2023 Battle of the Books Practice Battle

1. In *City Spies*, what is the name of the global crime syndicate that Mother was trying to infiltrate led by “the Ghost”?
   a. Umbra, p. 52

2. In *Amari and the Night Brothers*, what is the username of the mystery person who messages Amari once she creates an Othernet account?
   a. Magiciangirl18, 9. 125

3. In which book is the main character’s father an inventor?
   a. *Holes* by Louis Sachar

4. In *Maizy Chen’s Last Chance*, what is Maizy’s mother’s job?
   a. Food stylist, p. 1

5. In *Twins*, if Amber helps Maureen with her campaign, what subject does she get extra credit in?
   a. Social studies, p. 100

6. In which book does the main character go to an exclusive summer camp?
   a. *Amari and the Night Brothers* by B.B Alston

7. In *Holes*, what is the name of the old Egyptian woman that Elya used to visit?
   a. Madame Zeroni, p. 29

8. In *Maizy Chen’s Last Chance*, what is the name of Maizy’s grandparent’s Chinese restaurant?
   a. The Golden Palace, p. 2

9. In *Holes*, what state is Camp Green Lake located in?
   a. Texas, p. 3

10. In *Twins*, what does Curtis do for a living?
    a. First-grade teacher, p. 41

11. In *City Spies*, what does FARM stand for?
    a. The Foundation for Atmospheric Research and Monitoring, p. 92
12. In *Amari and the Night Brothers*, what are the blue liquid eye drops called that allow Amari to see magic?
   a. True Sight, p. 48

13. In *Maizy Chen’s Last Chance*, what country did Werner and his family immigrate from?
   a. Germany, p. 53

14. In *City Spies*, what is Sara’s spy name?
   a. Brooklyn, p. 117

15. In *Amari and the Night Brothers*, what supernatural creature is Elsie?
   a. Weredragon, p. 67

16. In *Holes*, what color is the jumpsuit Stanley is made to wear?
   a. Orange, p. 13

17. In *City Spies*, what was the first official name of the City Spies?
   a. Project Neverland, p. 357

18. In *Twins*, what are the names of the twins’ three friends at the beginning of the new school year?
   a. Nikki, Tasha, and Monique, p. 13

19. In *Amari and the Night Brothers*, what is the name given to Maria Van Helsing and Quinton Peters?
   a. VanQuish, p. 68

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21. In which book does the character and her family live in Los Angeles?
   a. *Maizy Chen’s Last Chance* by Lisa Yee

22. In *Twins*, what is the name of the school that the twins are attending?
   a. O’Connor Middle School, p. 1

23. In which book is there an election taking place?
   a. *Twins* by Varian Johnson and Shannon Wright
24. In *Holes*, what is the Warden’s secret ingredient in her nail polish?
   a. Rattlesnake venom, p. 90

25. In *Maizy Chen’s Last Chance*, what does Maizy’s mother call Lady Beth?
   a. Lady Macbeth, p. 22