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Sadako and the Thousand Paper Cranes

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Chapter Four Comprehension Questions

(TEKS 7.8A, 7.Fig19D, 7.6B, 7.Fig19B)

In the chapter, the text states, "Of course she didn't have leukemia. *Why, the atom bomb hadn't even scratched her.*" This quote shows an example of personification (non-human things taking on human qualities/actions). What does the personification mean in the quote, and how does it help you understand the story?

Sadako experiences fear in this chapter. Although no one has directly told her she has the atom bomb disease, she has fear about what could happen. Make an inference, and use text evidence, to explain why Sadako is upset even when she is not exactly sure what is causing her to be in the hospital.

Explain Sadako's father's reaction to her being in the hospital and her being sick. What does his response tell you about what he is feeling or how he is trying to relate to Sadako?

When using an evaluative question, the question will ask for an opinion. (For example: *Should Sadako try to keep running even though she is in the hospital?*) Write an evaluative question in relation to the events from chapter four.

Evaluative Question:
