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| Who is the author of The Lion of Mars?  | Jennifer L. Holm  | cover |
| On what date did Commander Sai Dexter report that the surface digi-cam had been destroyed?        | 5-Mar-91  | 1     |
| At what location in the settlement was the digi-cam destroyed?                                    | The northwest quadrant  | 1     |
| What did the grownups on Mars say was the hardest thing they had ever experienced in their lives? | The trip to Mars  | 3     |
| Why didn't Bell like sharing a room with Albie?   | He snored.  | 3     |
| Why did Bell suddenly have to share a room with Albie?  | Trey wanted to switch to the older kids' room                   | 3     |
| What was the old cat's name on Mars?  | Leo   | 3     |
| What did Albie always wear unless his was in bed?   | A Dodgers baseball cap  | 4     |
| What kept the settlement safe from radiation, freezing temperatures, and dust on Mars?            | The giant underground lava tube it was built inside.            | 5     |
| How old was Albie?  | seventeen   | 5     |
| How old was Flossy?   | sixteen   | 5     |
| How old was Vera?   | fifteen   | 5     |
| How old was Trey?   | fourteen  | 5     |
| How old was Bell?   | eleven  | 5     |
| How many days did it take for Mars to go around the sun, equaling a Mars year?                    | 687 days  | 7     |
| How old was Bell in Mars years?   | five  | 7     |
| What were the names of the cats on Mars when Bell was little?                                     | Bella, Mochi, Harley, Sesame, Little Cat, and Leo               | 7     |
| Why were the rooms in the settlement painted blue?  | They were supposed to look like the sky on Earth and be calming | 7     |

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| What did Darby use to make a rocking chair?   | Plastic barrels                                      | 7  |
| What was the name of the cook on Mars?  | Salty Bill   | 8  |
| What were the names of the grownups on Mars?  | Memes, Salty Bill, Phinneus, Eliana & Darby, and Sai | 8  |
| What was Bell's favorite part of the settlement?  | The algae farm                                       | 8  |
| What were the above-ground communications and observation rooms called where they sent and received messages? | COR  | 8  |
| What did the adults jokingly call COR?  | The Phone Booth                                      | 9  |
| What did crew members bring with them from Earth and display in COR?  | A map from their home state                          | 9  |
| What is Phobos?   | One of Mars's two moons                              | 9  |
| Why couldn't they light a grill in the backyard of the settlement?  | There wasn't enough oxygen in the air.               | 11 |
| How often did the supply ship come from Earth?  | Every two years                                      | 11 |
| What marked the limit to how far the children were allowed to go from the settlement?                         | The cemetery on the edge of the territory            | 11 |
| What kind of day did Sai say was a good day on Mars?  | A boring day   | 12 |
| What did sitrep mean?   | Situation report                                     | 13 |
| What did Bell think the fireball he saw flying and then crashing was?   | An alien spaceship                                   | 14 |
| What did Eliana say the fireball that crashed probably was?   | A meteorite  | 15 |
| What did Eliana usually wear?   | Cargo shorts and a t-shirt                           | 15 |
| What did Darby call Eliana?   | Peanut Butter  | 15 |
| What did Eliana call Darby?   | Jelly  | 15 |
| Which crew member was old and used a cane?  | Phineus  | 16 |

