

NUMBER 7 • BONUS STORY

Anak anjing di pantai

A rainy Saturday at Sari's home. Intan wants to cycle with her friend Putri, but Maya is at work. Intan talks about family holidays by the sea and the puppy she wants.

ANSWER KEY

LISTENING & UNDERSTANDING

L1) WHO SAID IT?: 1a, 2b, 3b

L2) RIGHT OR WRONG?: 1a, 2a, 3a, 4b, 5b

L3) WHAT HAPPENED FIRST?: 1: 13524

L4) UNDERSTAND THE STORY: 1a, 2a, 3b

Translation

A rainy Saturday morning at Sari's. Rain runs down the living-room window.

It's Saturday. It's raining outside, and it's very cold.

Intan is sitting at the window. She's ten. Today she's not happy.

- Grandma, why is it raining again? Today Putri and I want to ride our bikes to the park!

Putri is Intan's best friend from school. She has a puppy.

○ By bike? Not today, Intan. It's too cold. And it's windy outside.

■ But I've got a raincoat! I don't need the sun!

○ You've got a raincoat. But the bike hasn't.

○ Today you can draw, or help me. I'm making pancakes.

The landlady's phone rings. It is Maya, Intan's mother, calling from work.

▲ Hi, Intan. I'm sorry, I'm working again today. Until this evening.

■ Again? Mum, you're always working! Even on Saturday!

▲ I know. But I have to help people. Are you and Grandma making pancakes?

■ Yes. Mum, come this evening! There are lots of pancakes.

In the kitchen, Intan draws the sea, the sun and sand.

■ Look, Grandma! Every holiday our whole family goes to the sea.

■ It's hot there, and Mum doesn't work. She's with us all day!

■ In the morning we swim. The sea is colder than the lake, but I'm not afraid.

■ I can swim better than Mum!

○ And your brother?

- He's still too little. He can't swim. He just eats sand!
- After lunch we build a sandcastle. Every year it is bigger!
- In the evening it's windy by the sea, so Mum always says: 'Intan, your hat! And your jacket!'
- Your mum is right. In the evening by the sea you need warm clothes.
- But I'm never cold by the sea!
- Never? Last year you were as blue as the sea!
- I wasn't! Well... only a little.

Intan turns the page and draws a small brown dog with big ears.

- Grandma, look: a puppy! Like Putri's. I really want a puppy!
- A puppy? And Miko? Miko doesn't like dogs.
- Miko lives here. And the puppy can live in our flat!
- And who looks after it? Your parents work, and you're at school.
- I know how to look after animals! I look after Miko every day!
- No, Intan. Miko looks after you.

On the windowsill the grey tomcat opens one eye, looks at the drawing of the dog, and turns his back on it.

- Mum says: 'A dog needs time, and I don't have time.'
- That's true. Your mum works a lot, that's why she's tired.
- That's why I want to be a painter. A painter works at home and can look after a puppy!
- A painter? Not a teacher, like your grandma?
- No! Teachers always say 'later'.
- I never say 'later'. I say: 'Now!'

Afternoon. The rain stops, and the sun comes out over the wet roofs.

- Grandma, the sun! Can I ride my bike now?
- You can. But with a hat and a scarf, because it's still cold outside.
- Putri! It is sunny! Come to the park with the puppy!

Evening. Maya comes into the kitchen, tired, with a wet umbrella.

- Mum! In the morning there was rain, then sun. Putri's puppy is my friend now!
- ▲ And you want a puppy again, don't you?
- Yes. But during the holiday at the seaside! It is better there than in town.

▲ Maybe, Intan. Maybe.

Miko looks at the puppy in Intan's sketchbook. He doesn't like it at all.