David and the Great Detective
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Before Reading Activities

Pages 6-7

1 1 factory, 2 streetlamp, 3 restaurant, 4 tennis racket, 5 old van, 6 wire fence, 7 terraced houses, 8 bicycle

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1 a) 4, b) 5, c) 6, d) 8,

1 a) 1, b) 7, c) 2, d) 3,

5 a) Holly, b) Joe, c) Jack, d) Zadie, e) David

6 a) David is standing under a streetlamp.
   b) Jack is delivering newspapers.
   c) Zadie has got a dog.
   d) Joe can ride a bike.
   e) Holly likes tennis.

After Reading Activities

Understanding the Story
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1 a) David is late for his maths lesson. True.
   b) Jack can’t find his bike. True.
   c) A gang of boys are stealing bikes. True.
   d) David sees Jack’s bike at an old factory. True.
   e) The gang are spraying the bikes red. False.
   f) Holly, Zadie and Jack hit the gang with footballs. False.
   g) Holly, Zadie and Jack rescue David. True.
2 Complete the paragraph about David Delgado.

David Delgado is a detective. He lives in New York. One dark cold/snowy night, he has a meeting with a man called Harry. He waits near a streetlamp for him but he doesn’t arrive. Then Mickey Malone, the King of Crime arrives in a long white limo. Mickey Malone doesn’t like David. He has got a gun and he is pointing it at David. Quickly, David throws a stone at the light and the street goes black. David runs away. Three big men follow him.

Vocabulary

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1 a) 2, b) 4, c) 1, d) 3

3 Jack: You can’t do anything right. You’re useless.
   Zadie: I don’t understand. I’m confused.
   Holly: Look! He’s over there by that rusty old wire fence.
   David: Holly’s crying. I think she’s upset.
   David Delgado: Mickey Malone is a big guy. In fact, he’s huge.
   Mickey Malone: Everybody’s terrified of me. I don’t know why!


Grammar

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Practise the Present Continuous.

1 1 A paper boy is delivering newspapers.
   2 David is dreaming.
   3 David is writing.
   4 Jack is running.
   5 Zadie is cycling.
   6 Jack is hitting tennis balls.

Practise the Present Simple.

2  a) She is an astronaut. She flies a space craft.
   b) She is a nurse. She works in a hospital.
c) He is a detective. He solves mysteries.
d) He is a cowboy. He rides a horse.
e) They are explorers. They travel to distant lands.

**Practise asking questions.**

3 You are a detective and you are interviewing the red-haired boy.

*(Possible answers.)*

Detective: *What’s your name?*
Boy: My name’s Joe.

Detective: *How old are you?*
Boy: I’m fifteen years old.

Detective: *Where do you live?*
Boy: I live on Green Park housing estate.

Detective: *What school do you go to?*
Boy: I go to Park Lane High School.

Detective: *Have you got brothers and sisters?*
Boy: Yes, I’ve got two brothers and a sister.

Detective: *Have you got a bike?*
Boy: No, I haven’t got a bike.

Detective: *Do you recognize this bike?*
Boy: No, I don’t recognize that bike.

Detective: OK, …… . Thank you. That’s all for now.

**Test**

**Pages 62-63**

1 a) 1, b) 3, c) 2, d) 2, e) 1

2 a) 1, b) 2, c) 3, d) 2, e) 1