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| Where did Phinneus say the meteorite landed?   | Near the French settlement  | 17 |
| What were the six settlement rules?  | Don't go outside without a buddy, only use the alarm bell for an emergency, keep a glow stick in your pocket, children weren't allowed to drive rovers, no going beyond the flag, no contact with foreign countries | 17 |
| What was Trey's favorite shirt?  | His Stanford University sweatshirt  | 19 |
| Which college was the shirt from that Bell wore, that used to be Trey's?                         | Dickinson College   | 19 |
| What was a common ingredient in the food they ate on Mars?                                       | algae   | 19 |
| Why was Salty Bill the first person Sai recruited for the mission to Mars?                       | He said the cook was the most important person on a mission because good morale depended on good food.  | 19 |
| Where did Meems say was the heart of the settlement because so much happened there?              | The mess hall   | 19 |
| Why was the mess hall used to dry laundry on lines?  | It was always warm because of the cooking   | 20 |
| How many items did Sai allow to accumulate on the list of broken things that needed to be fixed? | ten   | 20 |
| What was Vera's favorite color?  | black   | 20 |
| What old Earth fashion style was Vera trying to be?  | goth  | 20 |
| What prank did Vera suggest to pull on Salty Bill?   | Switching the labels on all his spices  | 23 |
| What game did the kids on Mars like to play?   | Three word story  | 23 |
| What did Sai always wear that no one else wore?  | His blue uniform  | 24 |
| Why did Bell love the algae farm so much?  | He loved all the green, growing things, and he loved being near Phinneus.   | 25 |
| What had Phinneus done before going on the mission to Mars?                                      | He was a farmer in New California   | 25 |

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| What uses did they have for the algae Phinneus grew?                                    | Food, fuel, medicine, oil, paper, soap, and oxygen creation                           | 25 |
| What did Phinneus grow in the farm for Leo?   | catnip  | 25 |
| What did Phinneus compare Leo to because he was fearless?                               | A lion  |    |
| What did Phinneus keep on the corner of his desk?                                       | A jar of cookies  | 26 |
| What word did Bell make up that meant great?  | socksky   | 27 |
| What did Phinneus say to Bell about the French and other countries being their enemies? | Just because everyone said something didn't mean it was true                          | 28 |
| What did Phinneus explain to Bell about taking care of a garden?                        | You had to make sure there were no weeds that could take over and kill the vegetables | 28 |
| What was Albie working on for Meem's birthday?  | A song  | 31 |
| What was Flossy's talent?   | sewing  | 31 |
| What was Trey's talent?   | Making things on the 3D modeler   | 31 |
| What was Vera's talent?   | Drawing kittens and butterflies   | 31 |
| Why did it take so long for Bell to start speaking as a child?                          | Trey spoke for him.   | 32 |
| What did Sai's workshop smell like where he used the 3D modeler?                        | Hot plastic, metal, and oil   | 32 |
| What had Sai Dexter done for work on Earth?   | He was in charge of logistics for McMurdo Station in Antarctica                       | 32 |
| What was the most important supply item on Mars?  | Duct tape   | 34 |
| What did Meems say that Sai was not good at?  | human-ing   | 34 |
| What subjects did Meems teach the kids about on Mars?                                   | First aid and medicine  | 34 |
| What subject did Phinneus teach the kids on Mars?                                       | Botany  | 34 |

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| What did Darby teach the kids on Mars to do, which he said was the most important life skill to have? | Unclog toilets  | 34 |
| Why was Meem's sore in the mornings?  | She had arthritis   | 34 |
| Why did Meems call Bell 'kitten'?   | He used to follow the cats around when he was a toddler           | 35 |
| What things from Earth did Meems have in her room?  | A bird feather, a pine cone, glass marbles, and digi-pics         | 35 |
| Where had Meems worked on Earth?  | Alaska  | 35 |
| What kind of problem on board the space ship caused Meems to cut her hair?                            | A lice infestation  | 35 |
| What kind of animal did Meems have at her 7th birthday party on Earth?                                | A pony to ride  | 36 |
| What was Meem's favorite kind of cake?  | Carrot cake   | 36 |
| What did Bell ask Phinneus to help him grow in the garden?  | Carrots so he could make a carrot cake for Meem's birthday party. | 36 |
| How long did it take to grow carrots hydroponically?  | About two months  | 36 |
| What was the name of the American crew member that had died near the French settlement?               | Lissa   | 38 |
| Where was Lissa's body buried?  | In the cemetery with the cats                                     | 38 |
| What was it impossible to do on Mars?   | Keep a secret.  | 39 |
| What was the smallest of the two rovers called?   | The Enterprise  | 41 |
| What was the bigger of the two rovers called?   | The Yellow Submarine  | 41 |

