

Drums, Girls, & Dangerous Pie

1. What color is Steven's graduation gown?
 - a. Brown (p. 1)
2. What does F.F.F. stand for?
 - a. Form follows Function (p. 3)
3. What color is Steven's hair?
 - a. Mouse brown (p. 4)
4. What color is Jeffrey's hair?
 - a. Blonde (p. 4)
5. Who created Dangerous Pie?
 - a. Jeffrey (p. 5)
6. Who is Steven's all time drum hero?
 - a. Carter Beauford (p. 6)
7. How many matchbox cars are needed for Dangerous Pie?
 - a. 3 (p. 7)
8. How many drummers are in the jazz band?
 - a. 2 (p. 8)
9. What is the name of the jazz band Steven is in?
 - a. All-City High School Jazz Band (p. 8)
10. Who is the back-up piano player?
 - a. Annette Watson (p. 8)
11. What nickname does the band give Steven?
 - a. Peasant (p. 9)
12. What color underwear does Steven wear when he practices in front of the mirror?
 - a. Blue (p. 11)
13. What date does Steven say he will never forget?
 - a. October 7 (p. 13)
14. What does Steven call his parents?
 - a. 'Rents (p. 13)
15. What is Steven's father's job?
 - a. Accountant (p. 13)
16. Before Jeffrey was diagnosed with leukemia, how was he describing his pain?
 - a. His parts hurt (p. 14)

17. What breakfast food does Jeffrey ask Steven to make for him?
a. Oatmeal (p. 15)
18. How does Jeffrey pronounce his favorite breakfast?
a. Moatmeal (p. 15)
19. What is Steven's special name for Jeffrey?
a. Jeffy (p. 17)
20. Why did Jeffrey get a nosebleed?
a. He fell of the stool (p. 16)
21. What is Beppie?
a. A blanket (p. 20)
22. What radio station does Steven like to listen to?
a. WZZO (p. 22)
23. How does Steven try to freshen his breath?
a. Tic Tacs (p. 25)
24. What color tic tacs does Steven keep with him?
a. Orange (p. 25)
25. What does OP stand for?
a. Opportunity period (p. 29)
26. Who is Steven's band teacher?
a. Mr. Watras (p. 29)
27. What song does Mr. Watras want Steven to learn?
a. Cubana Be, Cubana Bop (p. 32-33)
28. What is Steven's band teacher's nickname for him?
a. Pez (p. 32)
29. What was Steven's first feeling when he heard his brother had leukemia?
a. Relief (p. 36)
30. What is Steven's grandfather's nickname for him?
a. Muscles (p. 37)
31. What kind of car does Steven's grandfather drive?
a. A Chevy Impala (p. 38)
32. What is Steven's last name?
a. Alper (p. 43)
33. What does Jeffrey think he looks like when he has black eyes?
a. A raccoon (p. 47)

34. What does Steven think Jeffrey looks like with black eyes?
a. A deranged anteater (p. 47)
35. How old is Steven?
a. 13 (p. 52)
36. Who is Steven's drum teacher?
a. Mr. Stoll (p. 54)
37. What did Steven do when Renee came in wearing her cheerleading uniform?
a. Drop his stick in the middle of a song (p. 62)
38. Where did the Alpers go on vacation when Jeffrey was three?
a. The Outer Banks (p. 65)
39. What book did Steven's parents rent from Cracker Barrel?
a. Charlotte's Web (p. 65)
40. What does Jeffrey call the stuff taken from his hip bone?
a. Bone Narrow (p. 68)
41. What souvenir did Jeffrey bring Steven back from the hospital?
a. Orange tic-tacs (p. 70)
42. What is Steven's favorite candy?
a. Tic Tacs (p. 70)
43. What is Jeffrey's clinical trial number?
a. 366 (p. 72)
44. Who is Jeffrey's pediatrician?
a. Dr. Purow (p. 72)
45. What is the name of Jeffrey's stuffed animal pet dog?
a. Dog-Dog (p. 75)
46. What does ALL stand for?
a. Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia (p. 75)
47. What is Jeffrey's risk?
a. Moderate (p. 76)
48. What was Annette playing in the band room?
a. Chopin (p. 84)
49. Why can't Steven play along with Take Five?
a. The beat is 5/4, not 4/4 (p. 85)
50. What class does Steven skip for the first time ever?
a. Math (p. 85)

