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1 Put the events from Chapter One in the correct order (1–8).

- a Moomintroll lay in his bed for a long time.
- b Moomintroll woke up.
- c The bird sang his little song and then he flew away to the east.
- d The first bird of spring arrived in Moominvalley.
- e The Moomin family and all their friends had a small meal.
- f The snow fell.
- g They said goodnight.
- h They went to bed.

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2 For each question about Chapter One choose the correct answer: A (*Moomintroll*), B (*Sniff*) or C (*Snufkin*).

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| 1 Who wakes up first? | A | B | C |
| 2 Who plays the mouth-organ? | A | B | C |
| 3 Who is still asleep? | A | B | C |
| 4 Who whistles? | A | B | C |
| 5 Who does not like snow? | A | B | C |
| 6 Who finds a hat on the mountain? | A | B | C |
| 7 Who is very hungry? | A | B | C |

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3 Read the questions about Chapter Two. Choose the best answers (a, b or c).

- 1 What was Moominpappa's problem with the hat?
 - a He did not like it.
 - b It was too big.
 - c It was too small.
- 2 How do they use the hat?
 - a As a bin.
 - b As a chair.
 - c As a table.

- 3 What did the eggshell become?
 - a apples
 - b clouds
 - c flowers
- 4 What do they do with these new things?
 - a They eat them.
 - b They play with them.
 - c They wear them.
- 5 Where was Moominmamma when Moomintroll shouted to her?
 - a In the bedroom.
 - b In the garden.
 - c In the kitchen.
- 6 Why was the Hemulen sad?
 - a Because he lost a special stamp.
 - b Because the friends jumped at him suddenly.
 - c Because there were no more stamps to add to his collection.

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4 List three new things the Hemulen thinks about collecting in Chapter Two.

- a
- b
- c

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5 Complete the sentences from Chapter Three. Use one, two, three or four words.

- 1 Moomintroll and his friends decided to inside.
- 2 Sniff stood in the corner with his and counted to ten.
- 3 Then Sniff to look for the others.
- 4 Moomintroll hid under a table, but he knew that it was not place to hide.
- 5 He quickly got out from under the table and pulled head.
- 6 It only covered the body so he pulled his tail inside the hat and tried to be small.

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6 Answer the questions about Chapter Three.

1 How was Moomintroll different after hiding in the hat?

- a**
- b**
- c**

2 Why do Moomintroll's friends not believe that the creature is him?

- a**
- b**
- c**

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7 Complete the conversation from Chapter Four. Choose the best answers (a-i) below.

There are three extra answers.

Snufkin: I think that we should go and get the hat because lots of creatures live in the river.
They will be very frightened if they see this terrible water.

Moomintroll: ¹

Snufkin: The hat is over there. Look at the dark water. Can you see?

Moomintroll: ²

Snufkin: How are we going to get the hat?

Moomintroll: ³

Snufkin: Are you sure?

Moomintroll: ⁴

Snufkin: Don't put your foot in the hat. Hold it with your paw.

Moomintroll: ⁵

Snufkin: Have you got the hat?

Moomintroll: ⁶

- a** Here it is.
- b** I can swim quite well if the water isn't too cold.
- c** Let's go! We must find a safe place for it at home.
- d** Not really. I can't see at night like you.
- e** Oh! It's berry juice!
- f** What is it?
- g** Well, I think that we should keep it.
- h** Yes, of course!
- i** Yes, you're right.

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8 Complete the text. Choose the correct words. There are two extra words.

rubies glow sand panther lamp cave river pancakes

It was nearly the end of July, and it was very hot in Moominvalley. The trees looked tired and the
 1 was thin and brown. Moomintroll and his friends felt tired and hot.

“Mother!” said Moomintroll. “We don’t like this weather. Find us something to do!”

“Can you go to the 2 for a few days?” said Moominmamma. “It’s cooler there by the sea and you can swim all day.”

“Can we sleep there, too?” Moomintroll asked, excitedly.

“Of course,” said Moominmamma. “I’ll get some food ready for you. You can take some
 3”

So, Moomintroll, Snufkin, Sniff, Snorkmaiden and the Hemulen went to the cave. It was very exciting to stay there. They put a 4 in the middle of the floor, and they made beds in the 5 They ate some of their pancakes and Snufkin played his mouth-organ. Everyone felt happy. The red 6 from the sun filled the cave for a while and then it started to get dark.

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9 Complete the sentences. Choose the correct words from the box.

Soon In the morning Suddenly After some time

1 , the Hemulen jumped and said, “Did you hear that?”

2 , the Hemulen woke up suddenly.

3 , the others woke up.

4 , they arrived back in the garden.

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10 Complete the text with the missing words.

Moominmamma was happy that it 1 raining.
“Now everything in the garden 2 grow!” she said. “And the family are safe and dry in the cave!”
She decided 3 make the house tidier. She started collecting clothes, Moomintroll’s strange stones, bits of wood, and other things. She found 4 of the Hemulen’s plants on top of the radio. 5 thinking, she put the plants in the Hobgoblin’s Hat.
Then Moominmamma went upstairs to her room and lay on her bed, listening to the rain on the roof. Soon, she 6 to sleep.

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11 Complete the text. Choose the correct words (a, b, c or d).