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| Whose idea was it to take a rover and go check out the crashed meteorite near the French settlement?             | Vera's   | 41      |
| What colors are the flag of Finland?   | Blue and white   | 43      |
| Which was the closest settlement to the American settlement?   | Finland  | 43      |
| What did Eliana call the yellowish brown color of the Martian sky?   | butterscotch   | 43      |
| What colors are the French flag?   | Red, white, and blue.  | 44      |
| What happened to Bell when they tried to escape from the French settlers in the rover?                           | He broke his clavicle (shoulder-bone) when the rover flipped over                                  | 47 & 56 |
| What did Vera do at the settlement before the kids left in the rover so the adults wouldn't know they were gone? | She reset all the light timers and digi-clocks by two hours.                                       | 50      |
| How did the adults know the kids had taken the Enterprise rover?   | There was a tracking device in the rovers that were installed after Lissa died in a rover accident | 56      |
| What was the only thing Bell had known about Lissa?  | She was a nanny.   | 56      |
| What was Bell's least favorite part of the settlement?   | The medical bay  | 56      |
| What is the word for the injury caused by a hard hit on the head?  | A concussion   | 57      |
| What joint project had all the countries settled on Mars collaborated on?  | A railway  | 58      |
| What is the phrase used for regulations and rules that hinder progress?  | Red tape   | 59      |
| What were countries on Earth fighting over in Antarctica?  | Mineral deposits   | 59      |

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| Who had Lissa been with when she died in the rover accident?                              | A French settler and a Russian settler               | 59 |
| What made Bell feel sad when he was recovering from a broken clavicle in the medical bay? | Trey never visited him.                              | 64 |
| What book did Phinneus give to Bell to look at while he recovered?                        | Animals of the World                                 | 64 |
| What did Phinneus call the dry, itchy skin on his arms?                                   | Alligator skin                                       | 64 |
| What did Phinneus and his family and friends call dusk when he lived in New California?   | Bunny Hour   | 66 |
| What did Phinneus miss mostly about Earth?  | Chinese food   | 66 |
| Why didn't Phinneus miss his old home?  | His wife, Rose, had died.                            | 66 |
| What were Bell's favorite animals in the book?  | lions  | 67 |
| Which lions did not survive long, according to the book Bell read?                        | Lions that were rejected by their pride.             | 68 |
| What kind of animal did Sai remind Bell of?   | A lion   | 68 |
| What kind of animals did Darby and Eliana remind Bell of?                                 | Wolves, which mate for life                          | 68 |
| What kind of animal did Meems remind Bell of?   | A mother cat   | 68 |
| What kind of animal did Vera remind Bell of?  | A sneaky fox   | 68 |
| What kind of animal did Trey remind Bell of?  | A loyal dog  | 68 |
| What kind of animal did Salty Bill remind Bell of?  | A cranky ostrich                                     | 68 |
| What kind of animal did Phinneus remind Bell of?  | A bee  | 68 |
| What did the air scrubbers do that was necessary for survival on Mars?                    | Removed the carbon dioxide they created by breathing | 69 |

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| What kind of animal did Albie remind Bell of?  | An elephant  | 69 |
| What was hanging over Bell's bed?  | A map that he and Trey had made together   | 70 |
| What didn't Bell and Trey ever add to their map that they had planned to?                  | A tree house   | 70 |
| What punishment did Trey and the other kids get for taking the rover?                      | Extra chores   | 70 |
| Where did the first emergency alarm originate from?  | The mess hall  | 72 |
| Why was there an emergency alarm in the mess hall?   | Sai was doing a drill after the kids took the rover and crashed.                       | 72 |
| What did dust duty involve?  | Collecting and emptying the dust in the air vents that had passed through the filters. | 72 |
| What had Darby done on Earth?  | General contractor   | 72 |
| What did Phinneus give to Bell that had belonged to his wife?                              | A wooden recipe card box.  | 76 |
| What kind of writing did Phinneus's wife use to write the recipe title, Yummy Carrot Cake? | cursive  | 77 |
| What was the greatest regret Phinneus and his wife had?                                    | Not having kids  | 77 |
| How did Phinneus feel about Bell?  | Bell was the best thing to happen to Phinneus, other than his wife, Rose.              | 77 |
| What were the five founding countries that built the train and railway?                    | United States, France, Finland, Russia, and China                                      | 78 |
| What was the name of the United State's train?   | Percy  | 78 |
| What kinds of minerals were mined on Mars?   | Opals, gold, iridium, palladium, and other minerals                                    | 78 |
| What did Bell see in the train tunnel that he thought was an alien?                        | Glowing green eyes   | 79 |



