Find the Text Evidence — Answer Guide

Grade 4 | Reading comprehension | FR-008

Suggested answers. Accept accurate equivalent responses, especially for open-ended questions.

1. On which day did the reading club meet? Quote the evidence.

Answer: Tuesday. Evidence: 'Every Tuesday, the library opened half an hour early for the reading club.'

2. Describe the object using two details from the passage.

Answer: A smooth, dark stone with tiny white marks.

3. What did Lena first predict?

Answer: That the stone came from a beach.

4. What did Omar predict?

Answer: That it had come from a volcano.

5. What tool did Mr Patel give the club?

Answer: Magnifying glasses.

6. Did Mr Patel reveal the correct answer? Give evidence.

Answer: No. Evidence: 'he did not tell them who was correct.'

7. How many observations did each reader need to record?

Answer: Two observations.

8. What else did each reader need to write?

Answer: One question.

9. Which line shows that Lena became less certain?

Answer: 'I need more evidence before I decide.'

10. Explain why an observation is different from a prediction.

Answer: An observation describes what you notice; a prediction suggests what you think might be true.