



Beginning Short Stories Answer Key

Reading Comprehension – Short Stories

Beginning Level:

<p>“My Friend”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> C A C B C B A 	<p>“My House”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> C B A B B A C 	<p>“Time to...”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> C C C A A C A C C B C 	<p>“My Family”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> B D C Paw C Carrie Rachel B
<p>“Rainy Day”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Mimi B C B C A, C 	<p>“A Call to the Pool”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> D B B Andrea A 	<p>“The Singing Bird”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> B B, D Blue Lily Black Lily 	<p>“Seeing Stars”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> B Red C At night B D D C
<p>“I Fly”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> C A C Answers may vary. (He doesn't like to be up high.) 	<p>“The Drive”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> B C B, C 3 Hours C, D A, C, D C C 	<p>“Zach’s Animals”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> B B, C White B Zach C 	<p>“Zach’s Animals” (continued)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> B, D A C Four

Beginning Level (continued):

<p>“Griffin’s Talents”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. C, D 2. A 3. A 4. B 5. A 6. B, D 7. C 8. D 9. C 	<p>“A Happy Visitor”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Anna 2. Thursday 3. C 4. A 5. B 6. A, C 7. Answers will vary. 	<p>“An Adventure”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. C 2. A dog 3. D 4. B 5. A 6. D 7. B 	<p>“Running”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Run. 2. B 3. A 4. C 5. Answers will vary. (Job, home, family, friends, world.)
<p>“Paul Cooks”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Cookbooks 2. His wife 3. D 4. Monday 5. Blueberries 6. C 7. C 8. A 9. Water 10. Tomato salad 	<p>“Bella Hides”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. B, D 2. C 3. Bella’s mom 4. D 5. D 6. B 7. A 8. B 9. Answers will vary. 	<p>“First Prize”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A, C 2. First Prize 3. B 4. At work 5. D 6. D 7. Blue 8. A, C 	<p>“What Number?”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. D 2. A, B, C 3. On the porch 4. C 5. D 6. C 7. B 8. A, C 9. B 10. A 11. 22 12. C
<p>“The Interview”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. C 2. D 3. C 4. B 5. D 6. D 7. A 8. D 9. B 	<p>“Julian’s Work”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. B 2. Unload boxes 3. A 4. 2 5. C 6. Fact 7. Fiction 8. D 9. B 10. A 11. C 12. A 	<p>“Talia’s Special Day”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. D 2. A 3. C 4. B 5. C 6. C 7. Her sister 8. 25 9. D 10. B 	<p>“One Hundred Dollars”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A 2. B, D 3. B 4. Winter 5. A, B, D 6. He is hungry.

Beginning Level (continued):

“One Hundred Dollars” (continued)	“New Shoes for Maddy”	“The 20”	“Big City Noise”
7. C 8. C 9. C 10. C 11. B 12. C 13. C	1. D 2. B 3. C 4. B 5. D 6. A 7. A 8. B 9. D 10. A, B 11. A	1. B, D 2. 9 3. C 4. A, C 5. B 6. D 7. In the morning 8. C 9. B, C 10. A tool kit 11. B 12. D	1. In a big city 2. B, D 3. D 4. C 5. B, D 6. C 7. D 8. D 9. A 10. Mr. Lucas 11. B 12. D 13. D