



Sophie Washington: Mission: Costa Rica

Discussion Questions

1. What do Sophie and her family see on the golf course?
2. Is Sophie excited about the trip to Costa Rica? How does she describe her lodgings?
3. Who visits the girl's hut their first night in Costa Rica?
4. Cole is fascinated when he sees a craftsman at work. What is the craftsman making?
5. One of the children's jobs is to haul water in the village. What do they do while they are working? How does Sophie's mother react and why?
6. What does the monkey take from the girls' room?
7. Sophie enjoys learning about Costa Rican life from Agnese, a girl near her age. She suggests that they write to each other after she returns home. Have you ever had a pen pal?
8. Sophie and her friends hear a tapping sound on their door. What do they do next?
9. Who suggests going on the river tour? What happens on the trip?
10. How does Sophie feel at the end of the mission trip? How do you think she'll describe her spring break to friends when she goes home?