

# Answer Key

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## **Copymaster 133**

### **Punctuating Dialogue**

1. "Aren't those windows beautiful?" asked Mom.
2. "Yes," said Dad, "and I love all the porches."
3. "This place has a real sense of history," he added.
4. "What sense of history?" asked their daughter.
5. "Why," answered Mom, "the place is, after all, over a hundred years old."
6. Dad said, "If rooms could talk, think of the stories these would tell."
7. "Maybe," said the girl, "but I'd rather be back in the old house."
8. "Why?" asked Dad.
9. "Because," the girl explained, "that's where my friends are."
10. Her mother tried to reassure her. "You'll make new friends, honey," she said.
11. "Sure," said Dad, "and we have plenty of room to invite them over."
12. "And plenty of outside room for your garden," added Mom.
13. "I guess so," said the girl.
14. "I know so!" said Dad, giving his daughter a hug. "You're a survivor, kid."
15. The girl smiled shyly. "Well," she said, "maybe I am."