

NAPLAN Reading Year 5 2012

Quick Answers

1. playful.
2. Galahs can be very loud.
3. looking for food.
4. on powerlines
5. enjoys watching galahs.
6. Birds of a feather flock together.
7. wants his cats to help him.
8. for people to put letters in
9. The cats will return home for dinner.
10. They cannot be trained.
11. to use the dog as his helper
12. lazy but creative
13. how honey bees make food.
14. the order to read the information
15. a drinking straw.
16. by reducing the amount of water in the nectar
17. the life cycle of honey bees continues.
18. They are hard-working.
19. 3. A honey bee chews the nectar. 1. A honey bee collects the nectar. 4. A honey bee uses its wings to dry the nectar. 5. A honey bee adds beeswax to the honeycomb. 2. A honey bee passes the nectar to another honey bee.
20. adapted from a film.
21. to emphasise that it is an unlikely place to become famous
22. thorough enjoyment

- 23. their talent being exposed through technology
- 24. to bring the reader into someone else's world
- 25. remoteness with fame
- 26. is able to confront his fears.
- 27. ready for the future.
- 28. Shai is familiar with the surfers' behaviour.
- 29. immigration
- 30. It makes readers appreciate the drama of Shai's situation.
- 31. He has gained a new confidence.
- 32. Matthew Haymin's solution might be accepted.
- 33. It would make the current problem worse.
- 34. to emphasise his point
- 35. to highlight the flaws in Haymin's proposal
- 36. indignant
- 37. consequences of human activity in space
- 38. to dispute Haymin's ideas