Then something very strange started ¹

- a happen
- b happened
- c happening
- d happens

downstairs. The Hemulen's plants were

growing ²

- a slow
- b slower
- c slowest
- d slowly

out of the hat. Then they grew up the walls, through doors, and ³

- a between
- b in
- c out
- d up

the stairs. Flowers and fruits started growing, too, and the house was ⁴

- a empty
- b full
- c poor
- d rich

of quiet noises.

Sometimes, a fruit fell on to the carpet. The noises woke Moominmamma up but she thought that it

was only the rain. She went to sleep ⁵

- a again
- b also
- c more
- d too

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Moominpappa was writing his life story in his room upstairs. Suddenly, a blue fruit fell on to his paper.

“Oh! Moomintroll and Sniff ⁶

- a can
- b may
- c must
- d should

be home again!” he said, and he turned to look

behind him.

But it was not ⁷

- a a
- b an
- c any
- d some

person – it was a thick bush. It was full of yellow berries. Next, small

blue fruits started falling all around him. There was a huge branch growing slowly near the window.

Smaller branches were growing from the branch ⁸

- a at
- b for
- c in
- d to

all directions.

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12 Correct the sentences. The bold words are incorrect.

1 Late one evening at the beginning of August, Thingumy and Bob arrived in Moominvalley.

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2 Thingumy wore a red hat and Bob carried a **very small bag**.

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3 Their journey was **short** and they were **not** tired.

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4 They rested for a while near the **bottom of the valley** and looked down.

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5 They **ran up** the mountain, talking in their strange language.

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6 Thingumy and Bob jumped through the **closed** doors of the potato cellar.

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13 Complete the text. Choose one word for each gap.

The next morning, the Hemulen went ¹..... the kitchen.

“Thingumy and Bob have ²..... me more about the Groke,” he said. “She wants their suitcase.”

“That’s terrible!” said Moominmamma.

“Yes, I know,” said the Hemulen, “but, well, it is the Groke’s suitcase.”

“Oh,” said Moominmamma. “That ³..... it more difficult then. Let’s talk to Moomintroll. He ⁴..... have a good idea.”

Moomintroll listened to them and then he said, “This is very interesting. We must have a meeting. Everyone ⁵..... come to the garden at three o’clock to talk about this.”

It was a warm afternoon and the garden looked beautiful with all the colours of late summer. Moomintroll was sitting in front ⁶..... a box.

- 1** into out of under
- 2** said spoke told
- 3** make makes making
- 4** 'll 's 've
- 5** could should would
- 6** with to of

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14 Answer the questions about Chapter Eight.

1 What did Moomintroll look like?

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2 Whose suitcase was it?

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3 Who did the Contents of the suitcase belong to?

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4 Did Thingumy and Bob want the Contents?

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5 How did they feel about the Groke?

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6 What did Moominmamma give the Groke?

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7 Where did the Groke go?

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15 Tick the five places people look for Moominmamma's bag in Chapter Nine.

1 in the river

2 in the cellar

3 in the forest

4 in the garden

5 on the roof

6 under the carpets

7 under the bush

8 under the sea

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16 Choose the correct answers and circle the correct words about Chapter Ten.

That night, everyone from Moominvalley arrived for the big . . . party in the garden.

a Christmas / August

There were big piles of fruit and huge plates of . . . on the bigger tables.

b cake / sandwiches

There were . . . and other things for the smaller creatures on tiny little tables under the bushes.

c berries / rubies

Moominmamma made lots of pancakes and brought eleven huge bottles of berry juice from the . . .

d cellar / roof

There were little . . . in the trees and the garden looked beautiful.

e birds / lamps

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17 Rewrite the two sentences as one. Use *that*.

1 It was only the rain. She thought.

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2 “Two mice just ran into the cellar. I think.”

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3 “It’s the most expensive thing. The Groke just thinks.”

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4 “You found Moominmamma’s handbag. We are very happy.”

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5 “You knew. I didn’t know.”

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18 Complete the sentences with the present perfect form of the verbs in brackets.

1 What (**happen**)?” he cried.

2 “Oh, they (**bring**) a suitcase.”

3 “She only has the Contents, and Thingumy and Bob (**steal**) them from her!”

4 “I’ never (**like**) the Groke,” said Snorkmaiden.

5 “Snufkin (**leave**). He (**go**) on a journey.”

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19 Circle the correct words.

- 1 But, when the evening arrived on their first day, they got very **worried** / **worrying**.
- 2 It was very **excited** / **exciting**. There was a lot of noise from everyone while they went to their rooms.
- 3 Moomintroll listened to them and then he said, "This is very **interested** / **interesting**."
- 4 Thingumy and Bob were sitting at the top of the biggest table. They were **surprised** / **surprising** to be there.

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20 Read the definitions. Choose the correct words from the box. There are two extra words.

jewel magic pocket berry hide cave lock
 wish float whistle alarm clock meeting

- 1 To want good things to happen.
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- 2 A beautiful, expensive stone.
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- 3 You close a door with a key.
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- 4 A place in the side of a hill or mountain. In the past, people lived in them.
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- 5 Any small red, black or blue fruit from a tree or bush.
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- 6 It rings and wakes you up in the morning.
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- 7 To move slowly around on water or in the air.
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- 8 When a group comes together because they want to talk about something.
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- 9 To push or blow air through your lips and make a high noise.
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- 10 A place in trousers, a coat, etc. You can put things in it.
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