

NUMBER 7 · BONUS STORY

अर्जुन का सपना

A Saturday evening in Arjun's little flat under the roof. His mother calls from far away, his friends come round to play, and nobody downstairs is asleep for long.

ANSWER KEY

LISTENING & UNDERSTANDING

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

L2) WHAT HAPPENED FIRST?: 1: 321

L3) UNDERSTAND THE STORY: 1a, 2b, 3b

Translation

It is evening. Arjun's flat is small.

A trumpet is on the table. Moti is on the bed.

■ Moti, are you hungry?

Arjun's phone rings. It is his mother.

■ Hello, Mum!

○ How are you? Do you have work?

■ Yes. I am a musician.

○ You need a real job. Your friend is an engineer. His mother is happy.

■ Mum, I am happy too.

○ Do you have a table? A bed? A sofa?

■ I have a table and a bed. The sofa is in my neighbour's bathroom.

○ In the bathroom? Arjun!

■ Everything is fine. Good night.

Arjun looks at the trumpet. Moti sleeps.

■ Moti, you have no job either.

The door opens. Two friends arrive.

▲ Hello! We are here.

● I have a drum. Music first!

■ There is a new song. Listen.

Arjun plays. His friends listen.

▲ A very good song!

■ Quietly. The neighbours downstairs are sleeping.

● The new neighbour too?

■ Yes. From Germany. An engineer.

▲ Their mother must be happy! What is your dream?

■ A big band. We play every evening. Everyone is happy.

● We are happy too. Play!

It is midnight. A light comes on downstairs.

☐ Excuse me. It is midnight!

☒ Sorry. No more music now.

Moti sleeps. He likes the music.