Worksheet: Lost Spring — Stories of Stolen Childhood (Anees Jung)

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Q1. What is the irony in Saheb-e-Alam's name? How does it reflect the central theme of the essay? *[2 marks]*

Q2. Trace Saheb's journey from rag-picker to tea-stall worker. Is the tea-stall job an improvement in his life? Give reasons. *[4 marks]*

Q3. Anees Jung argues that the poverty of Firozabad's bangle-makers is not karma but injustice. Using evidence from both parts of the essay, examine this argument and discuss what 'Lost Spring' says about the responsibility of society and the state. *[6 marks]*