Answer Key to Password Readers

The Lost Mountain

Chapter 1

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(1) Uganda, Ethiopia, Rwanda, Tanzania, Kenya, Zaire

(2) 1. Egyptian  2. Kenyan  3. Ethiopian

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(4) 1. D  2. B  3. A  4. c

(5) artefact, excavate, evidence

(6) 1. I’m going to have
    2. we’re going to tell
    3. are going to go
    4. Are you going to tell
    5. is going to fail
    6. is going to be

(7) Dictionary search


Chapter 2

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(1) 1. at the ticket sales counter  2. in the departures lounge
    3. at the check-in counter  4. at the Arrivals section

(2) hostess, stopover, seatbelt, boarding card, captain, loudspeaker, overhead locker
    Tunnel, traffic lights, bridge, road, carriage, driver  road travel
    locomotive, tunnel  rail travel

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(3) 1. Heathrow  2. a mobile phone  3. fifteen  4. Air Ethiopia
    5. on board the 747  6. very green  7. Addis Ababa

(4) 1. d  2. c  3. b  4. a  5. e

(5) 1. a  2. b  3. d  4. c
Chapter 3

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1. e 2. b 3. c 4. a 5. d
2. c 2. d 3. a 4. b
3. maps 2. jungle 3. lightning
   4. a bit uncomfortable 5. afraid 6. engine
4. vegetarian / mysterious / gorilla / green / green / mist / cool / tree / dark
5. 1, 2, 4, 6, 7, 10
6. (from left to right): 2, 5, 1, 4, 3
8. d 2. b 3. a 4. c

Settings (pages 22–23)

(from left to right): 8, 4, 2, 1, 3, 5, 6, 7

Chapter 4

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1. hurts 2. headache 3. painful 4. stomach-ache
2. In the jungle
   2. Dead in the plane
   3. Some food and a first aid box
   4. Because the jungle can be a dangerous place
   5. Evening

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Chapter 5

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(1) 1. d  2. e  3. b  4. a  5. c
(2) 1. c  2. a  3. b  4. d

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(3) 1. His backpack.
    2. His Swiss army knife, his compass, the mosquito net, the torch.
    3. To see where they are.
    4. On the other side of the mountains.
    5. They have to walk north-east to the mountains, cross the mountains and walk to Fort Portal.
    6. A branch.
    7. On the branches of a Baobab tree.
    8. A small Pygmy boy.

(4) 1. b  2. d  3. f  4. g  5. a  6. c  7. e
(5) 1. a  2. d  3. e  4. c  5. b  6. g  7. j  8. i  9. h  10. f
(6) 1. d  2. f  3. b  4. c  5. a  6. e
(7) e, i, b, f, c, a, g, h, d
(8) Open
Chapter 6

pages 36–37

(1)  1. d  2. e  3. a  4. b  5. c

(2)  1. He is Ugandan.  
     2. In the jungle.  
     3. Yes, he is.  
     4. Morning.  
     5. In a clearing in the forest.  
     6. Because the Pygmy boy is not there with them.

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(4)  1. d  2. b  3. e  4. c  5. a

(5)  1. anxiously  2. doubtfully  3. desperately  4. slowly  5. quickly

(6)  1. Do you speak English?  
     2. I speak a little English.  
     3. You have a lot of problems.  
     4. You don’t know the forest.  
     5. You must go to the big mountains. There’s a lot of snow and it’s very cold.


(8)  1. much  2. many  3. much  4. many  5. much  6. much

Settings (pages 42–43)

(from left to right): 1, 5, 8, 2, 10, 6, 4, 7, 9, 3

Chapter 7

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

(2)  1. Inside a hut.  
     2. The Pygmy boy and his family.  
     3. Uncomfortable.  
     4. It is a safe place for the two friends.  
     5. No, there aren’t.
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(4) 1, 3, 5, 6, 9, 11

(5) 1. Bunches of sticks, large frames of sticks and creepers, big leaves.
2. They are made of branches and leaves.
3. Because it’s made of dry leaves.
4. In the ashes of the fire.

