

- _____ 12. When the Moose is on the field and the crowd chants, "Give the Moose the ball," what problem does the Moose face?
- F He doesn't know whether to grin or to seem as upset by the chanting as the coach is.
- G He doesn't know whether to join in the chant or run home.
- H He doesn't know whether to continue playing on the team or not.
- J He doesn't know whether to talk to the coach or to keep quiet.
- _____ 13. What happens at the story's resolution?
- A The Moose is congratulated by the coach and given an award.
- B The Moose scores and decides that he no longer wants his old position.
- C The Moose must receive first aid for his injuries.
- D The Moose scores but realizes he doesn't want to carry the ball again.
- _____ 14. Since the setting of this story doesn't change much, the Moose's problem is —
- F difficult to understand
- G made worse by other problems that enter into Moose's life
- H sometimes forgotten about by the reader
- J continually presented to the reader

VOCABULARY DEVELOPMENT (20 points; 4 points each)

Match the definition on the left with the Vocabulary word on the right. Write the letter of the Vocabulary word on the line provided.

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| _____ 15. think deeply about | a. devastating |
| _____ 16. causing great damage or destruction | b. tolerant |
| _____ 17. promoting the growth of | c. anonymous |
| _____ 18. patient; showing acceptance of others | d. ponder |
| _____ 19. nameless; done by an unidentified person | e. nurturing |

CONSTRUCTED RESPONSE (20 points)

20. It's the Moose's senior year in high school, and he has one major hang-up. Explain what the hang-up is and how it becomes a problem for the Moose. Then, explain how the Moose's problem is resolved by the end of the story. On a separate piece of paper, write a paragraph that explains your answer. Support your ideas with details from the story.