

The Copy KEY

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Answer Key:

Pre-reading

Characterisation

1. there are three or four characters.
2. skinny, weak, not too smart at school. couldn't play sport at all. the exact opposite to me. Dr Woolley: short with a hooked nose, a wide beard and a bald head surrounded with a ring of white hair.
3. two or three are teenagers and Dr. Woolley is an elderly man.
4. The boy(s) and the girl are students. Dr. Woolley is probably a doctor or a scientist.
5. Acquaintances, friends, relatives,...

B. Example of possible answers:

I think it looks like a time machine.
This may be a blender.
I think it sounds like a rocket.
Perhaps it is a cloning machine.

C.

- 1st- Place an object on the floor of the machine;
- 2nd- Press the button;
- 3rd- Wait till you hear a sound and see some smoke;
- 4th- Remove the final product.

D.

Example of possible answers:

- I think *Dr. Woolley has been kidnapped.*
- He might *have been poisoned / stabbed.*
- I believe *Dr Woolley might have been killed.*
- Maybe *Dr Woolley has had to run away and hide for some reason.*
- Perhaps *he has travelled back/forward in time.*
- I'm sure *it is the machine which must be destroyed because it proved to be dangerous.*
- He might *have made a copy of himself and have been killed by it.*

Biography

A.

Paragraphs: 3^o, 1^o, 2^o, 4^o.

A.

Question 1: d)

Question 2: A long sea voyage; An influential teacher; His mum's cooking; School holidays; Feeling inferior; Being frightened.

Question 3:

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An influential teacher; His mum's cooking; School holidays;	Feeling inferior; Being frightened	A long sea voyage

Question 4: He did not become a full time writer immediately because first he had to make sure that he could make a living from writing.

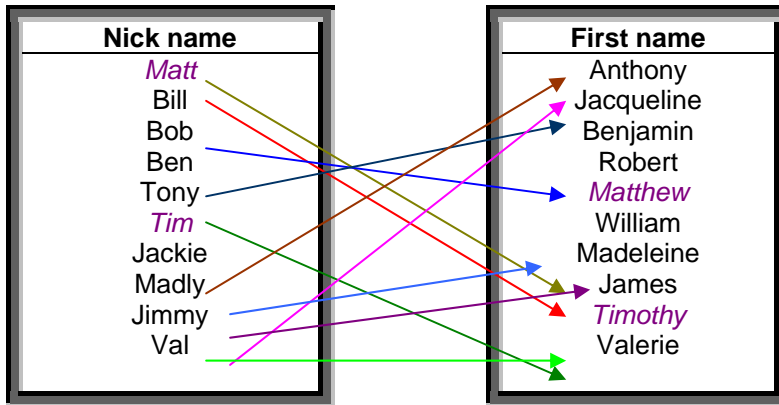
Question 5:

Personal questions.

Context

A. 1.

- a) Tim feels bothered /disappointed/upset.
- b), c), d), e) – free/personal answers.



3.
a)

Tim		Mat	
Clumsy	weak	Athletic	smart
insecure		Attractive	strong
skinny		Cool	well-built
slow		self-confident	tough

b) Quotations:

Tim:

"I was skinny, weak, and not too smart."

"I couldn't play sport at all."

"I had asked Fiona to go with me and she said yes. I couldn't believe it."

Mat:

"He was smart...captain of the footy team the best batsman in the cricket team and he was tough."

"He could flatten me with one punch if he wanted to."

4.

Maybe *they're both in love by the same girl*;

Perhaps *Mat is a bully*;

They might *have quarrelled about something before*;

...

5.

As seen by Tim	As seen by other people
An "old friend"; " <u>untidy old workshop</u> "; "What <u>crazy thing</u> he was inventing"; Everything he had come up with so far had been a flop"; "All of his inventions... were <u>clever</u> but they were too expensive." " <u>gnomish face</u> "; "he looked just like a gnome"; "he was <u>short</u> with a <u>hooked nose</u> and he had a <u>white beard</u> and a <u>bald head</u> surrounded with a ring of white hair."; "He had a <u>terrible memory</u> ."; "I was his only friend"	"a dangerous crackpot."

B.1.

a) Tim reveals that he is weak, insecure and fearful, that he loves Fiona, hasn't got any friends apart from Dr Woolley, and that he needs help.

b) The main problem seems to be Mat Hodson, who also fancies Fiona, and is willing to take revenge on Tim resorting to violence/aggression.

c) Example of possible answers:

If I were you I would *ask Dr Woolley to help you have a conversation with Mat.*
 All things considered, you should *find a way to have a private conversation with Mat to solve things out in a civilised way.*
 Maybe it would be a good idea *to have a talk with your parents.*
 Why don't you *ignore him!*

...

