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#### Chapter 41: "Must 'a' Been Sperits"

- 1. What do the farmers and their wives think has been causing all the mischief around the plantation?
- 2. Does Aunt Sally begin to suspect that the boys had a hand in it?
- 3. What makes Huck feel bad about his part in deceiving Aunt Sally?
- 4. Why doesn't he obey her and stay in his room as he had promised?

### Chapter 42: Why They Didn't Hang Jim

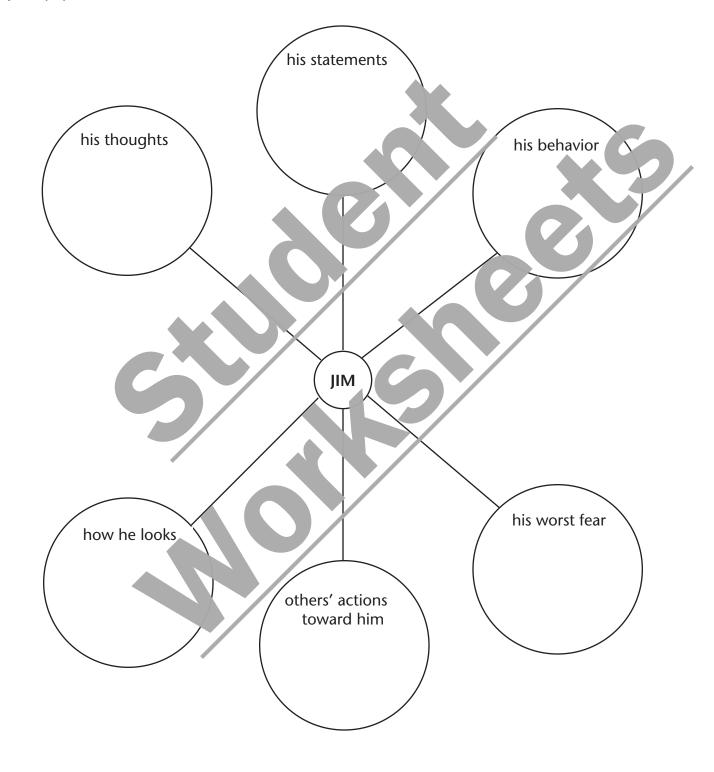
- 1. What does the title of this chapter tell you immedia
- 2. What makes the crowd feel more lenient toward lin ?
- 3. How does the truth about the episode come of
- 4. Why had Tom thought Jim would be freed?
- 5. Why does Aunt Polly arrive?
- 6. Why had it been possible for Tom to b ak .e lay ov nelping a runaway slatter escape?

### Chapter the Last: Nothing More to Wri

- 1. What had Tom planned for 'im.
- 2. What does Tom do for Jim and a for all the trouble of g a rischer?
- 3. Why does Huck think her an't on adventures in the san or or of the san or of the san of the san
- 4. What does he lead on my bout his money and my above his father?
- 5. What are Huck's for the ruture?

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Create an attribute web for Jim that lists clues about what he is like. Then use the back of your paper to make an attribute web for Huck.



If Huck were alive today, he might be arrested for some of the things he did. As it is, he has only his own conscience to answer to. Huck feels very guilty about some of his activities, and not at all guilty about others. Chart the amount of this guilt about each of the listed incidents on the graph below.

EVENTS: breaking up the Sunday School picnic					C	
tricking Jim when they got separated						
faking his own death and escaping				3		
"borrowing" a canoe here, a chicken there						
killing the snake						
deciding not to turn in Jim						
helping the king and duke with the Nonesuch						
helping the duke and king trick the orphan girls						
LEVEL OF GUILT:	none	2	3	4	a lot	ı

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