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| In what room were Sai, Albie, and Eliana trapped?   | The generator room   | 81 |
| What almost killed Sai, Albie, and Eliana in the generator room?                                  | Too high carbon dioxide levels when the air scrubber failed and they were trapped in the generator room. | 81 |
| What did MREs stand for?  | Meals ready to eat   | 85 |
| What did they use to make toilet paper and kitty litter?  | algae  | 85 |
| How had Salty Bill modeled his kitchen?   | Like the one on a submarine he had worked on.  | 87 |
| How had Salty Bill gotten his nickname?   | He was furious the one year the Earth Command forgot to send salt on the supply ship.                    | 87 |
| What did the smell of the algae blocks remind Meems of?   | Swimming in a lake when she was a child  | 87 |
| What did the French settlers give to Salty Bill when he asked to borrow some yeast to make bread? | They gave him some yeast and a basket of baguettes   | 89 |
| What is a baguette?   | A long loaf of bread   | 89 |
| What did Lissa love to eat?   | waffles  | 90 |
| What was the name of the robot dog?   | Pup  | 91 |
| Why did Meems hang curtains on walls with no windows?   | To make it seem more like Earth  | 92 |
| What did Vera want to be wearing when she fell in love?   | Either a poodle skirt from the 50's or a pantsuit.   | 94 |
| What was the name of the supply ship that landed on Mars?   | Galatea Two  | 95 |
| What did one of Darby's uncles always send him on the supply ship?                                | A pair of woolen socks   | 95 |
| What item in the supply box on board Galatea Two did Flossy claim?                                | Red leg warmers  | 98 |
| What item in the supply box on board Galatea Two did Vera claim?                                  | A black knit beanie  | 98 |

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| What item in the supply box on board Galatea Two did Trey claim?   | A digi-player of games   | 98  |
| What item in the supply box on board Galatea Two did Albie claim?  | Pop songs  | 98  |
| What item in the supply box on board Galatea Two did Bell claim?   | A quilt made by Mrs. Taylor's 6th grade class at Lincoln Elementary School in New California, United States                      | 98  |
| What did they always do after the supply ship came every two years?  | They had a Supply Feast  | 99  |
| Why was it so complicated to travel from Earth to Mars, so they could only send supplies once every two years? | The planets orbit the sun at different speeds  | 99  |
| What happened every 26 Earth months that made it possible to travel to Mars?                                   | A close approach occurred, which meant that Mars was closest to Earth and the trip was shortest.                                 | 99  |
| What was Bell's favorite food that came in the supply ship?  | Mandarin oranges   | 99  |
| What was missing from the supply ship that disappointed Vera and Flossy?                                       | Eye liner, mascara, and blue eye shadow  | 99  |
| Why couldn't they get another cat on Mars?   | They needed a human to transport one, and the Nanny Program had been suspended because of the fighting among countries on Earth. | 100 |
| What was the goal of the Nanny Program?  | To encourage young people to settle on Mars.   | 100 |
| What did each nanny have to bring with them to Mars and be responsible for on the journey for?                 | An orphaned baby   | 100 |
| Who did Lissa bring with her to Mars when she was a nanny?   | Flossy   | 100 |
| What was Bell's favorite dessert?  | Chocolate cake   | 101 |

