**Persepolis Questions**

In the space under the question, write your best answer and pay attention to spelling and grammar. Full sentences not required.

“The Letter”

1. Why did Marjane feel shame?

2. Why does Mehri’s boyfriend stop seeing her?

3. What do Mehri and Marjane do in response?

“The Party”

1. What happens to the Shah?

2. Where does the Shah go? Why?

3. What happens in schools after the Shah leaves?

“The Heroes”

1. What were Jari and Shakiba arrested for?

2. What torture did the men endure?

“Moscow”

1. Who was Anosh?

2. Where did Anosh go for safety?

3. How long was Anosh in prison when he returned to Iran?

“The Sheep”

1. What did the Republic want to be called?

2. What was the problem with religious leaders running the country?

3. What was the percent of people voting for the religious leaders? Why is this

number unrealistic?

4. What happened to Siamak’s sister?

“The Trip”

1. What embassy is occupied?

2. How did this affect Marjane?

3. What closed a few days later? Why?

“The F-14s”

1. What city was bombed?

2. How did Iran retaliate?

3. Who was released from jail?

“The Jewels”

1. What problem did the war cause in supermarkets?

2. What did Marjane’s father desperately need?

3. What happened to border towns?

“The Key”

1. What was a headline story?

2. Why did Mrs. Nasrine have a gold key?

3. Who was the Key to Paradise for?

“The Wine”

1. What became a target for bombing?

2. What two reasons did Marjane’s mother give for covering the windows?

3. What do Marjane and her grandmother do once they get home?

“The Cigarette”

1. What does Marjane do instead of going to school?

2. How does her mother react?

3. How many people die in the war?

4. When did Marjane feel she was an adult?

“The Passport”

1. Why does Marjane’s uncle feel there are a lot of people who oppose the government in his neighborhood?

2. What happened in the past to the uncle?

3. Why does Niloufar have to hide?

4. What happens to Niloufar?

5. What happens to Marjane’s uncle?

“Kim Wilde”

1. What happened for Marjane’s family to rush to get passports?

2. What does Marjane want her parents to bring her?

3. Who stopped Marjane when she was on the street? Where did they want to take her?

“The Shabbat”

1. What began happening to Marjane’s town?

2. Why did the Baba-Levys stay?

3. What was bombed? Why did the bombers choose that day?

4. What does Marjane find in the ruins?

“The Dowry”

1. What does Marjane wear that her teachers finds objectionable? How does she react?

2. Why do Marjane’s parents worry about her being arrested? Where do they want to send her?

3. How does Marjane’s mother react when Marjane looks at her parents before getting on

the plane?