

English

KS1

2016

Year 2 Reading Assessment Marking Scheme for Paper 1

Honeybees

question	answer	marks	notes
1.	What are honeybees? Tick one box.		
	insects	1	Content domain: 1a - draw on knowledge of vocabulary to understand texts. Award 1 mark for the correct option indicated.
2.	Name the three parts of the honeybee's body.		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • head • thorax • abdomen 	1	Content domain: 1a - draw on knowledge of vocabulary to understand texts. Award 1 mark for all three parts: head, thorax and abdomen.
3.	Name one place where you might find a hive.		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a hole in a tree • a hole in a wall • a man-made hive box 	1	Content domain: 1b - identify and explain key aspects of fiction and non-fiction texts, such as characters, events, titles and information. Award 1 mark for any of the answers indicated.
4.	What is the honeycomb created from?		
	The honeycomb is created from a special wax the bees make.	1	Content domain: 1b - identify and explain key aspects of fiction and non-fiction texts, such as characters, events, titles and information. Award 1 mark for an answer that refers to the honeycomb being made from beeswax.
5.	Write two facts about worker bees.		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Most bees are worker bees. • They are all female. • It is their job to build and repair the hive. • They look after the eggs. • They look after the newly-hatched bees. • They go looking for nectar. 	1	Content domain: 1b - identify and explain key aspects of fiction and non-fiction texts, such as characters, events, titles and information. Award 1 mark for any two of the answers indicated.

6.	What is a colony?		
	A colony is a group of honeybees living together.	1	<p>Content domain: 1b - identify and explain key aspects of fiction and non-fiction texts, such as characters, events, titles and information.</p> <p>Award 1 mark for an answer that refers to a colony being a group of bees living together.</p>
7.	Write one fact about drone bees.		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • These are all male. • Their only job is to help the queen to produce eggs. • In winter, the female bees make the drones leave the hive. The drones then die! 	1	<p>Content domain: 1b - identify and explain key aspects of fiction and non-fiction texts, such as characters, events, titles and information.</p> <p>Award 1 mark for any of the answers indicated.</p>
8.	Where do the bees store the nectar after collecting it from the flowers?		
	in a special stomach	1	<p>Content domain: 1b - identify and explain key aspects of fiction and non-fiction texts, such as characters, events, titles and information.</p> <p>Award 1 mark for the answer [they store] it in a special stomach.</p>
9.	What is special about the honeybee?		
	The honeybee is the only insect in the world that can make food that people eat.	1	<p>Content domain: 1b - identify and explain key aspects of fiction and non-fiction texts, such as characters, events, titles and information.</p> <p>Award 1 mark for an answer that refers to the honeybee being the only insect to produce food that humans eat.</p>
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