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**DIRECTIONS:** Answer these questions on a separate sheet of paper as you read the novel. Each question should be numbered, written out in full and answered in complete sentences. Remember, this counts as your Unit Test mark for this unit, so do a thorough job on it and hand it in for marking when you are done.

**CANNERY ROW - Questions to answer as you read the novel. (3 marks each)**

1. Where is Cannery Row? What is the major industry there?
2. Who is Lee Chong?
3. Who are Mack and the Boys?
4. What is the Palace Flophouse and Grill?
5. Why can't a person get a sandwich at the Bear Flag Restaurant?
6. Who is Dora? Why does she have to be twice as law abiding as anyone else in Monterey?
7. Who is Doc?

8. What is wrong with Hazel?
  
9. Who Henri and why doesn't he ever finish his boat?
  
10. Who is Eddie and what is the winning jug?
  
11. Who lives in the old boiler from the Hediondo Cannery?
  
12. What did Mrs. Malloy get so upset about?
  
13. What did Mack propose to Doc?
  
14. What do the boys want to borrow from Lee Chong?
  
15. Who is Frankie?
  
16. What did some of the men do to ensure that their town didn't let dishonour come to Josh Billings?
  
17. What is the hour of the pearl?

18. What method did Mack and the boys use to catch the frogs?
19. Who is Darling? How did Mack and the boys acquire her?
20. How do Dora and her girls act like humanitarians in the townspeople's time of need?
21. How come regular doctors won't see the people of Cannery Row?
22. Why does it take Doc longer to get places than most people?
23. What did Doc see floating in the water while he was collecting octopus near La Jolla?
24. How did Lee Chong end up with all the frogs?
25. When Eddie tried to bake a cake, what happened?
26. What confession did Mack make to Doc?
27. Why does chapter 23 open with the sentence, "A black gloom settled over the Palace Flophouse?"

28. Why does the Bear Flag have to close for two weeks?
29. What happens to Darling?
30. How does Darling relate to what finally lifted the “black gloom” from Cannery Row?
31. What kind of party did Mack and the boys decide to give Doc?
32. How did Mack trick Doc into telling him when his birthday is?
33. What was ironic about Joey’s father committing suicide?
34. What community effort made the fights and ill feelings among the girls at Dora’s disappear?
35. How did Doc find out about the party?
36. How did Frankie try to acquire his present for Doc?
37. What did Doc do to make Phyllis May weep openly and Dora dab her eyes?
38. Why did the gopher move to where they put out traps every night?

**CANNERY ROW - Questions to answer after reading the whole story. (3 marks)**

1. From what point of view is the story told?
  
2. What does the author tell you about the place where the story happens?
  
3. What does the setting tell you about the characters in the story?
  
4. How does the setting contribute to the atmosphere or mood of the story?
  
5. Who are the main characters of the story?
  
6. Which character do you identify with the most? Why?
  
7. Do any of the characters remind you of people you know? If so, explain why.
  
8. What type of conflict is present in this story?