Questions 1 to 15 are about ‘Phone Trouble’

1. The story is written from the perspective of...
   - Lucy
   - Poppy
   - Mum
   - Miss Wall

2. At the start of the extract it is the girl's...
   - birthday
   - first day back
   - holidays
   - graduation day

3. How did the girl telling the story sometimes feel about her best friend?
   - lucky
   - jealous
   - upset
   - angry

4. The story is set mainly...
   - in a town
   - in the countryside
   - in a school
   - in a house
5. Order these events as they happen in the story. Number them 1, 2, 3, 4.

- The phone is found in Lucy's bag.
- Poppy loses her phone.
- Poppy takes the phone to school.
- Poppy gets a new phone.

6. Explain two things that the words ‘shiny treasure’ suggest about the phone.

7. Why was Poppy ‘Almost late for registration?’

8. In the text it says, ‘I felt sick’.

   Why did Poppy feel sick?

9. Which words does the author use to show how Poppy left the classroom in the afternoon after losing her phone?
10. What do these words tell you about the way she was feeling?


11. ‘I sat on the floor and tipped it upside down, inside out, squeezed every corner. Nothing.’

Find and copy the sentence that shows she has already searched her bag.


12. Throughout the story Poppy feels a range of emotions.

Find and copy two sentences from the text that show she was feeling excited.

1. _________________________________________________________________________

2. _________________________________________________________________________

Find and copy two sentences that show she was feeling worried.

1. _________________________________________________________________________

2. _________________________________________________________________________

13. At the end it says ‘Lucy’s bag looked just like mine – we’d chosen identical ones, to match our coats.’

Find and copy a sentence from the beginning of the story which links to this.

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14. “I’m so sorry Mum,” I **pleaded**.

Give another word with the **same meaning** as **pleaded** that could have been used instead.

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15. Based on what you have read in the last paragraph of the story, **predict** what Poppy will say to her Mum when they get home. Use evidence from this paragraph to support your prediction.

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End of questions about ‘**Phone Trouble**’