

SCENE 31 • NUMBER 7

Tag din paraply

Tuesday, a bright, warm morning. You come down in a T-shirt. Karen stands at the door with an umbrella. "You must take it." Findus doesn't want to go out, and that means rain: the best forecast in town. Sofie says Karen is always right. Almost always.

ANSWER KEY

LISTENING & UNDERSTANDING

L1) WHO SAYS IT: 1a, 2a

L2) WHAT DOES IT MEAN: 1a, 2b

L3) HOW DO YOU SAY IT: 1c, 2c

L4) PUT THE WORDS IN ORDER: Godmorgen! Det er varmt i dag, ikke?, Hvordan ved du det?

L5) WHAT HAPPENS FIRST: 1: 54123

Words: Tag din paraply

VOCABULARY & WRITING

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

W2) COMPLETE THE CONVERSATION: 1: Godmorgen, 1: På, 1: Tag,
1: Men, 1: Findus

W3) GOOD MORNING, SOFIE! IT'S SUNNY TODAY!: 1: Godmorgen,
2: Sol, 3: Åh, 4: Det

W4) COMPLETE THE CONVERSATION: 1: Godmorgen, 1: På, 1: Tag,
1: Men, 1: Findus

Grammar: Det regner / i morgen

GRAMMAR

G1) NOTICE THE PATTERN: 1) Det, 2) koldt, 3) varmt, 4) tager

G2) CHOOSE THE DANISH FORM: 1b, 2a, 3b, 4a, 5a, 6b

G3) COMPLETE A MESSAGE: 1: Det, 1: koldt, 1: varmt, 1: tager, 1:
skinner, 1: blæser

G4) BUILD A SENTENCE: Det er koldt., Det er varmt., I morgen
tager jeg paraplyen., Det blæser i dag.

G5) WHAT WOULD YOU SAY?: 1b, 2a, 3a, 4a

G6) CONNECT MESSAGES AND MEANINGS: 1b, 2c, 3a, 4d, 5f, 6e

Translation

■ Good morning. Where are you going without an umbrella?

○ To work. But it is lovely! Sunshine, twenty degrees.

■ Take your umbrella today.

○ But there are no clouds. No wind either!

■ Findus is staying indoors. That means rain.

○ Findus is your weather forecast?

■ Exactly. He is almost always right.

○ Thank you, but I do not need an umbrella today.

■ As you wish.

Outside, Sofie is putting the café tables out on the pavement.

▲ Good morning! It is hot today, isn't it?

○ Yes. Even so, Karen says to take an umbrella...

▲ Karen is always right. Well, almost always.

▲ Where is Findus? His place at the window is empty.

○ He is staying at home today.

▲ Oh, then you need an umbrella.

Findus sits on the windowsill, perfectly dry, looking at the sky.

Half past five. You come home soaked to the skin. Karen is already at the door with a towel.

○ You were right, Karen. It is raining. I am completely wet.

■ I can see that. Here is a towel.

○ Thank you. Tomorrow I will take the umbrella.

■ You do not need it tomorrow. Then the sun will shine.

○ How do you know?

■ Findus.

You don't take it. At half past five you come home soaked, and she is at the door with a towel. "I know." Tomorrow: sun, says Findus. Next morning you take the umbrella, and the sun shines. Findus follows you all the way to the office.