

# New Treasure Plus (Second Edition) 2B

## Challenging reading and comprehension

### Answer key

#### Comprehension 1

- 1 alone  
snoozing/slumbering/dozing/sleeping
- 2 i) F  
ii) T  
iii) NG  
iv) NG
- 3 snooze, hibernate, slumber, catch some Zs, doze off
- 4 I think bears hibernate in the winter because it is hard for them to find food, so they sleep to save energy. According to the text, bears sleep when 'food is scarce'.
- 5 B
- 6 a koala
- 7 to see which animal sleeps the most/battle of the sleepiest
- 8 i) a green slimy plant  
ii) Algae on a sloth's fur helps it to camouflage, or blend in, with the surrounding forest.
- 9 i) because only half their brain sleeps at a time  
ii) I think the purpose of this behaviour is so that dolphins can stay alert for any danger even when they are sleeping. (*any reasonable answer*)
- 10 i) B  
ii) D  
iii) A  
iv) C
- 11 to introduce the TV programme and encourage readers to watch it (*any reasonable answer*)