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Short Answer Questions

1. Explain what a potion is. If you don't know the answer, look it up.
2. Do some research and write a short report about who the Buddha is.
3. Do some research and explain what mustard seeds look like. Why would gathering a handful of mustard seeds be a large task?
4. Mustard seeds are part of many stories from ancient folklore or religious stories like those from the Bible. Why do you think mustard seeds are part of these old stories?
5. The young mother asked the Buddha for a medicine to bring her son back to life but he replied, "I have the medicine you need." What did he really mean?
6. Share stories with your classmates about how you felt when someone close to you died. Find out from others how they coped with losing someone special in their lives.
7. Sometimes people who are close to us aren't in our lives for reasons other than death. For example, some parents are gone for a long time with the military or children don't see their parents after a divorce. Share stories with your classmates about how you felt about these kinds of losses.