author shouldn't have mentioned that they were reading the reviews. Another change Sherry wants to mention is that she thinks Jake's parents should come back and find Jake to see how he is doing and ask if he wants to come home with them.

Take Apart

The problem that Sherry found was that was that Jake was really angry because his parents were in jail. He was so mad that he burned down his old school. This is why he got sent to the Applewhite's. Sherry says the problem was solved when he was happy at the Applewhites. They liked him and kept him busy and he learned to change.



- Segolene's problem is that Destiny almost burned down the auditorium and Mrs. Montrose called the play off. The effect was that E.D. saved the day by having the idea that their barn could be a new auditorium.



Investigate



- Sherry and Segolene chose different topics to research. Sherry chose butterflies, caterpillars and Segolene chose The Sound of Music.

Organize

This is the summary of Surviving the Applewhites

1. Jake was sent to the Applewhites because his parents were in jail, and he burned his school.
2. E.D. thought Jake was stealing all her idea's when it came to school work. The went to home school not real school.
3. Jake smoked a lot and dressed all in black before being comfortable at his new place.
4. Everyone started to like Jake and he became nicer than before.
5. The dad Randolph gets everyone to do the Sound of Music. Jeremy Bernstein is staying at the cottage because he has to interview Sybil.
6. The family works hard to do the show and in the end Destiny gets to play a girl.
7. Jake learns he is a good actor.



Name

This story takes place in a little town called Treybridge.

In the story the main characters are:

Jake Semple , Destiny Applewhite , E.D. Applewhite, Randolph and Sybil Applewhite. There are more people but these are the important characters.



Vocabulary

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| Scruffy | Dirty-ragged-looking (adj.) |
| Introverted | Shy and lone (adj.) |
| Quaint | Pleasantly, unusual, or old fashion (adj.) |
| recluse | Someone who blocks the community of people (n) |
| rustic | Of or from the country (adj.) |
| intensified | Something that fills up air (V) |
| lopsided | Bigger on one side (adj.) |
| siege | An attack from all sides (n) |