

Answers

Test 18: Comprehension

- 1 A sound from an old metal bottle top on the wooden floorboard made Jim look under the bed.
- 2 Jim felt worried or scared (1 mark) because he realised that he was not alone in the house (1 mark).
- 3 1 mark each for any four of the following words: large, black, old, dusty, cold, soft, leather, heavy, full.
- 4 Jim felt scared or nervous before opening the suitcase (1 mark) as the text says 'Jim's hands and head felt hot and his heart was racing' (1 mark).
- 5 1 mark each for any of the following four answers: there were bags of coins; there were bundles of notes; the money was not modern; the money was old like Jim had seen on television programmes.