**Comprehension Questions for Chapter 5-8 from *Heroes of Meadowfield***  
These questions can be printed out for use as a written activity, or used for Think-Pair-Share activities/Buddy Talk

Chapter 5: Beyond the Great Pasture  
  
1.  For their size, Dung Beetles are one of the strongest of all animals.  
     How would this strength help the beetle?

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2.  Compare the other bug-fellows' description of a fence with that of Book Louse.

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Chapter 6:  Giving Orders  
  
1.  Name two reasons why Gypsy Moth Caterpillar might think Silverfish is lying about knowing Scarab the Dung?

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2.  While Scout waits to speak with the Queen, she notices how active the hive has become.

What is the reason for this increased activity?

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Chapter 7:  Ra's Message  
  
1.  What do you think the white sticks holding up the heads of the Beak Beasts are supposed to be?

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2.  What do you think is the meaning of Ra's message?

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Chapter 8:  Scarab's Answer  
  
1.  According to Book Louse, who is Ra?

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2.  How did ancient Egyptians explain the cause of an eclipse? What did they believe it meant?

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3.  Why did the author associate Scarab the Dung's character so closely with ancient Egypt?

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