

Answer key

Comprehension 2

- 1 in a forest
- 2 The bear feels nervous/afraid/scared in paragraph 1. It says that something is making its 'hair stand on end'.
- 3 i) dappled
ii) serene
iii) halted
iii) amiss
- 4 the two men
- 5 bear
clumsily
- 6 i) white fur stuck to some bark
ii) chew marks on a tree
- 7 It might want to demonstrate to other bears that it is using the river for fishing so that other bears won't come near it and fight for the fish. (*any reasonable answer*)
- 8 because she thought the humans inside the cabin killed the bear the rug was made from and so they might kill her too (*any reasonable answer*)
- 9 i) their white fur
ii) because their white fur makes it difficult for them to hide in the forest, so hunters can easily see them (*any reasonable answer*)
- 10 to show why the bear is afraid of humans (*any reasonable answer*)
- 11 A
- 12 The men are likely wildlife photographers/filmmakers. They are carrying cameras with them while they search for the bear.
- 12 D
- 13 3
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