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The Enchanted Backpack

Open-Ended Response Answer Key

1. (Answer may vary) One of Emily's magical adventures was when she rode on the back of a friendly dragon. This adventure brought excitement to the town, but it also caused some fields to be scorched by the dragon's fiery breath.
2. (Answer may vary) At the beginning of the story, Emily was excited and carefree about using her backpack's magic. However, as she faced the consequences of her wishes, she became more responsible and thoughtful about how she used it.
3. The theme of responsibility is evident as Emily learns to use her magical abilities for the benefit of her town and its people, rather than solely for her own enjoyment. She recognizes the need to consider the impact of her actions on others.
4. (Answer may vary) If I were in Emily's shoes, I might wish for a library filled with books from all over the world and use the backpack's magic to promote literacy and education in my community. I would also make sure that the library was accessible to everyone in town.

