

Answers - Canine Life Savers:

1. If the puppies show signs of being too easily distracted, quickly spooked or unmotivated.
2. Alerting them to warning alarms such as fire alarms and sirens.
3. A condition where the body cannot control the level of sugar in the blood.
4. By getting help or helping to prevent them hitting the floor or hurting themselves.
5. They smell cancers or bacteria before doctors or other tests detect them.

V: help, aid

V: spooked

E: Canine life-savers, canine sidekick, four-legged friend, superheroes

E: The text says they 'appear' to sense seizures and that it is 'unclear' whether it is due to a smell or a behaviour change.

S: They help with day to day tasks which people may otherwise not be able to do without someone helping them. For example, dogs help them navigating obstacles when walking in the streets, hearing the doorbell and getting dressed or doing household chores. They also help those with medical conditions manage their conditions so that they can live more normal lives.

Answers - Evelyn Cheesman - Escaping the Web:

1. The text opens with the startling incident of Evelyn Cheesman stuck in a spider's web (rather than simply starting with her early life). The reader straight away has a sense of her adventurous, daring and unusual life.
2. Plummeting, clinging
3. It is meant to be funny – Evelyn experienced far worse so it's funny that she's most worried about her cup of tea. It also gives a sense of how tough she was since she was not phased by the other ordeals.
4. She admires Evelyn's passion and achievements.
5. Various answers related to the text.

V: remote, far-flung

R: By taking paying tourists on board.

R: She was respectful of them and they were in awe of her.

V: Brave or daring actions

S: She was the first female curator at London Zoo. She travelled independently to rough, remote and challenging places when this was not something expected of women. She made important discoveries and had species names after her.

Answers - Extreme Survivors:

1. They help it take in oxygen in the low oxygen atmosphere of the high-altitude environment.
2. High altitude environments and deep in the Earth's crust.
3. Deep in the Earth's crust and in the deep ocean living at a hot hydrothermal vent.
4. Wood frog
5. It sleeps in a cool burrow during the day and only comes out at night when it's cooler.

I: They were shocked and surprised because they didn't think life was possible there.

E: The Mariana snailfish is described as being the deepest animal 'yet discovered'.

V: They are doing well and their numbers are growing.

V: It's famous, it's a symbol of the Arctic.

V: Crowd together

Answers - Old Foot:

1. She finds it boring, uninteresting and she doesn't want to be there.
2. 'He gazed hopefully out across the landscape'
3. He seems excited as he scampers around the lodge, looking in all the cupboards and drawers and exclaiming at everything he found.
4. She becomes interested and curious. She wants to explore and see the elephant.
5. She is probably in her early to mid teens (13-16). She still looks young and goes on holiday with her parents but she wants to be seen as grown up and she is more interested in hanging out with her friends.

R: Jo'burg

R: The matriarch, Oupoot (Old Foot)

V: Easily persuaded of something, believes everything

E: By making it unclear whether there was an elephant or whether it was only shapes in the trees.

P: Various answers in keeping with the text. For example, the narrator explores the forest and grows to love it. She finally comes face to face with the elephant.

Answers - Rewilding Britain:

1. Roamed
2. Eating too much of the grass and plant-life.
3. The countryside
4. You are not allowed to go there.
5. Trailing, tracking, following prey

R: A few hundred years ago

S: Predators help to keep populations of herbivores such as deer under control and therefore stops damage to plants such as growing trees through overgrazing.

R: It would bring tourism to rural areas.

E: Calling them 'great' predators, 'impressive wild animals'

P: Accept either answer with justification from text. Possible answers: lynx because they are less dangerous to humans, they wouldn't require the creation of fenced reserves and therefore wouldn't impact access to the countryside; wolves because they could be contained safely within a reserve and charging rich tourists means that rural areas can make money. In addition, since lynx are shy and mysterious, they presumably wouldn't be as appealing for tourists on safari.