Long Ago and Today

Before Reading	During Reading	After Reading
Q1: Let's look at the cover and read	Q1: What did people do long ago?	Q1: Let's look at the last page. What
the title. What's going on in the	A1: Long ago, farmers plowed the	is the girl doing?
picture?	fields. People traveled. They hunted	Al: Possible answer: I think the girl
A1: The girl is looking at clothes, toys,		is learning about long ago times by
and other things from long ago.	cooked meals. Children long ago	reading books.
Q2: What is the girl thinking about?	went to school.	Q2: Can you think of a way you are
A2: Possible answers: Maybe she is	Q2: What do people do today?	the same as a child long ago?
thinking about the people who used	A2: People today do the same things	A2: Answers will vary: I like to plant
those things. She is thinking about	but in different ways. For example:	a vegetable garden. I help to cook
playing dress-up. She is wondering	Farmers long ago used horses to plow	meals. I like to jump rope. I read
how life was different long ago.	the fields. Today, farmers use tractors. Long ago, people traveled with horse	books.
	and buggies. Today, people travel in	
	cars and vans.	

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