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Sadako and the Thousand Paper Cranes
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Chapter Two Comprehension Questions
(TEKS 7.8A, 7.Fig19F, 7.Fig19D, 7.2E)

What simile (comparison using the word *like* or *as*) is given to describe the friendship of Sadako and Chizuko, and what does the simile tell you about their friendship?

When entering the Peace Park, “people filed through the memorial building in silence.” Why did people enter in silence, and what other experiences have you seen that are similar? (*Try thinking of an experience from another book you have read, a movie you have seen, etc. that is similar.*)

Sadako says that people who had been burned by the atom bomb “no longer looked human.” Describe what you think this means using text evidence.

Sadako feels that the spider brought her good “luck”. Use a dictionary to determine the best definition of the word “luck” to match how Sadako feels, and then, using a thesaurus, find a synonym that could replace the word “luck” and keep the same meaning. Describe your definition of “luck” and your synonym.
