

Section 1: A Noise in the Night

Q. Answer

Any of the following (**up to 2 marks**):

1. Priya's heart beating fast
2. Priya taking a deep breath / trying to calm herself down
3. Priya telling herself there is nothing to worry about
4. Priya waking with a start

Either of the following:

1. Priya not seeing or hearing many cars
 2. the lack of traffic that day
- DNA: reference only to it being late at night / very early in the morning

Either of the following:

1. the different engine sound / different sound quality
2. the sound / sound quality of the engine without a comparison to the car engine

DNA: reference only to the volume of the sound

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| the foot of the hill | 2 |
| the campsite | 1 |
| the cattle grid | 4 |
| the bridge | 3 |

- 5 Option 3: She heard the engine stop.

Either of the following:

1. Priya being able to see the whole valley
 2. the valley / everywhere being silver in the moonlight
- DNA: reference only to the three colours: blue, black and silver

Any of the following:

1. Priya's realisation that they were rustlers
 2. Priya's understanding of the situation
 3. Priya's realisation only
- AA reference only to a thought / idea without realisation
- DNA (the / some) rustlers

- 8 Option 3: She had to squeeze in

Any of the following:

1. Abby has been asleep / has been woken up / is tired
2. it is late at night / early in the morning
3. Abby thinking that it is a prank

Either of following:

1. the phrase *a sharp intake of breath*
2. the quotation *We have to do something*

Either of following:

1. the sheep being stolen / harmed
 2. Abby not knowing what they should do
- DNA reference only to *Those are Mr Jones' sheep. We have to do something.*

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| At the beginning of the story, Priya knew what had woken her up. | | ✓ |
| The binoculars belonged to Priya. | | ✓ |
| Both Priya and Abby agreed that they had to do something. | ✓ | |
| The rustlers stopped in Priya and Abby's campsite. | | ✓ |

1 mark for three correct or 2 marks for all four correct

Section 2: Bats Under the Bridge

Q. Answer

Texas

- 13 DNA reference to both Austin and Texas without indicating Texas is the state

Any of the following: summer being when...

1. bats come out
 2. bats are beneath the bridge
 3. there is a large number of bats
- DNA it being warm in summer

The bridge being popular (with bats)

- 15i AA the bridge crowded (with bats)
- DNA the bridge being a popular tourist attraction

The bridge being warm / hot

- 15ii DNA bridge being an ideal place for bats / perfect for bats to raise their young without reference to warmth

- 16 Insects

- 17 Consume. AA Feeding

- 18 Colony. AA Population

1 mark for any two of the following:

1. people thinking that bats will attack/pull out their hair
 2. people thinking bats carry disease
 3. bats being uninvited
- AA a (sudden) increase in numbers
- DNA reference to bats' appearance

- 20a Option 2: at risk

Any of the following:

1. many bats being affected if their habitat damaged
 2. many bats being affected if something happens
- 20b AA many bats being affected at once
 - DNA reference only to many bats being affected
 - DNA reference only to damage (without recognising many bats being affected)

Any of the following (**up to 2 marks**):

1. negative effects (of insects) on farming
 2. insects annoying people
 3. people having to fight against insects
- 21 4. Harriet being positive about insects being eaten
 - AA reference to either bite or sting
 - DNA reference to Harriet's negativity without giving specific examples



	True	False
Harriet Lopez thinks some bats are cute.	✓	
Bats could be an alternative to chemicals for farmers.	✓	
In Texas there are more humans than bats.		✓
Putting a bat box in your garden will encourage insects.		✓

1 mark for three or 2 marks for all four correct

- 24 Option 4: agrees with Harriet Lopez's opinions of bats

- 25 Option 3: She knows important details about bats

AND Option 5: She understands how people feel about bats

3 marks for two APs, at least one with evidence

2 marks for either two APs, or one acceptable point with evidence

1 mark for one AP

1. bats provide benefits for people / farming
2. bats are not harmful
3. bats should be protected / supported
4. bats are our friends
5. bats are misunderstood
6. bats are interesting / amazing
7. bats provide benefits for tourism

- 27 persevering / continuing

DNA reference to hurrying

- 28 (a good) half-mile

DNA non-specific references to distance

- 29 Option 3: a wet area of rough ground

Section 3: A Howl at Dusk

Q. Answer

- 30 Option 2: the fading light
- AND** Option 4: the weather

Any of the following:

1. Innis knowing the terrain / ground
 2. Innis' knowledge of the island's wildlife
 3. Innis knowing how far he is from home
- 31 AA Innis knowing where he is going / the way home
 - AA Innis not being a stranger or mainlander

Any of the following:

1. Innis stopping
2. Innis speeding up
- 32a 3. the quotation *the only sound was his beating heart*
4. Innis reassuring himself
5. Innis listening intently

Any of the following:

1. Innis holding his breath
 2. Innis stopping
 3. Innis turning full circle / scanning the landscape
 - 32b 4. the quotation *bloodcurdling, wolf-like*
 5. Innis reassuring himself
- DNA reference to Innis running / walking faster

Any of the following:

1. the wolf's howl being closer / further away from Innis
 - 32 2. the sound changing volume
 3. the wolf's howl coming from different places (without reference to distance)
- DNA reference to sound only

- 34 Option 4: definite

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| He ran away. | 4 |
| He imitated a wolf howl. | 2 |
| He met a boy. | 5 |
| He heard an unexpected wolf howl. | 1 |
| He saw a wolf. | 3 |

Any of the following (**up to 2 marks**):

1. the remoteness / difficult terrain
 2. the boy's sudden appearance / Innis thinking that he had been alone
 - 36 3. Innis expecting to see a wolf / not expecting to see a boy
- AA reference to it getting dark / weather conditions

Any of the following:

1. the presence of a wolf with no reference to a warning / safety
- 37 2. Innis' concern for the boy's safety
3. Innis' concern for the boy's safety

3 marks for two APs, at least one with evidence

2 marks for either two APs, or one acceptable point with evidence

1 mark for one AP

1. he is unfriendly / rude / surly
- 38 2. he is independent / brave / calm
3. he is curious
4. he is mysterious / strange
5. he is secretive / defensive
6. he is determined / single-minded / self-centred
7. he is untalkative