

**e-future PYP Readers**

**LEVEL 6-11**

# Not in Never



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**A Write the correct word for each definition.**

goddess baggy puzzlement stern bow steer



1. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a female god.
2. The \_\_\_\_\_ of a boat or a ship is the front part.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ clothes are very loose.
4. To \_\_\_\_\_ is to control the direction of something such as a boat, car, etc.
5. The \_\_\_\_\_ of a boat or a ship is the back part.
6. She frowned in \_\_\_\_\_ .

**B Match the words to the correct definitions.**

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|--------------|---|---|--|
| 1. accent    | • | • | a. to create and write (a piece of music or writing)                 |
| 2. interpret | • | • | b. to carry a small boat from one place to another                   |
| 3. panic     | • | • | c. to understand something in a certain way                          |
| 4. portage   | • | • | d. to feel extreme fear to that you cannot act normally              |
| 5. compose   | • | • | e. something that brings praise or fame; a source of great pride     |
| 6. glory     | • | • | f. how words are pronounced by people of a certain region or country |

**C Write the correct word to complete the sentence.**

in      out      down      onto      of      with

1. Lesson three: If your canoe tips, **hold** \_\_\_\_\_ your paddle.
2. As long as you don't let your mistakes **keep** you \_\_\_\_\_, you can keep learning.
3. Interpreting the quotations was a **way** \_\_\_\_\_ focusing their thoughts.
4. Jin Kyeong said she had **trouble** \_\_\_\_\_ double negatives in English.
5. The person \_\_\_\_\_ **the bow** has a better view of what's ahead.
6. "Can anyone **help** David \_\_\_\_\_?" asked Alex.

**D Write your own sentences using verbs from the box.**

**Inseparable Phrasal Verbs: No Object**

Some phrasal verbs are inseparable. This means that you cannot separate the two words. Some of these verbs do not have direct objects.

- In other words, our glory is **getting up** every time we **fall down**.
- Look at those two big boulders **sticking out**.

**Other inseparable phrasal verbs (no object):** *bounce back, come over, get along, get around, lie down, run away, show up, sit down*

1.  
→ \_\_\_\_\_ .
2.  
→ \_\_\_\_\_ .
3.  
→ \_\_\_\_\_ .

**A Circle T for true or F for false.** (pp. 2-6)

1. David was excited about canoeing through the rapids. T / F
2. Katie did not like Alex very much. T / F
3. Alex wore baggy clothes. T / F
4. The students discussed a different quotation every night. T / F
5. Jin Kyeong stated her quotation incorrectly. T / F
6. David stated the quotation more clearly. T / F

**B Circle the right answer and write it in the blank.** (pp. 7-9)

1. The quotation means that you shouldn't let \_\_\_\_\_ stop you.  
your mistakes / other people
2. Lesson one when a canoe tips is to \_\_\_\_\_ your boat.  
stay with / swim away from
3. Each team shoots the rapids \_\_\_\_\_ .  
once / twice
4. Alex said they shouldn't worry if they lost their \_\_\_\_\_ .  
paddles / canoe
5. When Carl said he was nervous, the others were \_\_\_\_\_ .  
surprised / amused

### C Match and complete the sentences.

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|--------------------|---|---|
| 1. Jin Kyeong      | • | • a. had the students list the rules for when a canoe tips. |
| 2. Rob             | • | • b. felt very confident yesterday.                         |
| 3. Carl            | • | • c. sailed a special ship through the Symplegades.         |
| 4. The Symplegades | • | • d. wanted to shoot the rapids despite being scared        |
| 5. Jason           | • | • e. volunteered to tell the others a quotation.            |
| 6. David           | • | • f. were giant rocks from Greek mythology.                 |

### D Complete the summary with the correct words.

rising    steer    music    paddle    sense    boulders    nervous

Rob announces that the students will be shooting the rapids in their canoes. David is 1. \_\_\_\_\_, so Alex asks for a quotation. Jin Kyeong tells the group a quote, but it doesn't quite make 2. \_\_\_\_\_. David corrects it: "Our greatest glory consists not in never falling, but in 3. \_\_\_\_\_ every time we fall." This means that you shouldn't let your mistakes keep you down. The group reviews what to do if their canoes tip over. Rob says each person will 4. \_\_\_\_\_ from the bow and from the stern. Katie points to two big 5. \_\_\_\_\_ that look like the Symplegades. They discuss how Jason's ship had an eye that could see where it was going. Wen says he wishes his canoe could see and 6. \_\_\_\_\_ itself, but David says that he would rather do it. Before, he was only interested in 7. \_\_\_\_\_, but Venture Quest has made him want to try new things.