

Rain, Reign Ann Martin

1. What medical condition does Rose struggle with?
Aspergers
2. What are the things that Rose admits she obsesses over?
Rules, prime numbers, and homophones
3. Rose ranked her obsessions. List them in order starting with her most favorite.
 1. Words
 2. Rules
 3. Numbers
4. Why is Rose not permitted to ride the bus?
Rose distracted the bus driver by being alarmed when she saw the driver not following the rules. She nags the bus driver about the rules of the road. She is a “back seat” driver.
5. What was the name of the strongest storm?
Hurricane Susan
6. Why did Rose name her dog Rain?
She found him in the rain.
7. How is Uncle Weldon related to her?
It is her father’s brother.
8. What state does the story take place?
New York
9. How did Rain get out on the night of the storm?
On the evening of the storm, Rose’s father let the dog out without the orange collar.
10. What grade is Rose in?
5th
11. Rose found some objects that belonged to her mother. What were the objects?
Pictures of a black cat named Midnight, unique birds, and a box with the letter R on it.
12. What was the name of the animal shelter where Rose found Reign after the storm?
Happy Tails
13. Who went with Rose to see if the dog at Happy Tails Shelter was Rain?
Uncle Weldon went with Rose to the shelter.
14. Why did the shelter tell Rose that Rain’s name was actually Olivia?
That was the information on the dog’s microchip.
15. What does Rose do with Olivia?
Gives the dog back to the Hendersons.

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16. What happened to Rose's mother?
Rose's mother left when she was two. She has died.
17. Who was the most significant and reliable person in Rose's life?
Rose's Uncle Weldon was the most important person in her life.
18. Why didn't Mr. Howard locate Rain's owners when he first found the dog?
The dog had no collar and tags when he found him.
19. What surprising information did Uncle Weldon share with Rose about her mother?
Uncle Weldon told Rose that her mother had died.
20. What did Rose do to calm herself when she was feeling upset?
Rose listed prime numbers.
21. Why did Rose suggest that Mrs. Kushel call her father in the afternoon rather than in the evening?
Her father drinks too much alcohol in the evenings and gets mean.
22. How did Rose plan her search for Rain?
She made circles on a map with increasing distances from home and called shelters in the circles.
23. How did Rose locate Rain's original owners?
A writer for the local newspaper wrote an article about Rain.
24. What types of words fascinate Rose?
Rose loves homophones or homonyms. She would love a word like "knot" – "not".
25. How did Rose's father react when he found out that Rose was searching for Rain's original owners?
He was very angry because he had given Rain to Rose as a gift.
26. Who is Rose living with at the end of the book?
Rose is living with Uncle Weldon.
27. How did Rose's mother die?
She had an aneurysm in her heart.
28. What are some ways that Mrs. Leibler helps Rose?
 - Mrs. Leibler encourages Rose to take breaks in the hall when she is upset.
 - Mrs. Leibler helps Rose with conversation starters.
 - Mrs. Leibler organizes lunchroom buddies for Rose.
29. What are some ways to describe Rose?
 - Rose was very interested in homonyms and prime numbers.
 - Rose expected herself and others to follow all the rules.
 - Rose liked routines and knowing what to expect in every situation.
30. Why wasn't Rose's dad often home with her in the evenings?
Rose's dad spent every evening drinking at the Luck of the Irish.