

Washington Square by Henry James

1 Student's own answer.

2 The chapter titles include words like angry, arguments, and alone. Therefore, the student will probably expect a sad story, and this will be correct. But the title of the last chapter might make the student expect a happy ending.

3 Student's own answer. Examples of sentences which the student might include under 'True':
 'He did not love his daughter. (page 7)
 'Catherine isn't interesting and she isn't beautiful.' (page 18)
 'Catherine is very plain ...' (page 20)
 'I am afraid of my father.' (page 21)
 'He doesn't love you. He loves your money.' (page 26)
 'They are both afraid of me. That is good.' (page 28)
 'I will never change my mind.' (page 36)
 'Catherine is a healthy young woman. A night without sleep won't hurt her.' (page 37)
 'I'm not interested in you or in Townsend.' (page 40)
 'I am a hard man, Catherine.' (page 45)
 'He has never loved me.' (page 49)
 'Her father did not look at her. (page 52)
 'Your only daughter is unhappy and you are happy about it.' (page 55)
 The doctor laughed and he walked away. (page 57)
 He had been right about Morris but he had been cruel. (page 58)
 Under 'Not True', the student might include:
 'Doctor Sloper was not a happy man. (page 7)
 'Enjoy yourself, my dear.' (page 8)
 'Doctor Sloper smiled at his daughter. (page 12)
 'Who is this fine young lady? She is lovely.' (page 12)
 Suddenly the doctor was worried. (page 18)
 'She loves him. She is going to be very unhappy.' (page 20)
 'You are kind and honest.' (page 26)
 'We will have a holiday together.' (page 40)
 'You have made me very unhappy.' (page 45)

4 Student's own answer. Examples of sentences which the student might include under 'True':
 'I have been learning about you from your aunt.' (page 15)
 'One of his relations died and gave him some money. But now he has spent all that money.' (page 18)
 'He thinks only about himself ... but he does not want to work ... I have to give him money.' (page 30)
 'We must wait.' (page 33)
 'Do I want a plain wife with only ten thousand dollars? I must have some money soon. But is ten thousand dollars enough?' (page 39)
 Under 'Not True', the student might include:
 'He likes you very much, my dear.' (page 15)
 'We both like the same things.' (page 17)
 'You are honest and kind, Miss Sloper.' (page 17)
 'My dear girl, I love you. I love you very much.' (page 22)

5 Student's own answer.

6 Student's own answer.

7 Student's own answer. Answers might mention differences in travel, food, communications, education, health, women's lives, shopping, types of buildings in cities, types of jobs, etc.

'I don't want to make her unhappy.' (page 33)
 'You must choose one of us, Catherine.' (page 38)
 [After page 39, the student knows about Morris' feelings. He is only interested in Catherine's money. But Catherine does not know this until Chapter 12.]