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Twisted Truths

Short Answer Key

1. Camp Green Lake has no lake and no greenery, making its name ironic.
2. Stanley is punished for stealing shoes even though he didn't do it, which is ironic because real criminals go unpunished.
3. The Warden forces the boys to dig holes, thinking she will find treasure, but in the end, Stanley and Zero find it instead.
4. By using irony, Sachar makes serious topics, like injustice, easier to understand and also adds humor to the story.
5. The Warden spends years looking for treasure but never finds it, while the boys she mistreats end up discovering it.

