Big Mouth & Ugly Girl Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Reading Check Quiz Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Block \_\_\_\_\_

Directions: Circle or highlight the BEST answer.

1. How did Ugly Girl feel about her family?

a. She felt unconditionally loved and appreciated.

b. She felt her family loved her little brother for his athletic ability more.

c. She felt her family loved her sister, the beautiful dancer, more.

d. She felt she was not loved because of her looks.

2. Which was NOT a rumor circulating through the school?

a. that there was a bomb in the school

b. that there was a student with a hand gun in the school

c. that there was a student with a machine gun in the school

d. that there was a student with a BB gun in the school

3. What was Ugly Girl’s justification (reason) for defending Big Mouth and not listening to the

rumors?

a. She was there when it happened and knew better.

b. She was angry at the jocks for always starting rumors.

c. She was not going to believe something without seeing it.

d. She knew the people involved and was willing to lie for them.

4, What was the actual accusation made against Big Mouth?

a. He threatened to kill the principal.

b. He threatened to blow up the school.

c. He threatened to kill a specific list of students.

d. He was going to kill his friends, his family, and then himself.

5. How did Big Mouth respond to the accusations at the police station?

a. He was defiant and refused to cooperate.

b. He asked for a lawyer and remained silent until he arrived.

c. He asked for his parents and cried.

d. He made jokes and sarcastic comments until he saw the seriousness and became scared.

6. How did Ugly Girl first get in touch with Big Mouth to tell him she would defend him?

a. passed him a note in homeroom

b. called him late at night

c. sent him an email

d. waited outside his house until he came out

7. Why don’t Ugly Girl’s parents want her to talk to the principal?

a. It will hurt her chances to get into a good college.

b. It will make her the target of the community.

c. It will make her in trouble with the police.

d. It will make the boy like her and want a relationship.

8. Does Mr. Parrish believe Ugly Girl’s account of the story?

a. No, he tells her she is misinformed.

b. No, he tells her the case has been proven.

c. Yes, especially since she has a second witness.

d. Yes, especially knowing who the accusers were.

9. How did Big Mouth’s friends react to the accusation?

a. They told the principal and police what really happened.

b. They said they couldn’t communicate with him.

c. They emailed him “Fingers Crossed for Justice.”

d. All of the above.

e. Both a and b.

10. What is the result of Ugly Girl’s visit to the principal?

a. Big Mouth is arrested for the crime.

b. Big Mouth’s suspension is decreased from 3 days to 1 day.

c. Big Mouth is told he may return next semester.

d. Big Mouth is recommended for an alternative school.

Bonus Questions: 1 point each ☺

1. Who is Pumpkin?

2. Who is Eveann McDowd?

3. Explain what Inky Black and Fiery Red are in this novel?