

Refugee Boy Chapter 24	
RETRIEVE	Who is suspected of killing Alem's father? What help was Alem offered by the authorities to combat this huge tragedy?
VOCABULARY	What type of writing is used in this chapter?
INFER /EXPLAIN	The ending shows Zephaniah using shorter chapters; why do you think he did this?

Refugee Boy Chapter 25	
RETRIEVE	What is the outcome of the final hearing? What did the adjudicator call the death of Alem's father?
INFER	How do you think it made Alem feel?
EXPLAIN	The ending shows Zephaniah using shorter chapters; why do you think he did this?

Refugee Boy Chapter 26	
RETRIEVE	Where was the peace treaty signed? Use an atlas to label Algeria, Eritrea and Ethiopia on the map of Africa. (map available on the school's website)
VOCABULARY	Why, in the title of this chapter (<i>The End?</i>) has the author used a question mark?
INFER	Why do you think that the peace treaty wasn't signed in Eritrea or Ethiopia?
PREDICT/INFER	How has the news made Alem feel?

Refugee Boy Chapter 27

RETRIEVE	What names is Alem called? What is Alem's plan for the future?
VOCABULARY	What does the phrase <i>budding architect</i> mean? Use a dictionary to explain the words: <i>scrounger</i> and <i>bogus</i> .
EXPLAIN	The final chapter <i>Let Me Speak</i> is particularly sad but in a strange way hopeful. List some negative and some positive events of Alem's life.
INFER	Whom is Alem calling his family that he can now rely on? What impression does the writer give of the refugee process in the UK? The book finishes with the words: "This is not The End". How do you understand the ending? Why did the author use those words?
SUMMARISE	Have you learnt anything from reading the novel? Has your opinion of refugees changed at all? Explain in writing or talk to someone about it.
SUMMARISE	Look at the list of human rights attached or read through the PowerPoint. What rights do you believe all people should have? Explain in writing or talk to someone about it.
SUMMARISE	To summarise, write a book review of Refugee Boy.