

5-for-5 Reading

Test One



Trapped

With a loud clunk, the light disappeared. Mr Fuzzles McCupcake watched in horror as his life flashed before his eyes. Images of tinned tuna, ear scratches and the patch in front of the window where the sun comes in taunted him mercilessly. He looked helplessly around at the dense nothingness that now surrounded him and let out a long, pitiful wail.

Fuzzles pondered about the events that had led to his inevitable doom. It had seemed so safe, so light, so warm. Yet, in an instance, it had all been snatched away from him. Calculating that it had been at least 30 minutes since his last meal, Fuzzles felt around his fur for signs that he might already be wasting away. Then, just as the last flicker of hope was ebbing away, he heard the most beautiful sound.

“Fuzz, stop making such a racket! What have I told you about not going into the wardrobe?”

1 What type of animal is Mr Fuzzles McCupcake?

2 How long had it been since Mr Fuzzles McCupcake had last eaten?

3

Find and copy one word or a group of words which shows that Mr Fuzzles McCupcake is making a lot of noise.

4

How did Mr Fuzzles McCupcake get trapped in the wardrobe?

Tick **one**.

He was too big to fit back through the door.

He got stuck inside a long coat.

The door had closed while he was inside.

He was looking for some tinned tuna.

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Do you think that Mr Fuzzles McCupcake will get trapped again? Use evidence from the text to support your prediction.

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