The Incredible Journey

Book key

1.1–1.2 Open answers

2.1 T: 1, 4, 6

2.2 **1** Tao, big blue eyes, a Siamese cat, can open doors
2 Bodger, a Bull Terrier, a strong, brave fighter, loves children
3 Luath, young and strong, a Labrador Retriever, enjoys hunting

2.3 **1** The young dog followed, walking calmly.
2 Longridge stood at the window, looking at the moon.
3 Longridge lay awake, thinking about his trip the next day.
4 Bodger was in the playground, playing with the school children.
5 Tao sat on Longridge's knees, moving his front paws from time to time.
6 The young dog sat up, listening for his master's voice.

2.4 5 ✓

3.1 **1** A **2** E **3** D **4** C **5** B

3.2 **1** Luath **2** Tao **3** Bodger **4** Luath **5** Luath **6** Bodger **7** Tao **8** Luath

3.3 **1** The old dog walked slowly down the road to join the Labrador.
2 Mrs. Oakes brought some special food to feed the animals.
3 The animals usually ran up to say hello.
4 Mrs. Oakes went outside to find the three animals.
5 Tao went into the woods at night to hunt for food.
6 Luath barked at the bear to help his friend.

3.4 **1** a group of Indians **2** better **3** Luath **4** Bodger **5** Luath **6** welcome

4.1 **1** ✓ **2** ✗ **3** ✗ **4** ✓ **5** ✗ **6** ✗

4.2 Possible answers:
1 Luath doesn't go near the Indians or their tents.
2 Bodger can't hunt.
3 Bodger meets the old man first.
4 The three animals eat nothing with the old man.

4.3 **1** saw, became
2 was walking, saw
3 followed, followed
4 sat, invited
5 was thinking, flew
6 stood up, noticed

4.4 Open answers

5.1 **1** animals, cross **2** Luath, swimmer **3** Bodger, hate **4** Tao, fear **5** dam, pours **6** wave, hits

5.2 **A** 3 **B** 6 **C** 4 **D** 1 **E** 5 **F** 2

5.3 **1** C **2** B **3** E **4** A **5** H **6** G **7** D **8** F

5.4 Open answers

6.1 **1** farm dog, chicken
2 wild, houses/people
3 smile, water
4 Luath, farm building, Tao, yard

6.2 Tao: light, long tail, calm and proud, blue eyes
Both: cat, good climber, fast
Lynx: gray coat, wild, heavy, short tail, green eyes, dangerous

6.3 **1** was … hurt **2** was attacked **3** was shot **4** were seen **5** were fed **6** was opened

6.4 Open answers

Talk about it Open answers

Write about it Open answers

Project Open answers

Discussion activities key

1 Suggested animals: cat, dog, rabbit, tortoise, bird, snake, monkey, fish, rat, hamster, guinea pig

2 Open answers

3 Suggested answers: Longridge leaves a note for Mrs. Oakes and half of it is burned in the fireplace. Longridge phones Mrs. Oakes but they can't hear each other very well. Longridge is a writer of history books. The owners of the animals, the Hunter family, are in England. Longridge and his brother owned a cabin near a lake.

4 Suggested stories and films: *Finding Nemo*, *Ice Age*, *King Kong*, *Jaws*, *101 Dalmatians*, *The Jungle Book*, *The Lion King*, *Free Willy*, *Babe*, *Over the Hedge*

5–7 Open answers

8 Possible suggestions: Living in the countryside is probably harder physically but it is not as stressful as living in a city. It is healthier because there is less pollution. It is probably cheaper because you can grow your own food, and the houses are cheaper. It could be quite boring as there are no cinemas, restaurants, or places to go.

9–10 Open answers

11 Suggestions: the whale, the tiger, the elephant, the panda, the polar bear, the eagle

12–13 Open answers

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Activity worksheets key

1 huge–very small
soft–hard
later–earlier
outside–inside
slowly–quickly
nervous–calm
below–above

2 **a** stone **b** ugly **c** cupboard **d** gift **e** delicious **f** desk **g** pale

3 **a** equipment **b** excited **c** searched **d** shaking **e** hunter **f** tongue

4 **a** shone **b** blood **c** washing **d** car **e** struggled **f** crazy

5 **a** soap > blood
b father > mother
c quiet > loud
d stick > bag
e west > south
f second > third

6 a ✓ b ✗ c ✗ d ✗ e ✗ f ✓

7 **a** playing with them.
b the blood from the Terrier's body.
c White Dog of the Indians.
d found food for him.
e the old dog.
f them on the table.

8 **a** Where did Helvi find the cat?
b What did Helvi do with her parents after supper?
c Where did Tao sleep?
d Which animal crossed the river first?
e What hit Tao on the head?
f How did Helvi go/get to school?
g What did Helvi give Tao to drink?

9 **a** on **b** to **c** of **d** a **e** been **f** during

10 heavy–light
stupid–sensible
weak–strong
sick–healthy
ugly–pretty
wonderful–terrible

11 **a** 6 **b** 5 **c** 4 **d** 7 **e** 3 **f** 2 **g** 1

12 **a** He saw two men with guns and a dog.
b Because Tao was his oldest friend.
c Because he could smell them clearly.
d Because the hole was too small.
e So he and his father could find the dead lynx later.
f Because their eight children were adults and lived away from home.

13 **a** aching
b fact
c hope
d wood
e chocolate
f master
g hill

14 **a** A policeman
b Mrs. Oakes
c Elizabeth
d Longridge
e A hunter
f Peter

Progress test key

1 a ✗ b ✗ c ✗ d ✓ e ✓ f ✓ g ✓ h ✓ i ✓ j ✓

2 **a** neck **b** tents **c** strange **d** cry **e** thick **f** map **g** hope **h** chicken **i** cloth **j** head

3 **a** 8 **b** 7 **c** 10 **d** 4 **e** 1 **f** 9 **g** 6 **h** 2 **i** 3 **j** 5

4 **a** They saw them by a lake.
b He wrote history books.
c He slept on Helvi Nurmi's bed.
d He thought he was deaf.
e He brought him a dead bird.
f He went to England.
g They thought he would bring good luck.
h He threw a bowl of water.
i She was born in Canada.
j They sold wood.

5 **a** left **b** large **c** at night **d** Bodger **e** Elizabeth **f** apple **g** brother **h** brown **i** Luath **j** tree

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