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**A Week in the Woods Chapters 6 to 8**

Write a brief summary of each chapter (what it is about), the main characters and secondary characters and the problem.

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| **Chapter 6: Spoiled** | **Chapter 7: Skirmish** | **Chapter 8: Discoveries** |
| Short summary:  Mr. Maxwell has some rules regarding homework and making his classes interesting for students. He has a special experiment prepared to catch his student’s attention, especially Mark’s. His experiment was related to the Hindenburg. Mark ruins all the expectations Mr. Maxwell had. He had already learned about it and he ruined the surprise ending of the experiment.  Main characters:  Mr. Maxwell and Mark Chelmsley.  Secondary characters:  Timmy Weston, Jenny Rogers  Problem:  Mark has a bad attitude. He has no friends and he doesn’t care avout class. Mr. Maxwell wants to capture Mark’s attention with an experiment he planned. | Short summary:  Mr. Maxwell thinks that Mark is gifted and that he enjoyed ruining spoiling the show. Mark is still having a bad attitude towards everything in school. Mr. Maxwell gives him the packet of forms needed to go to A Week in the Woods. Mark didn‟t seem too excited about it and actually asked if everyone had to go. Mr.Maxwell was frustrated and upset at the idea of  someone not wanting to join in the fun.  Main characters:  Mr. Maxwell and Mark Chelmsley.  Secondary characters:  Leon  Problem:  Mr. Maxwell wants Mark to change his attitude and to get excited about going to a week in the woods. | Short summary:  During the two weeks that Mark has lived in New Hampshire, he has started to really enjoy the new house. He has acquired a new love for the outdoors. Mark has learned how to snowshoe, he has discovered treasures in the old barn, and has made a habit of spending every spare second of time outside enjoying his surroundings. But he made the greatest discovery of all: time. And this made him feel rich.  Main characters:  Mark Chelmsley  Secondary characters:  Robert, Eloise, Anya, Leon.  Problem:  At the beginning, Mark couldn’t go out to explore outside because his parents were there. Then he couldn’t get into the old barn because the entrance was covered with snow. |