Aphasia Book Club

Crashing Through

Chapter 2 Questions

Worksheet B

1. Pages 18-20 cover how Mike May became blind. How did Mike become blind?
2. He was watching TV when it exploded
3. He tried to wash a jar containing calcium carbide
4. He had an infection from playing with mud
5. He was born blind
6. On page 23, we learn that Ori Jean’s belief that *“immersion in the whole of the world was crucial to leading a full life”.* To what degree do you agree or disagree with this statement?

Not at all Somewhat Absolutely

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

1. On pages 28-29, Mike asks his mother to let him ride his bike to downtown alone. What was Ori Jean’s reaction?
2. She begged Mike not to go
3. She allowed Mike to go, but followed him
4. She started to cry, but let Mike go
5. She asked Mike to get some milk on the way back
6. On pages 35-36, Mike falls in love with the hobby of ham radio. What was the reason Mike loved this hobby so much?
7. Because he could reach new worlds far away from him
8. Because he could contact aliens
9. Because he enjoyed making antennas
10. Because he wanted to become a radio DJ