2.

MISSING PERSON	
Dr. Woolley Crankshaft Alley XX years old short with a hooked nose a white beard a bald head with a ring of white XXXXX clothes Last seen at his workshop a month ago. £ XXXX reward Please contact: XXXXX	<div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 60px; height: 60px; margin: 0 auto; display: flex; align-items: center; justify-content: center;"> Photo </div>

3.

- a. A pine cone, a letter, a Biro, a brooch, a frog, almost everything in the workshop.
- b. Personal answer.
 Example: I think Dr Woolley wants to destroy the machine because it proved to be too dangerous.

4.

- a. He made a copy of his mother's brooch in order to *offer it to Fiona.*
- b. Although the copies seemed to be identical, they were *the mirror image of each other.*
- c. He never made it to Fiona's house because *Mat Hodson was waiting outside for him.*

C.

- 1. He feels humiliated, mad, out of his mind and willing to seek revenge.
- 2. He decides to make a copy of himself, so that he would help him fight Mat.
- 3. Free/Personal answer.
- 4. Maybe things didn't turn out the way he expected them to.
 Perhaps the copy acted against him.
 The copy might have taken Mat's side.
 I believe his copy might have decided to get rid of him eventually.
- 5. Free/Personal answer.

D.

- 1. How alike or different are both Tim and his clone?

SIMILARITIES	DIFFERENCES	
The same jeans, jumper, and brown eyes. The same brain, knowledge and thoughts. The same strength and experience. They both loved Fiona.	Tim: a right hander; a little mole on the right; hair parted on one side.	The cloner: A left hander; A little mole on the left; hair parted on the opposite side.

- 2. How effective was Tim's plan? Justify.

And I might snap, one day just like that
 I decided to strike back and flatten every tire on the bike rack
 (Whosssssh) My first day in junior high, this kid said,
 "It's you and I, three o'clock sharp this afternoon you die"
 I looked at my watch it was one twenty
 "I already gave you my lunch money what more do you want from me?!?"
 He said, "Don't try to run from me, you'll just make it worse..."
 My palms were sweaty, and I started to shake at first
 Something told me, "Try to fake a stomach ache it works"
 I screamed, "Owww! My appendix feels like they could burst!
 Teacher, teacher, quick I need a naked nurse!"
 [T] "What's the matter?"
 [E] "I don't know, my leg, it hurts!"
 [T] "Leg?!? I thought you said it was your tummy?!?"
 [E] "Oh, I mean it is, but I also got a bummed knee!"
 [T] "Mr. Mathers, the fun and games are over.
 And just for that stunt, you're gonna get some extra homework."
 [E] "But don't you wanna give me after school detention?"
 [T] "Nah, that bully wants to beat your ass and I'ma let him."

Chorus: repeat 2X

Brain damage, ever since the day I was born
 Drugs is what they used to say I was on
 They say I never knew which way I was goin
 But everywhere I go they keep playin my song

[Eminem]

Brain damage..

Way before my baby daughter Hailey
 I was harassed daily by this fat kid named D'Angelo Bailey
 An eighth grader who acted obnoxious, cause his father boxes
 so everyday he'd shove me in the lockers
 One day he came in the bathroom while I was pissin
 And had me in the position to beat me into submission
 He banged my head against the urinal til he broke my nose,
 Soaked my clothes in blood, grabbed me and choked my throat
 I tried to plead and tell him, "We shouldn't beef"
 But he just wouldn't leave, he kept chokin me and I couldn't breathe
 He looked at me and said, "You gonna die honkey!"
 The principal walked in (What's going on in here?)
 and started helpin him stomp me
 I made them think they beat me to death
 Holdin my breath for like five minutes before they finally left
 Then I got up and ran to the janitor's storage booth
 Kicked the door hinge loose and ripped out the four inch screws
 Grabbed some sharp objects, brooms, and foreign tools
 "This is for every time you took my orange juice,
 or stole my seat in the lunchroom and drank my chocolate milk.
 Every time you tipped my tray and it dropped and spilt.
 I'm gettin you back bully! Now once and for good."
 I cocked the broomstick back and swung hard as I could
 and beat him over the head with it til I broke the wood
 Knocked him down, stood on his chest with one foot..
 .. Made it home, later that same day
 Started reading a comic, and suddenly everything became gray
 I couldn't even see what I was tryin to read
 I went deaf, and my left ear started to bleed
 My mother started screamin, "What are you on, drugs?!?
 Look at you, you're gettin blood all over my rug!" (Sorry!)
 She beat me over the head with the remote control
 opened a hole, and my whole brain fell out of my skull

I picked it up and screamed, "Look bitch, what have you done?!?"

