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CHAPTER EIGHTEEN - READING RESOURCES

Reading Skill	Activity
Retrieval	What time did Poppy wake up? (p131) 9.30am
	How long had the fairies been in Diddlesdale Woods? (p132) About 90 years.
	Why could Poppy and Lord Ted not visit the queen before their trip to the lake district? (p132) The queen was still too shaken after the robbery.
	Find and copy the tasks that Grandpa and Nanny said they needed to do before they left. (p132) Packing, shopping for the holiday, the garden to get straight and the cleaning.
	Who came to visit Poppy, Nanny and Grandpa? What was the reason for their visit? (p133) Poppy's Mum and Dad came to visit to bring some more clothes and bits for her holiday.
	What was the name of today's newsreader? (p133) Sophie
	Find and copy the list of items that were still missing. (p133) A quantity of gold, three crowns, two robes, four rings, a sceptre, secular and alter plates.
	What are the names of the missing robbers? (p133) Raymond and Reginald Pearson
	Which colour did each character have in the game of Ludo? (p134) Nanny – Green; Grandpa – Blue; Poppy – Red
	Where had the family been invited the following day? Who had invited them? (p134) They had been invited to dinner in the private dining room at The Greedy Duckling. Mary Underberry had invited them.
	What was the secret that Nanny & Grandpa were keeping from Poppy? (p135) That the Duke and Duchess of Cambridge were also going to be joining them for dinner.
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Inference	Why did Poppy not tell her parents about the robbery? (p133)
	How would you feel if you were about to meet members of the Royal Family?
Summary	Write a summary of the chapter in less than 40 words.
Prediction	Why do you think Poppy, Grandpa and Nanny had been invited to dinner by Mary Underberry? (p134)
Author	Can you think of a synonym for:
	Initial (p132)
	Various (p132)
	Quantity (p133)
	Minimal (p133)
	Why does the author refer to Nanny as m 'lady on page 135?



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CHAPTER EIGHTEEN - OTHER CURRICULUM AREA ACTIVITIES

Activity	Curriculum Area
Create a menu fit for a queen – well a Duke and Duchess.	DT
Write a letter to the Duke and Duchess of Cambridge thanking them for inviting you to dinner.	English
Research either the Duke or Duchess of Cambridge and write a biography about them.	English History
Research the crown jewels.	History
Where are they kept? Who looks after them? Some items from the royal collection were still missing. (p133) A quantity of gold, three crowns, two robes, four rings, a sceptre, secular and alter plates – what are the significance of these items?	
What can you find out about each crown that is designed for the new monarch?	