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| What are the Charleston, the moonwalk, and the Macarena?                      | dances  | 101 |
| What kind of dance did Eliana and Darby dance?                                | The waltz   | 102 |
| What was the name of Bell's nanny?  | Alexandra, a Russian  | 103 |
| What did everyone call Bell's nanny, Alexandra?                               | Sasha   | 103 |
| What kind of work did Bell's nanny, Alexandra (Sasha) do?                     | biologist   | 103 |
| What did the nannies wear in their group photo?                               | T-shirts that read, 'I brought a baby to Mars and all I got was this lousy t-shirt' | 103 |
| What were the names of the nannies in the group photo?                        | Alexandra (Sasha), Helmi, Madeleine, Zhang, and Lissa                               | 103 |
| What kind of spice was missing from the supply ship delivery?                 | rosemary  | 106 |
| What tool was missing from the supply ship delivery?                          | A socket wrench   | 106 |
| What did Meems make all the kids do after the supply ship came?               | Write thank-you transmissions   | 107 |
| Why was the signature part of the thank-you transmissions confusing for Bell? | On Earth, people had two names, but on Mars they only had one.                      | 107 |
| What was Sai's full first name?   | Sairam  | 108 |
| Which was Bell's favorite teacher on Mars?                                    | Eliana  | 108 |
| What was Eliana teaching the kids that Sai didn't approve of?                 | French  | 108 |
| What does 'bonjour' mean in French?   | hello   | 108 |
| What does 'je voudrais de l'eau' mean in French?                              | I would like some water.  | 108 |
| What does Ou sont les toilettes mean in French?                               | Where are the toilets   | 108 |
| Why did Salty Bill push the alarm?  | There were mice in the supply closet  | 111 |
| What did Trey want to name the mouse?   | John Glenn  | 112 |

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| What did Flossy pick as the mouse's first name?  | Muffin  | 112 |
| What did they name their mouse?  | Muffin of Mars  | 113 |
| Where did they put the mouse's habitat?  | In the algae farm to get it away from the cat.  | 114 |
| Why was Phinneus sad for Muffin of Mars?   | He didn't believe that living in a cage was a good life.  | 114 |
| What did Bell find in Sai's personal box?  | A 1st place award for the best Halloween costume  | 117 |
| What was Salty Bill's trick for making great carrot cake?                              | Toasted pecans in the batter  | 118 |
| Who was the best cook of all the kids in the settlement?                               | Albie   | 119 |
| What was Phinneus's full name and title?   | Mission Specialist Phinneus Peck  | 121 |
| At what time did Mission Specialist Phinneus Peck die?                                 | 22:44 hours   | 121 |
| What did Meems say Phinneus died of?   | A heart attack  | 122 |
| What did Phinneus name the booger in the petri dish?                                   | T. vera   | 124 |
| What was Bell's favorite memory of Phinneus?   | When Phinneus taught him to plant seeds   | 124 |
| Why were dust storms so serious?   | They blocked out the sunlight, which knocked out the solar power, so they had to use batteries. | 129 |
| How long did dust storms usually last?   | A few days  | 129 |
| What did they call the dust storm that lasted many weeks and covered the whole planet? | A Big One   | 129 |
| What were wind and water storms on Earth?  | hurricanes  | 130 |
| Where did Meem's grandfather have a house that was almost destroyed by a hurricane?    | The Florida Keyes   | 130 |

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| Where was the best lobster Salty Bill ever ate?  | Maine   | 132 |
| Where did Meems have the best meal of her life?  | The town of Provence in Southern France.          | 132 |
| What did Meems remember about the town of Provence in Southern France?                           | The lavender fields and the smell of the lavender | 132 |
| Why was Vera happy she lived on Mars?  | She never wanted to eat an animal.                | 132 |
| What was the best meal Meems had ever had in the town of Provence in Southern France?            | Roast chicken, green beans, and grilled potatoes  | 132 |
| What was the first sign that there was an epidemic in the settlement?                            | Eliana started coughing, and then Meems           | 135 |
| What did Trey find near the base where the supply ship docked?                                   | A crack caused by the ship docking                | 137 |
| Which of the kids took charge after all the adults got sick because she was great at organizing? | Flossy  | 140 |
| How did the mice get into the settlement?  | They were stowaways on the supply ship            | 142 |
| Why did only the adults get sick from the mice?  | They didn't have any resistance to the disease.   | 142 |
| Who did Sai call out for when he was sick and delirious?   | Larry   | 143 |
| What was Sai's log-in password that was taped under the digi-slate?                              | My-Larry  | 147 |
| How did Sai end almost every message he sent to Earth Command?                                   | Please advise.                                    | 148 |
| What was the disease the adults on Mars contracted from the mouse?                               | Yermo virus                                       | 149 |