51. What do Steven and Jeffrey call the people that come to visit and expect Jeff to be sad?
a. Frowny people (p. 87)
52. How do Steven and Jeffrey classify the people that come to visit them?
a. Frowny or Cheery (p. 88)
53. What game does Jeffrey wipe the pieces off the board?
a. Checkers (p. 89)
54. What does Steven think he looks like in all the shirts he owns before the dance?
a. A dorkmaster (p. 91)
55. What color are Steven's eyes?
a. Brown (p. 92)
56. What shirt does Steven put on for the dance?
a. Last year's middle school band concert shirt (p. 94)
57. What are the two D's of Steven's middle school nightmares?
a. Dances and Dodgeball (p. 95)
58. Why does Steven leave the dance early?
a. His brother has a fever (p. 98)
59. Who picks Steven up from the dance?
a. His mother (p. 98)
60. What is EMLA?
a. A cream that makes skin numb (p. 101)
61. How long does it take EMLA to work?
a. An hour (p. 101)
62. What has been implanted into Jeffrey's chest?
a. A Port-a-Cath (p. 101)
63. What caused Jeffrey's fever during the dance?
a. An ear infection (p. 103)
64. What time does the breakfast cart arrive at the hospital?
a. 5 am (p. 106)
65. What band is Steven listening to when his Dad asks him to help gather Jeffrey's toys?
a. Led Zeppelin (p. 109)
66. What is an old family punchline?
a. How about those Knicks? (p. 111)
67. Who is Jeffrey's favorite Rescue Heroes action figure?
a. Matt Medic (p. 112)

68. Who is Steven's school counselor?
a. Mrs. Galley (p. 118)
69. How does Mrs. Galley get Steven to start speaking?
a. Candy hearts (p. 118)
70. What period does Steven have gym?
a. Second (p. 119)
71. What do Steven's teachers do while all of his team are in gym?
a. Have a meeting (p. 120)
72. Which teacher knew before the others that Jeffrey had cancer?
a. Miss Palma (p. 123)
73. Who does Steven think told his teacher about Jeffrey's illness?
a. Annette (p. 125)
74. Who told Steven's teacher about Jeffrey?
a. Renee (p. 130)
75. What is Renee's last name?
a. Albert (p. 130)
76. Why was Steven sent to his grandparents?
a. He got the flu (p. 137)
77. How long was Steven at his grandparents' house?
a. 8 days (p. 138)
78. On what day did Steven's nausea get worse?
a. Day 5 (p. 138)
79. What food group does Steven's grandmother refuse to serve him?
a. Meat (p. 139)
80. What does Jeffrey send Steven when he's sick?
a. Matt Medic (p. 140)
81. How many times had Annette called Steven while he was out sick?
a. Twice (p. 141)
82. What does Steven tell his band teacher he's been practicing while sick?
a. Tissue basketball skills (p. 141)
83. How many spam messages does Steven receive?
a. 11 (p. 143)
84. What is Steven eating when his family comes home after he's been sick?
a. Fruit cocktail

85. What is making Steven's dad cry in the kitchen?
a. Medical bills (p. 149)
86. After three months of treatment, how much are Jeffrey's unpaid medical bills?
a. \$27000 (p. 149)
87. What does Steven call his depressive episode?
a. What's the Point? Period (p. 150)
88. Who volunteers to tutor Steven in math?
a. Renee (p. 153)
89. What day of the week was Renee supposed to tutor Steven?
a. Tuesday (p. 156)
90. What does Jeffrey call cologne?
a. Boy perfume (p. 158)
91. Why doesn't Jeffrey let Renee in?
a. She's sick (p. 160)
92. How many hours is Steven's dad working a week at the end of January?
a. 90 (p. 162)
93. What is Steven's school's name?
a. East Village Middle School (p. 163)
94. What was Steven's grade on his math final?
a. 37 (p. 164)
95. What's the dirtiest word and accountant can say to his kid?
a. Irresponsible (p. 167)
96. Who tutors Steven in math?
a. His dad (p. 170)
97. What is Steven's reward for finishing math?
a. First ever cup of coffee (p. 171)
98. What game do Steven and his dad play together?
a. Chess (p. 171)
99. What is Jeffrey's favorite book?
a. *Flat Stanley* (p. 175)
100. How many chapters does Steven read to Jeffrey before bed?
a. 2 (p. 175)

