



DEEPENING UNDERSTANDING ANSWER SHEET

NEW BABY READING COMPREHENSION INFERENCE QUESTIONS

Question One (1 Mark)

1 mark for a relevant explanation

E.g. He is determined / He is resilient / He is going to persevere until he understands.

Question Two (1 Mark)

1 mark for copying the correct phrase

'When will I be mature enough to understand?'

Question Three (1 Mark)

1 mark for a sensible explanation

E.g. He didn't know how to answer so was trying to avoid the question.

Question Four (2 Marks)

1 mark for an appropriate impression. 1 mark for supporting evidence.

E.g. Impression – He is unhappy.

Evidence – He refers to him as 'it'.

Impression – He is confused / shocked.

Evidence – The baby arrived 'with no prior warning'.

Impression – He is upset.

Evidence – He feels like he has been replaced.

Question Five (1 Mark)

1 mark for ticking the correct thought

'If there's a new baby, they might not want me anymore.'

Question Six (2 Marks)

1 mark for a simple response

E.g. They would be so overwhelmed by the choice.

2 marks for a more developed answer with evidence from the text

E.g. They would be so overwhelmed by the choice because there were 'fifty isles of stock packed onto ten-high shelves'.



Question Seven (1 Mark)

1 mark for ticking the correct answer

'They are so indecisive! There must be too many to choose from.'

Question Eight (2 Marks)

1 mark for identifying 'no' and a simple response

E.g. No because he still hasn't fully understood.

No because he has not confirmed whether or not he knows exactly how the baby arrived.

2 marks for a more developed response with reference to the text

E.g. No because it is clear that he still doesn't truly understand. He has discussed different theories about how the baby may have arrived, but his final question of 'When will I be mature enough to understand?' shows he still does not know the true reason as to how the baby arrived.

