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English I

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B. Answer these questions.

1. "You can't be afraid of the dark. Owls are never afraid of the dark."

a. Who said these words?

Ans. Plop's mother, Mrs Barn Owl said these words.

b. Who was afraid of the dark?

Ans. Plop, the baby barn owl, was afraid of the dark.

c. Why did the speaker say that owls are never afraid of the dark?

Ans. Mrs Barn Owl said that owls are never afraid of the dark because owls are night birds. Therefore, they cannot be afraid of the dark.

2. "Oh yes, DARK IS EXCITING!"

a. Who said these words and to whom?

Ans. The Little Boy said these words to Plop, the baby barn owl.

b. Why did the speaker find darkness exciting?

Ans. The Little Boy found darkness exciting because it was only during the night - against the darkness - that he could watch the display of firework.

c. What did the speaker do after this?

Ans. After this, the little Boy told Plop about the different

kinds of fireworks and how they go up in the air and fills the sky with coloured stars. He also told them how some burst into showers of stars and leave bright trails of squiggles behind.

3. "That must have been quite a landing!"

a. Who said these words and to whom?

Ans. Mr. Barn Owl said these words to Plop.

b. When did the speaker say these words?

Ans. Mr. Barn Owl said these words when he was watching the display of fireworks with Plop and Mrs Barn Owl from the top of a tree.

c. Why did the speaker say these words?

Ans. Mr. Barn Owl said these words because Plop described the way he landed on the ground from the tree, while going to meet the Little Boy. While flying down from the tree, Plop somersaulted past the Little Boy so fast that the Little Boy thought he was a fireworks - a Catherine - wheels.