

SCENE 24 • NUMBER 7

Il-ġurdien

Later that morning at the office, your bag is heavy. You open it, and Ċikku jumps out onto your desk. Tonio jumps onto his chair.

ANSWER KEY

LISTENING & UNDERSTANDING

L1) WHO SAYS IT: 1b

L2) WHAT DOES IT MEAN: 1a

L3) HOW DO YOU SAY IT: 1c

L4) PUT THE WORDS IN ORDER: Għar-regoli. Dan il-qattus għandu bżonn regoli.

L5) WHAT HAPPENS FIRST: 1: 21453

Words: Il-ġurdien

VOCABULARY & WRITING

W1) WHAT DOES IT MEAN?: 1a, 2a, 3a, 4a, 5b, 6b

W2) A HEAVY BAG: 1: borża, 2: tqila, 1: lura, 1: Wara, 2: quddiem, 1: importanti, 1: rigal, 2: ġurdien

W3) WHERE ARE MY GLASSES?: 1: dejjem, 2: ġol-borża, 3: wara, 4: Agħtini

W4) IN THE OFFICE: 1h, 2a, 3c, 4d, 5e, 6g, 7b, 8f

Grammar: Hu, iftaħ, ejja!

GRAMMAR

G1) FIND THE WORDS: 1) Poġġi, 2) ejja, 3) Hu, 4) Hares, 5) kulu, 6) isimġu, 7) Ifthu, aqraw, 8) Stennew

G2) ONE PERSON OR SEVERAL?: 1c, 2a, 3b, 4c, 5a, 6c, 7a, 8b, 9a, 10a

G3) TAKE, COME, EAT: 1a, 2a, 3b, 4c, 5a, 6c, 7a, 8b, 9b, 10c

G4) A BUSY MORNING: 1: Ejja, 2: Hares, 1: Agħtini, 1: Hu, 2: aqra, 1: Stenna, 2: poġġi, 1: oqogħdu, 2: isimġu

G5) PUT THE WORDS IN ORDER: Poġġi l-qattus lura fil-borża!, Ċikku, ejja hawn, jekk jogħġbok!, Hu l-qattus minn hawn, malajr!, Agħtini karta u pinna, jekk jogħġbok., Ella, Ġorġ, ħarsu: Ċikku fuq il-printer!, Ifthu l-bieb, jekk jogħġbok: Ċikku jrid joħroġ., Ella, Ġorġ: agħtu l-ġurdien lil Tonio!, Ejjew, kulu l-kejk u ħudu t-te., Stennew ffit, u araw!, Oqogħdu hawn u isimġu.

G6) THE RIGHT WORDS: 1b, 2a, 3b, 4a, 5a, 6a, 7c

G7) DO IT!: 1a, 2c, 3b, 4f, 5d, 6g, 7e, 8h

Translation

At the office. You put your heavy bag on your desk.

- Good morning. Why is your bag so heavy? What have you got in the bag?

Ċikku jumps out of your bag onto your desk. Tonio jumps up onto his chair.

- A cat! No, no, no!
- Sorry, Mr Tonio! I know you're afraid of cats.
- Put the cat back in the bag! Quickly!

Ċikku has vanished.

- Where is he?
- Behind the computer! No, in front of the printer! No, on my desk!
- Ċikku, come here, please!
- He isn't coming! Take the cat out of here! At eleven I have an important meeting with the boss!

Ċikku runs off with Tonio's computer mouse in his mouth.

■ My mouse!

○ Ċikku, not that mouse! Come back!

Ċikku comes back and drops the mouse at Tonio's feet, very proud.

○ Look, Mr Tonio! Ċikku has a present for you.

For the first time, Tonio doesn't scream.

■ Thank you...?

○ Ċikku says: you're welcome.

■ All right. Give me some paper, please. And a pen.

○ What for?

■ For rules. This cat needs rules.

○ Rules for Ċikku? But Ċikku doesn't read!

He uncaps the pen.

■ No need. I read, and he listens.

Ċikku runs off with Tonio's computer mouse, and comes back, and drops it at his feet like a present. For the first time, Tonio does not scream. "...Thank you?" Then he asks for paper and a pen: the cat needs rules.