**A Child Called It- Chapter 1 Questions**

**1. Why does Dave want to finish washing the dishes as quickly as possible in Chapter 1, The Rescue?**

**2. Why does Dave's mother push his face into the counter in Chapter 1, The Rescue?**

**3. What is Dave's mother's favorite weapon against him?**

**4. Why does Dave not mind running to school in the morning?**

**5. What are the contents of the lunch Dave's mother has been making him every day for three years?**

**6. What does Dave's mother tell him in Chapter 1, The Rescue to say happened to his face?**

**7. How does Dave's mother look on a typical day?**

**8. Who checks for new injuries on Dave every morning before school starts?**

**9. What does Dave say happened to his face when he is questioned about the bruises in Chapter 1, The Rescue?**

**10. What piece of clothing has Dave's mother made him wear to school every day for the past two years?**

**11. What do all the students in Dave's class do when he returns to the classroom in Chapter 1, The Rescue?**

**12. When Dave is called back to the office from his classroom in Chapter 1who is there to see him?**

**13. For what reason does Dave think he has been called into the principal's office in Chapter 1, The Rescue?**

**14. Who does Dave show the scar on his chest to while he is in the principal's office?**

**15. What does Dave make sure that everyone knows about the scar on his chest?**

**16. How does Dave feel about telling the story of his injuries in Chapter 1, The Rescue?**

**17. What does the principal give to Dave after the meeting in his office?**

**18. Where is Dave taken after the meeting in Mr. Hansen's office?**

**19. Why is Dave afraid to give his mother's phone number to the authorities?**

**20. When Dave's mother receives the phone call from the authorities in Chapter 1what is she told?**

**21. What is Dave told after the phone call to his mother in Chapter 1, The Rescue?**