

“The Tattoo” by R. Fulleman  
30 SRC/AR questions for educator input to the software

Accelerated Reader – 0.5 pts.; IL = MG+; BL = 1.0; type = RP,VP  
Scholastic Reading Counts - Pts. 4; RL 1.4; lexile Z 250, 4,670 words

1. Ron, Bob, and their friends were brought to the water park by...
  - a) Ron and Bob’s mother
  - b) Jorge’s mother and father
  - c) Their teacher, Mr. Chan
  - d) Their principal
  
2. For safety, the water park had a lot of these.
  - a) Fences around the lines
  - b) Life jackets
  - c) Lifeguards
  - d) Parent chaperones
  
3. What did the boys notice while they waited in line?
  - a) Only small children were at the water park
  - b) Many people had tattoos
  - c) That they all were getting sun burned
  - d) Their favorite band was playing at the water park
  
4. The boys were at the water park to celebrate this.
  - a) Jorge’s birthday
  - b) The last day of school
  - c) The 4<sup>th</sup> of July
  - d) Ron’s good grades
  
5. Other than the water park, where else did the boys notice people with tattoos?
  - a) At the mall
  - b) At Bell Jr. High
  - c) Actors in a crime TV show
  - d) On their cousins

6. What tattoo design did Ron want to get?
  - a) The name of his favorite band
  - b) An anchor
  - c) Chinese writing
  - d) A cartoon character
  
7. Why did Bob think that he wouldn't get a tattoo?
  - a) He did not like needles
  - b) He thought they looked bad
  - c) He couldn't decide what to get
  - d) He was too sick
  
8. Which family member of Ron and Bob had a tattoo?
  - a) Their mom
  - b) Their cousin
  - c) Their uncle
  - d) Their grandpa
  
9. How did Ron and Bob's grandpa help at their house?
  - a) He set up their garage sale
  - b) He fixed a lot of things
  - c) He helped them sell their house
  - d) None of these
  
10. Where did Jorge's sister take the boys?
  - a) To the beach
  - b) To the mall
  - c) To summer school
  - d) To their grandparents' house
  
11. What game item did Ron and Bob bring to the beach?
  - a) A football
  - b) A volleyball
  - c) A Frisbee
  - d) Video games

12. Why didn't Ron and Bob's mom take them to the beach?
- a) She had to work
  - b) She didn't want to get sun burned
  - c) She couldn't swim
  - d) All of these
13. Who was Rose's boyfriend?
- a) Bob
  - b) Mike
  - c) Jorge
  - d) Ron
14. What did Rose and her friends like to talk about at the beach?
- a) Clothes
  - b) Their new classes
  - c) Shopping
  - d) Boys
15. What did Rose's friend use to write on her car?
- a) Shoe polish
  - b) Silly string
  - c) Sun block
  - d) Crayons
16. What did Rose's friend write on her car?
- a) Wash me
  - b) A heart with Rose & Mike
  - c) Happy Birthday
  - d) Rival Tides
17. When did Ron and Bob's grandpa get his tattoo?
- a) When he was in the navy
  - b) During college
  - c) Last week
  - d) When he was a policeman

18. Why did Ron change his mind about getting a tattoo?

- a) His mother said no
- b) he might not like the design later
- c) Bob made fun of him
- d) It cost too much money

19. Grandpa's tattoo was a picture of this.

- a) His name
- b) An anchor
- c) A snake
- d) A girl in sailor clothes

20. Which school group had the car wash?

- a) The choir
- b) The football team
- c) Friends of the Library
- d) Band

21. Why did Rose and Mike break up?

- a) Mike wanted to go out with other girls
- b) Rose was moving away
- c) Mike was grounded
- d) None of these

22. What happened to the picture on Rose's car?

- a) Students laughed at it
- b) It got washed away at the car wash
- c) It never came off
- d) Rose put a new boy's name in it

23. Who got sun burned at the beach?

- a) Rose
- b) Mike
- c) Bob
- d) Jorge

24. Why did grandpa tell the boys that they should not get a tattoo?

- a) All of these
- b) Skin changes as you get old
- c) Some people judge others with tattoos
- d) They might not like it later

25. Why did Jorge forget to put on sun block?

- a) He was talking a lot to Mike
- b) He decided not to go to the beach
- c) He went into the water first
- d) He left the sun block in the car

26. Why did Rose say that she might make the boys walk home?

- a) they splashed her with cold water
- b) Her car was not working
- c) She was going to take her other friends home
- d) Her boyfriend was mad at the boys

27. Who is the author of this book?

- a) R. Fulleman
- b) Josh Levin
- c) Lemony Snicket
- d) Bob Wright

28. How do Ron and Bob know each other?

- a) They live next door to each other
- b) They both work at the beach
- c) They are cousins
- d) They are twin brothers

29. At the end of the story, Ron and Bob decide to do this.

- a) To draw pictures on Rose's car
- b) Wait until they are older before getting a tattoo
- c) Get tattoos next week
- d) To become life guards at the beach

30. Ron and Bob's grandparents live...

- a) With Ron and Bob
- b) Next door
- c) Far away
- d) In Mexico