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**Student notes for:** “Playing Hooky”

**Day:** 2

1. In paragraph 2, “Tom lay thinking...” and “...canvassed his system.” In this context, what does the word “canvassed” mean, and why does Tom do this?

2. Reread paragraph 2. What is Tom’s rationale for focusing on the pain in his sore toe, rather than his loose tooth?

3. In paragraph 4, what effect does groaning have on Tom’s perception of pain?