101. What does Steven offer Renee as a peace offering?
a. Gum (p. 178)
102. How much does Steven's mom pay per hour for drum lessons?
a. \$20 (p. 186)
103. How much money will Steven save the family if he quits drum lessons?
a. \$80 (p. 186)
104. What does Steven offer his drum lessons teacher as a gift?
a. His Special Sticks (p. 188)
105. What do the Special Sticks smell like?
a. Rotten eggs (p. 189)
106. How many places did Annette's arm break?
a. 3 (p. 191)
107. What word does Steven pick to describe the universe?
a. Unfair (p. 196)
108. Why did Annette hop the first stair?
a. Her cat was there (p. 197)
109. How does Steven show his support for Jeffrey?
a. He shaves his head (p. 200)
110. What is Steven's middle name?
a. Richard (p. 201)
111. What does Steven dislike about having a shaved head?
a. The top of his head gets cold (p. 205)
112. What rule does the school district put into place effective immediately?
a. Every high school student has to do community service (p. 206)
113. What idea do Renee and Annette come up with to keep the jazz band together?
a. Make the concert a benefit (p. 209)
114. How much are tickets to the benefit concert?
a. \$15 (p. 209)
115. How much money do Annette and Renee predict they'll raise?
a. \$20,750 (p. 210)
116. Why can't Steven's mother take Jeffrey to the hospital?
a. She's sick (p. 214)
117. What does Jeffrey call his trip to the hospital with Steven and his father?
a. A Men's Journey (p. 216)

118. Which doctor is Jeffrey scared of?
a. Dr. Arena (p. 217)
119. Which floor has the best snow cones?
a. 3rd (p. 217)
120. What do Steven and his dad forget to pack on their way to the hospital?
a. Matt Medic (p. 220)
121. What card game does Jeffrey like to play?
a. Go Fish (p. 224)
122. What is a "code" in the hospital?
a. When a patient's heart stops (p. 226)
123. Where does Steven go to practice at the hospital?
a. The laundry room (p. 228)
124. How many relapses has Samantha had?
a. 2 (p. 229)
125. What does Steven give to Sam?
a. Drum sticks (p. 232)
126. Where is the children's hospital?
a. Philadelphia (# needed)
127. What college is the children's hospital located at?
a. University of Pennsylvania (# needed)
128. Who buys a book for Steven to read about leukemia?
a. Mrs. Galley (p. 240)
129. When is the last time Steven has the Dream?
a. April 4 (p. 243)
130. Where do the proceeds of the concert go?
a. Jeffrey Alper Medical Trust (p. 244)
131. What movie does Steven watch in English?
a. *The Odyssey*
132. What does the school secretary give Jeffrey?
a. Chocolates (p. 246)
133. What design was Jeffrey's face painted?
a. Spiderman (p. 247)
134. What design did Jeffrey want his face painted?
a. Green Power Ranger (p. 247)

135. What snack does Steven eat before the concert?
a. Yogurt and apple pie (p. 250)
136. What was the first song the band played at the concert?
a. "Mambo Number Five" (p. 255)
137. How much money did the concert raise?
a. \$23,489.17 (p. 265)
138. Who died?
a. Samantha (p. 267)
139. What award does Renee win?
a. Outstanding Achievement in Mathematics (p. 269)
140. What award does Steven win?
a. Outstanding Musical Achievement Award (p. 270)
141. What award does Annette win?
a. Human Service Award (p. 270)
142. What row is Steven's family sitting in for his graduation ceremony?
a. 33 (p. 272)

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