Holes

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Holes
Main Characters

Stanley
Zero
Arm pit
Squid
Zig Zag
X-Ray
Other Characters:

- Mr. Yelnats
- Mrs. Yelnats
- Stanley Yelnats I
- Clyde Livingston

- Warden
- Mr. Sir
- Dr. Pendanski
Stanley Yelnats has bad luck because his great-great grandfather was cursed.
Stanley Yelnats is sent to a camp for bad boys.
Stanley and the other boys are forced to dig large holes in the dirt every day.
Stanley

learn

why

they are digging holes.

The warden is looking for something.
Characters:

Elya Yelnats  Madame Zeroni
Stanley's great-great grandfather, Elya Yelnats received a pig from Madame Zeroni.
Elya Yelnats promised Madame Zeroni he would carry her up the mountain... and sing to her.
Elya forgot his promise to Madame Zeroni.

Elya took a boat to America.

Madame Zeroni was mad and cursed Elya.
Elya and his family always had bad luck because he broke his promise to Madame Zeroni.
The History of Green Lake

Characters:

Kate Barlow  Sam  Charles Walker
In a Texas town the school teacher is Kate Barlow.

Kate is in love with Sam.

Sam is a black man.

Sam sells onions.
Kate and Sam lived over 100 years ago. 100 years ago, black men and white women were not allowed to love.
Charles Walker loved Kate but she did not love him.

Charles was mad that Kate loved Sam.
Charles gathered the townspeople and burned the school.

Charles and the people attacked Sam.
Kate is so upset she becomes an outlaw.

Kate began to rob people and steal their money.
Kate left a lipstick kiss on the people she robbed.

Kate becomes the outlaw "Kissin' Kate Barlow".
When Sam died the lake dried up.

All the people moved away.
Kate robbed Stanley’s great grandfather and buried his money.

Kate buried the money in Green Lake.

Charles Walker and his wife tried to find where Kate buried the money.

They never found the buried money.
Charles Walker and his granddaughter always dug holes to find the buried money. Charles died and never found the money. Charles’ granddaughter grew up and became the principal of the camp for bad boys. They called her Warden.
The Warden forces the boys to dig holes to find the buried money.
Back to the story

Green Lake camp for bad boys
X-Ray is the leader of the boys in camp.

X-Ray is a tough kid.
Stanley has trouble digging holes.
The weather is very hot and the dirt is hard and dry.
One day Stanley finds a lipstick tube that has KB on it.

X-Ray took the lipstick tube from Stanley.

X-Ray gave the lipstick tube to the Warden.
Warden, Mr. Sir, and Dr. Pendanski are happy to see the lipstick tube.

They knew the buried money was near.
Stanley knows that Warden's grandfather was Charles Walker.

Stanley wonders if "Kissin Kate" lived near here.
Stanley and Zero become friends while digging holes.

Mr. Sir and Dr. Pendanski think that Zero is dumb.

Zero never learned to read.
Zero's name is Hector Zeroni.

Zero is the great-great-great-great grandson of Madame Zeroni.
Stanley teaches Zero to read and Zero helps Stanley to dig his holes.
The other boys get mad that Stanley has help to dig. The boys start a fight, and Zero runs away from camp. Stanley worries about Zero being alone.
Stanley steals the truck from Mr. Sir.

Stanley drove the truck into a hole.

Stanley runs away to find Zero.
Zero is weak.

Stanley helps Zero by carrying him to the top of the mountain.

The mountain is Sam's old onion field.

Stanley and Zero eat onions for 1 week.
Stanley and Zero return to camp to look for Kate Barlow's treasure.

Stanley and Zero find a suitcase with Stanley Yelnats name on it.

The Warden tries to take the suitcase from Stanley and Zero.
Stanley's lawyer has come to get out of camp.

Stanley and Zero get to leave the camp with the suitcase.
The suitcase has the buried money that Kate Barlow took from Stanley's great-great grandfather - Stanley Yelnats.
When Stanley carried Zero up the mountain.

He ended the family curse.
The Green Lake camp was closed.

Stanley's bad luck was now good luck!
The End.