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| Why did all the rodents have to be exterminated?  | They were disease vectors and transmitted the Yermo virus.                       | 149 |
| How long would it take for the Yermo virus treatment to arrive on Mars?   | 8 months   | 149 |
| What was the name of the commander of Mars Space Command who advised what to do about the virus?                      | Evelyn Morris  | 149 |
| What did the kids decide was the kindest way to exterminate Muffin?   | Put her on the surface of Mars in her habitat.                                   | 150 |
| How did Trey and Bell get to the other settlements to get help when the Yellow Submarine rover's battery was drained? | They took the train.   | 152 |
| What did Trey and Bell see when they entered the Finnish settlement from the train?                                   | It appeared to be recently abandoned.  | 155 |
| What did Bell smell inside the Finnish settlement?  | Chocolate cake   | 158 |
| What did Trey and Bell see inside the Finnish settlement that they had never seen before?                             | eggs   | 158 |
| How did Trey and Bell know that kids lived in the Finnish settlement?   | They saw toys  | 158 |
| Why did Trey and Bell get stuck on the railway tracks on the powerless train?   | Eliana had taken the solar batteries off the train to use during the dust storm. | 160 |
| Why did Trey think he and Bell drew their Mars settlement map above ground?   | They wanted to be able to see things.  | 164 |
| What did Trey start in the stuck, powerless train to distract and calm Bell and himself?                              | The three word story game  | 164 |

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| Why did Trey switch rooms in the settlement?  | He wanted to be Sai's apprentice and he thought if he changed rooms, he would seem older.              | 168 |
| What did Phinneus show to Bell in his dream while he was stuck on the train?          | A sunflower he grew in his garden in New California.   | 169 |
| What did Bell realize when Phinneus told him the wind was picking up in his dream?    | There was a panel on the bottom of the train that opened up onto the track that he could crawl out of. | 170 |
| Why did Bell have to crawl through the hatch onto the rail and walk by himself?       | Trey was too big to fit.   | 172 |
| What did Bell do while he walked on the railroad track to distract himself?           | He recited names of all the animals he could remember from his book.                                   | 172 |
| What did Bell realize was the scariest thing of all?                                  | Being alone.   | 174 |
| What did Bell discover was the thing he thought was an alien with glowing green eyes? | Leo, the cat.  | 176 |
| What settlement did Bell walk on the track alone to?                                  | The French settlement  | 178 |
| What did Bell notice in the French settlement?  | Lights, warm air, and music  | 179 |
| What did Bell notice about the woman with gray hair in the French settlement?         | The scar on her forehead   | 179 |
| What was the name of the first person Bell meet in the French settlement?             | Commander Sylvie Laurent   | 180 |
| Why did Bell stare at Amelie when he met her?   | He had never met a person with red hair before.  | 181 |
| What did the people in the French settlement tell Bell about Leo, the cat?            | Leo had been visiting them for several months and they fed him.  | 182 |
| What was the name of the Chinese boy that Bell met?                                   | Wei  | 182 |
| What doe bisou bisou mean?  | Kiss kiss  | 183 |

