

# Answer Key

## Before You Read

- I. **Work with your classmates. What do these words make you think of? Write as much as you can to fill in the blanks.**

(Answers may vary, and sample answers are given.)

### Animals

Strong, Can bite, Smart, Pets

### Jungle

Trees, Monkeys, Hot, Dangerous

### Humans

Clever, Can speak, Boys and girls, Hunt

- II. **Scan through the book and answer the following.**

1. a. The Man Cub  
b. The Pack Decides  
c. A Warning for Mowgli  
d. Mowgli Goes to the Village  
e. Mowgli Leaves the Village
2. a. Kipling, characters  
b. thorn, places  
c. creature, people  
d. pot, actions  
e. cub, groups

## [ Chapter 1 ] The Man Cub

- I. **Put the sentences in order from 1 (first) to 5 (last).**

5, 3, 1, 4, 2

- II. **Choose the best answer.**

1. d      2. a      3. c      4. b

- III. **Write the correct word in each blank.**

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|-----------|-----------|
| 1. awake  | 2. hunt   |
| 3. jackal | 4. jungle |
| 5. cub    | 6. deer   |
| 7. Cattle | 8. moment |
| 9. tiger  | 10. wolf  |

- IV. **Complete the summary by writing the correct word in each blank.**

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|---------------|----------|
| 1. visited    | 2. found |
| 3. brought    | 4. cave  |
| 5. Shere Khan |          |

## [ Chapter 2 ] The Pack Decides

- I. **Are these sentences correct? Write “T” for true and “F” for false.**

1. T      2. F      3. T      4. T      5. F

- II. **Choose the best answer.**

1. c      2. b      3. a      4. d

- III. **Match the word or phrase with the meaning used in the chapter.**

1. b	2. e	3. a	4. c
5. f	6. d	7. i	8. h
9. j	10. g		

- IV. **Write the sentences in the correct order.**

1. Shere Khan, the tiger, wanted to eat the Man’s cub.
2. Mother and Father Wolf would not let him have it.
3. They called the Man’s cub Mowgli.
4. Mowgli became a member of the pack.

## [ Chapter 3 ] A Warning for Mowgli

- I. **Put the sentences in order from 1 (first) to 5 (last).**

4, 5, 3, 1, 2

- II. **Choose the best answer.**

1. a      2. c      3. d      4. b

- III. **Circle the correct word.**

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|-------------|-----------|
| 1. branches | 2. climb  |
| 3. thorn    | 4. trust  |
| 5. weak     | 6. pot    |
| 7. village  | 8. cattle |
| 9. jungle   | 10. name  |

- IV. **Complete the summary by writing the correct word in each blank.**

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|---------|---------------|
| 1. wolf | 2. Bagheera’s |
| 3. told | 4. trust      |
| 5. fire |               |

## [ Chapter 4 ] The Red Flower

I. Are these sentences correct? Write “T” for true and “F” for false.

1. T      2. F      3. F      4. T      5. T

II. Choose the best answer.

1. a      2. b      3. d      4. d

III. Write the correct word or phrase in each blank.

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|-------------|-----------|
| 1. dream    | 2. awake  |
| 3. hut      | 4. weak   |
| 5. strong   | 6. leader |
| 7. trust    | 8. fire   |
| 9. be quiet | 10. fight |

IV. Write the sentences in the correct order.

1. Mowgli went to the village to get fire.
2. There was a meeting of the pack to choose a new leader because Akela was weak.
3. Akela wanted to know which of the wolves wanted him to die.
4. Shere Khan wanted the wolves to give Mowgli to him.

## [ Chapter 5 ] Mowgli Leaves the Pack

I. Put the sentences in order from 1 (first) to 5 (last).

- 1, 4, 3, 2, 5

II. Choose the best answer.

1. d      2. b      3. c      4. a

III. Match the word or phrase with the meaning used in the chapter.

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|------|-------|------|------|
| 1. b | 2. f  | 3. e | 4. a |
| 5. c | 6. d  | 7. j | 8. h |
| 9. g | 10. i |      |      |

IV. Complete the summary by writing the correct word in each blank.

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|------------|-----------|
| 1. tried   | 2. leader |
| 3. used    | 4. save   |
| 5. goodbye |           |

## [ Chapter 6 ] Mowgli Goes to the Village

I. Are these sentences correct? Write “T” for true and “F” for false.

1. F      2. T      3. F      4. T      5. F

II. Choose the best answer.

1. a      2. d      3. b      4. c

III. Circle the correct word.

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|-------------|------------|
| 1. talk     | 2. bite    |
| 3. fed      | 4. priest  |
| 5. creature | 6. money   |
| 7. bread    | 8. village |
| 9. hut      | 10. grass  |

IV. Write the sentences in the correct order.

1. Mowgli went to a village.
2. A priest told a woman that Mowgli was her son.
3. The woman gave Mowgli bread to eat.
4. One of Mowgli’s friends from the pack came to give him news about Shere Khan.

## [ Chapter 7 ] The Trap

I. Put the sentences in order from 1 (first) to 5 (last).

- 2, 4, 1, 5, 3

II. Choose the best answer.

1. b      2. d      3. c      4. a

III. Write the correct word in each blank.

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|-------------|-------------|
| 1. nonsense | 2. herd     |
| 3. trick    | 4. ravine   |
| 5. ghost    | 6. months   |
| 7. clothes  | 8. hide     |
| 9. leader   | 10. divided |

IV. Complete the summary by writing the correct word in each blank.

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|------------|-------------|
| 1. village | 2. listened |
| 3. men     | 4. cattle   |
| 5. tricked |             |

**[ Chapter 8 ] Mowgli Leaves the Village**

**I. Are these sentences correct? Write “T” for true and “F” for false.**

1. F      2. F      3. T      4. T      5. T

**II. Choose the best answer.**

1. c      2. a      3. b      4. d

**III. Circle the correct word.**

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|-------------|-------------|
| 1. skinning | 2. beating  |
| 3. reward   | 4. magician |
| 5. servant  | 6. lonely   |
| 7. knife    | 8. boy      |
| 9. wanted   | 10. keeping |

**IV. Write the sentences in the correct order.**

1. Mowgli skinned the tiger.
2. The villagers did not trust Mowgli and made him leave.
3. Mowgli went back to the jungle.
4. The wolves wanted Mowgli to be their leader, but he decided to hunt alone.

**After You Read**

**I. Read the clues and number the boxes from 1 (first) to 6 (last).**

- a. 1      b. 2      c. 4      d. 5      e. 3      f. 6