

## Primary Literacy Assessment - Sample Assessments – Answer Key

### No More Allowance

1. C
2. In this answer, the student needs to provide the word “commission” in the answer.
3. In this answer, the student must show that Todd has learned that, by working on commission he can make more money.
4. In this answer, the student needs to know that Todd was not feeling that great (confused) about the idea as it had not worked the way he thought it would.
5. C
6. In this answer the student needs to choose that it was a good idea or a bad idea and support with the why or why not. The support must make sense within the context of the story
7. B
8. In this answer, the student must give their opinion and support the opinion with a reason(s) that makes sense within the context of the story.

## Flash! Splash! Training a Deaf Polar Bear

1. D
2. In this answer, the student must identify that the zookeepers knew that a bear's ears twitch when you call its name or make loud noises, but Alaska's ears didn't do anything when they called her name.
3. A
4. In this answer, the student needs to know that the black skin soaks up heat from the sun.
5. In this answer, the student must identify that since Alaska was deaf, the loud circus noises didn't scare her so she became a calm and curious bear.
6. In this answer, the student must identify that wild polar bears live in the Arctic.
7. In this answer, the student is giving their own opinion with a why or why not. The support for their yes or no should make sense within the context of the story.