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## Summer Reading SG

### *Island of the Blue Dolphins*

**Karana**  
**Ulape**

**Ramo**  
**Chowig**

**Rontu**  
**Captain Orlov**

**Tutok**  
**Aleuts**

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Karana's father and chief of Ghalas-at; tries to protect his people from the Aleuts

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another tribe of that travelled to Ghalas-at to hunt otter

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Aleut girl who befriends Karana

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12 year old daughter of the chief who is stranded on the island

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dishonest Russian who brings the Aleut people to Ghalas-at

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brother of Karana who is overconfident and mischievous

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sister of Karana who is vain and ready to get married

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wolf that Karana tames and keeps as a companion

**Quotes: Which literary devices are in each of the following quotes? (may be used more than once)**

**simile**

**metaphor**

**foreshadowing**

**personification**

"The sea is smooth," Ramo said. "It is a flat stone without any scratches."

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"Would he [Captain Orlov] pay us for the otter he had slain or would he try to sneak away in the night? Would our men have to fight for our rightful share?"

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"For this reason the canoe made a path in the black water like a snake."

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"He did not move, but his yellow eyes followed me, turning slowly as I drew near the cave."

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"The coils I had dropped on the rock hopped and sang as they ran."

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### **Comprehension Questions:**

What is the setting of this novel? (time and place)

What is the point of view in this novel?

Why is the island called Island of the Blue Dolphins?

What did the Aleuts plan to do while at Ghalas-at?

What was the reason the villagers of Ghalas-at gave for why Chief Chowig died in the battle against the Aleuts?

What had the villagers decided to do in case Aleuts came back?

Why did Ulape draw marks on her face?

What was the reason Ramo missed the ship that was sailing to the other island?

What happened to Karana's brother?

Why was Karana hesitant to make weapons to defend herself?

Why was Karana's inability to leave the island actually a good thing?

What happened after Karana shot the leader of the wild dogs?

What did Karana decide to never do after saving an otter?

What did Karana do after Rontu died?

What natural phenomena happened that surprised and scared Karana in Ch 27?

Why didn't the ship return to collect Karana and Ramo?

What type of genre is *Island of the Blue Dolphins*?

What type(s) of conflict are in this novel? What/who would be the antagonist(s)?

Where did the idea for this story come from for the author Scott O'Dell?

## ***Bridge to Terabithia***

**Jess Aarons    Leslie Burke    May Belle    Janice Avery    Miss Edmunds    Gary Fulcher**

_____	sister of Jess who worshipped him and became the next queen of Terabithia
_____	Jess and Leslie's favorite teacher
_____	protagonist who looks like a boy and is the fastest runner in 5th grade
_____	seventh grade bully at school
_____	protagonist who feels lost in his family and loves to draw
_____	boy in 5th grade who organizes the races

### **Short Answer:**

What is the setting of this novel? (time and place)

Why was Jess excited for school to start?

How many siblings did Jess have?

Why was Jess confused the first time he saw Leslie?

Why did the school races come to an end?

What caused Leslie and her parents to move to Lake Creek? What was their occupation?

How were Jess's parents very different from Leslie's parents?

What did Leslie not have that made her embarrassed in front of her class?

Why did Jess and Leslie create Terabithia?

How did Leslie and Jess cross the dry creek into Terabithia? How did Jess feel about this?

What did Janice Avery do to May Belle? What did Jess & Leslie do in retaliation?

What did Jess give Leslie for Christmas?

After Christmas, how long did Jess and Leslie stay away from Terabithia? Why?

What did Leslie call her parents?

Briefly describe Jess's perfect day. Why is this ironic?

Describe what happened to Leslie. What was Jess's first reaction when he learned about Leslie?

What was surprising about Mr. Aaron's conversation with Jess? What did he tell Jess?

Where did Jess hold the ceremony for Leslie?

Where did May Belle get stuck? Who rescued her?