

Active Reading

So Far from the Bamboo Grove Chapters 8–11

The dangers and difficulties that Yoko faces force her to grow up quickly. During the months of flight and refuge, she matures from a child to a young woman. As you read the last four chapters of the book, watch for signs that Yoko is growing up. What does she do to help her mother and Ko? How does she try to make their situation better? Record each of your observations on a step on the diagram.