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| Which settlement had eggs?   | The Chinese settlement   | 182 |
| Whose wedding was being held in the French settlement?   | Brigitte from the French settlement and Oskar from the Finnish settlement. | 183 |
| Why was the Finnish settlement deserted when Trey and Bell went in?                            | They were all at the French settlement for the wedding.                    | 183 |
| What game did Amelie teach to Bell   | Ping pong  | 183 |
| What musical instrument did Amelie play?   | violin   | 184 |
| What was the name of the blond boy from the Finnish settlement that loved cats?                | Taavi  | 184 |
| Which settlement did Taavi say had the best chocolate candies on Mars?                         | The Russian settlement   | 185 |
| Which one of the kids was suspicious about the people from the other settlements?              | Vera   | 187 |
| What was the name of the baby in the French settlement?  | Theo   | 188 |
| Why did all the people in all the settlements speak English?                                   | English was the common language for space.                                 | 188 |
| What was the name of the French man who said he had seen Bell in the rover?                    | Armand   | 189 |
| What did Armand and the other man wave at the kids in the rover that they mistook for weapons? | Golf clubs   | 189 |
| Why couldn't Armand report to Sai that he saw the kids in the rover?                           | His communication was blocked and he couldn't get a message through.       | 189 |
| What was Sai wearing in the photo with him with others in the French settlement?               | A pirate   | 191 |
| Who one for best costume at the Halloween party in the French settlement?                      | Commander Sai and Commander Laurent as a pair of pirates                   | 191 |



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| What is a thin French pancake called?  | A crepe  | 192 |
| Why did Bell think crepes with chocolate sauce were the best meal ever invented?                       | They were breakfast and dessert rolled into one.                                     | 192 |
| What did Trey and a boy he made friend with in the French settlement ride on?                          | A skateboard   | 192 |
| What happened to Albie in the French Settlement?   | He got a crush on a French girl named Layla and couldn't speak when he was near her. | 192 |
| What are cookies called that are like tiny cakes?  | madeleines   | 193 |
| What finally got Vera to put down her guard and stop being suspicious of the other Mars settlers?      | Her former nanny, Gaspard, sang a French song to her that he used to sing to her.    | 194 |
| What did the French settlers grow in their algae farm in addition to algae?                            | Fruits, vegetables, and flowers  | 194 |
| What was the name of the person in the French settlement in charge of the algae farm?                  | Jules  | 194 |
| What kind of tree was Jules growing in the algae farm in the French settlement?                        | A lemon tree   | 194 |
| What did Commander Laurent tell Bell was good for sleep?   | The scent of lavender  | 195 |
| Why did Commander Laurent say they grew flowers?   | Because they're beautiful and gave people joy.                                       | 196 |
| How did Commander Laurent know Phinneus?   | They worked together figuring out how to grow algae on Mars                          | 196 |
| What kind of dance did they do that involved swinging their arms and moving their legs back and forth? | The Charleston   | 197 |

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| What kind of dance makes it look like the dancer is moving forward when they are gliding backward?             | The moonwalk   | 197 |
| What kind of dance involves posing with your hands in strange positions?                                       | vogue  | 197 |
| How did the digi-cam outside of the U.S. settlement?   | Remy and a couple others drove their rover to the U.S. settlement and accidentally hit the pole.   | 198 |
| Why did Remy and some other kids drive to the U.S. settlement?   | They were curious  | 198 |
| What kind of dancing involves spinning on the floor?   | Break dancing  | 198 |
| What did Wei give to Bell to take back to the U.S. settlement?   | A bag of eggs  | 200 |
| What did Taavi give Bell when he left the French settlement?   | A small plastic cat  | 200 |
| What did Amelie give to Bell when he left the French settlement?   | A ping pong paddle   | 201 |
| What did Commander Laurent give to Bell to take back to Commander Sai?   | A bouquet of daisies   | 201 |
| What was Layla wearing when the American kids returned to the U.S. settlement?                                 | Albie's ball cap   | 201 |
| What did Vera ask the adults when they got back from the French settlement?                                    | Why they had all lied to them about the other countries being dangerous.   | 203 |
| What had the rescue team from the other countries done in the U.S. settlement when the adults there were sick? | They nursed the adults back to health, repaired things in the settlement, planted new vegetables and fruits in the algae farm, and added supplies to Sai's workshop. | 204 |
| Who moved into Phinneus's old room?  | Albie  | 207 |