[M] "Oh my God, I'm sorry son"

[E] "Shut up you cunt!" I said, "Fuck it!"

Took it and stuck it back up in my head

then I sewed it shut and put a couple of screws in my neck

poo-lalala

Chorus

[Eminem]

Brain damage..

It's brain damage..

I got brain damage..

It's brain damage..

It's probably brain damage..

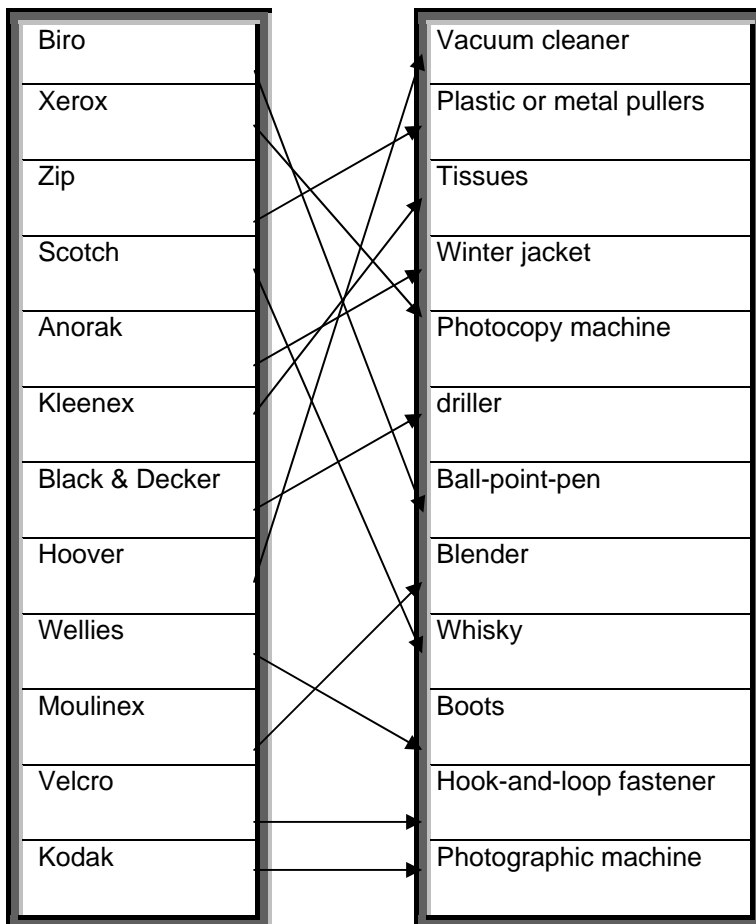
It's brain damage..

Brain damage..

I got brain damage..

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III. After Reading
Word Work

A.



B.

1. Self-warming Ice Cream Scoop	a) combination watch and lollipop holder. Keep ticking and take a licking.
2. Time Pop	b) honey, isn't it your turn to change the parakeet?
3. Santa Detector	c) it's got a little cavity to put in a bic lighter. Hot idea!
4. Bird Diaper	d) with recorded messages, it sounds like your dog is talking! Sort of.
5. Talking Dog Collar	e) it's a stocking with an alarm that sounds when the stocking is filled.

C.

1	2	3	4
a)	b)	c)	d)

D. Free answer.

E.

1.MIND THE GAP
2.BEWARE OF THE DOG
3.PICKPOCKETS
4.NO SMOKING
5.LOOK RIGHT
6.STAND ON THE RIGHT
7.QUIET PLEASE
8.EXIT
9.NO SWIMMING
10.NO TRESPASSING
11.NO FOOD ALLOWED
12.DON'T LEAVE YOUR LUGGAGE UNATTENDED

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Private properties
Museums / Underground...
Museums/ Libraries/Public institutions, ...
On the street
Escalators, ...
Libraries, Hospitals, Churches,...
Cinema, Theatre, Shopping Centres,...
Lakes, Fountains
Private Properties
Museums, Libraries, Public Institutions
Airports, Railway Stations

F. 1.

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