(6) Nuru: short hair, fit, young
Nuru’s grandfather: white hair, thin, wrinkled, clever, old

(7) 1. smells  2. look  3. sounds  4. feels
5. taste  6. looks/feels  7. tastes  8. looks

(8) 1. everyone  2. everywhere  3. everyone
4. everything  5. everything  6. everywhere

Chapter 8

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(1) 1. d  2. c  3. e  4. a  5. b  6. g  7. f

(2) (from top to bottom): 3, 2, 1, 4

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(3) 1. a legend  2. magic  3. climbers  4. a talisman  5. a bog

(4) Bog: mist, mud, bushes, thorny plants, heather
Jungle: creepers, leaves, canopy, trees, orchids
Glacier: snow, ice, rock, gravel, moss

(5) 1. soap  2. sponge  3. wool  4. mist  5. ice  6. dirt

(6) through / towards / across / through / round

(7) 1. F  2. T  3. F  4. T

(8) Open
Example: rabbit’s paw

Settings (pages 56–57)

(from left to right): 6, 8, 5, 4, 1 (upper), 7 (lower), 2, 3
Chapter 9

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(1) Verbs about light: shine, illuminate, shimmer
Verbs about voices: whistle, shout, cry, whisper

(2) 1. He is in a cave or tunnel.
2. It goes to the Crystal Mountain.
3. The people who live in the Crystal Mountain.
4. Because they don’t know him.

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(4) 1. f 2. a 3. b 4. e 5. c 6. d

(5) 1. c 2. d 3. b 4. e 5. f 6. a

(6) The one on the right

(7) 1. first 2. eighth 3. second
4. second 5. twenty-fifth 6. fourteenth

(8) 1. c 2. e 3. f 5. d 6. B

Chapter 10

pages 64–65

(1) Use your dictionary.

(2) 1. Ancient.
2. It’s night time.
3. In a palace or large room.
4. People from the ancient civilisation.

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(3) 1. torches 2. mud bricks 3. no people 4. a palace 5. an eagle
6. the leaders 7. European 8. never go out 9. obliges 10. worried

(4) 1. c 2. e 3. a 4. d 5. b

(5) 1. blue-eyed 2. white-haired 3. bushy-tailed
4. light-skinned 5. four-footed
Chapter 11

pages 74–75

(1) (from top to bottom): 1, 2, 3

(2) 1. e  2. f  3. a  4. b  5. c  6. d

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(4) Crystal Mountain: primitive, agricultural, spiritual, manual, peaceful
Own Society: sophisticated, technological, industrial, frenetic, materialistic

(5) None of them

(6) 1. can  2. mustn’t  3. can’t / can
4. have to  5. can  6. doesn’t have to

(7) e, a, b, c, f, d, g, h

Chapter 12

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(1) 1. a  2. c  3. e  4. b  5. d

(2) 1. They are walking in the mountains.
2. She’s very tired.
3. They are sleeping in a tent.
4. An old man is talking to them.

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(3) 1. the glacier  2. leg  3. Julie  4. Dr Mackenzie
5. radio  6. study  7. leave them in peace  8. dream

(4) 1. Leave them to live their life in peace.
2. He doesn’t want to disturb their peaceful way of life.
3. First they are confused, then they are happy.
4. Open. Sometimes progress destroys good things.

(5) 1. dogs 2. worm 3. stone 4. broth 5. basket


About the Story

The Land (page 83)

(2) 1. No.
2. No. It is the White Nile Basin.
3. Kenya is in the East, Congo is in the West.
4. Yes.
5. a. 75 cm  
   b. 200 cm

The People (page 86)


(2) Personal questions.

Rwenzori National Park (page 89)

(1) 1. In the south-west of Uganda.
2. Uganda and the Democratic Republic of Congo.
3. It is about 100 km long and 50 km wide.
4. About 10 million years old.
5. They are made of quartz and gneiss.
6. They are the most important group of snow mountains in the continent.
7. Different types of forests and alpine vegetation.
8. It means ‘the place where the rain comes from’.
9. He calls them ‘Mountains of the Moon’.
10. During the 19th century, many adventurers lost their lives trying to find these mountains.

(2) Project with a partner.

Not Only Glossary (pages 90–94)

(1) 1. ancient 2. low 3. clever 4. clumsy 5. dead
6. safe 7. a long way 8. loud 9. huge 10. late
(2) 1. creepers  2. trees  3. moss  4. ferns
      5. branches  6. roots  7. butterflies  8. monkeys

(3) desert / mountain / glacier / savannah / jungle / plain / river / can

(4) 1. knife  2. sleeping bag  3. tent  4. torch
    5. matches  6. boots/shoes  7. compass  8. water bottle