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| Why did Bell get sick of sharing a room with Albie?   | Albie was lovesick for Layla and kept playing the same three sad love songs over and over. | 207 |
| What was Vera's favorite French slang?  | C'est top! - that's great  | 211 |
| After they sent thank you notes on the train, what started happening?                                   | The settlers started corresponding back and forth.   | 211 |
| What did Taavi send on the train for Bell?  | Drawings of cats   | 213 |
| What did Wei send to Bell on the train?   | jokes  | 213 |
| What did Amelie send to Bell on the train?  | A comic she made up called the Daily Baby  | 213 |
| How did the U.S. settlers get a net for their ping pong table?  | Memes knit a net with purple yarn  | 215 |
| What did Flossy tell Bell about flowers that made him wonder about Commander Sai and Commander Laurent? | That they were romantic, for people who were in love                                       | 216 |
| What did Flossy encourage Albie to do for Layla?  | Make some chocolate fudge for her.   | 216 |
| What was the first present Darby ever gave to Eliana?   | A pair of boots  | 217 |
| Why did Evelyn Morris say they were not allowed to have contact with the other settlements?             | Because their countries were fighting each other on Earth.                                 | 218 |
| What did Vera want most for her sixteenth birthday?   | Her friends  | 218 |
| What did Bell find in the back of Phinneus's sock drawer?   | A notebook - Phinneus's journal  | 224 |
| What did the abbreviation, AIW, mean?   | All is well  | 226 |
| Who was Petyr?  | A Russian geologist  | 228 |

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| Why did Sai suddenly decide to follow Earth Command's orders to stop trading, socializing, and working with the other country's settlements? | He thought Commander Laurent and Petyr left Lissa in the rover to die.                       | 228 |
| Who found Lissa dead in the rover?   | Eliana and Sai   | 229 |
| Why did Sai refuse to listen to reason after Lissa died?   | She was his best friend, Will's, daughter and Sai had promised to take care of her on Mars.  | 229 |
| What were the weeds that had grown wild in the U.S. settlement?  | Bad feelings from what happened a long time ago to Lissa                                     | 229 |
| How had Leo gotten to the French settlement?   | Through a hole in the air duct that connected to the train tunnel.                           | 232 |
| What did Bell find taped to the outside of the door when he was cleaning the dust vents?   | A note from Amelie that said they needed to come the next day because they needed help.      | 232 |
| What did Sai think when Bell showed him the note he found?   | He thought Bell wrote it himself to trick him into letting them visit the French settlement. | 232 |
| What did Bell tell Sai about them being like lions?  | They needed the people in the other settlements to survive.                                  | 237 |
| What finally forced Sai to allow them to go back to the French settlement?   | Salty Bill refused to cook another meal until they went and checked on the French settlers.  | 237 |
| What did they see in the French settlement when the lights suddenly turned on?   | A big banner that said Happy Birthday Vera and a birthday cake                               | 238 |
| What did Flossy and Vera start doing regularly with the kids in the French settlement in the afternoons?                                     | Learned French   | 241 |
| Why did Albie travel on a rotating basis to different settlements?   | He wanted to learn different styles of cooking.  | 241 |
| What did Trey start doing in the Russian settlement?   | Working as someone's apprentice.   | 241 |

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| What language did Bell start learning?   | Finnish  | 241 |
| What did Bell ask Meems permission to do with kids from the other settlements?                             | Have a sleepover at the U.S. settlement  | 244 |
| Who did Commander Laurent bring with her to the U.S. settlement?   | Petyr  | 245 |
| Why did Petyr and Commander Laurent leave Lissa alone in the rover?  | Commander Laurent was unconscious and bleeding heavily, so Petyr had to get her help quickly, and Lissa said she could wait because Petyr could only carry one person. | 246 |
| Why didn't Petyr return to the rover for Lissa?  | He ran out of oxygen and fainted outside of the French settlement.   | 246 |
| Why did Meems think Lissa died when she just had a broken leg?   | From a blood clot caused by the broken leg   | 246 |
| What was Sai's nickname for Commander Laurent?   | Larry  | 248 |
| What did everyone do before driving to the French Settlement for the first ever Mars Ping-Pong Tournament? | They put visited Phinneus's and Lissa's graves in the cemetery and Commander Laurent and Petyr put flowers on them..   | 249 |