

LISTENING ACTIVITY 3/4

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KEY

PART 1

EXERCISE 1

- 1. arrived
- 2. lying
- **3.** temperature
- 4. eyes
- **5.** wrong

- 6. needed
- 7. treat
- 8. happened
- 9. hoped

QUICK QUIZ!

EXERCISE 2

fish, sheep information furniture equipment



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PART 2

Tapescript

Luckily most animals don't want to hurt you—even big ones. I think they know that you're trying to help them. But it's often difficult to understand why an animal is ill. One day a farmer called Phin called me because six calves were ill. We called him 'Happy Phin' because he smiled a lot, but he wasn't smiling that day—he was very worried. When I saw the calves, I understood why. They were walking into the walls of their barn. They couldn't see anything!

I was surprised when I examined the animals because their eyes looked OK. But why couldn't they see? Then I had an idea.

'I think they've eaten something poisonous,' I told Phin.

'That's not possible,' he said. 'they haven't eaten any poisonous plants because they haven't been outside, and there's nothing poisonous in here. We've kept calves in this barn for thirty years, and nothing like this has happened before.'

(from Chapter 6)

EXERCISE 3

- **1.** F
- **2.** T
- **3.** F

- **4.** T
- **5.** F
- **6.** F

QUICK QUIZ!

EXERCISE 4

- 1. poisonous
- 2. dangerous
- 3. difficult

- **4.** ill
- **5.** thirsty
- **6.** hungry