

Listening Exercise | Leo the Wildlife Ranger - Proboscis Monkey

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Speaker Dialogue

Leo What was that? Excuse me, Are you okay Katie?

Katie I feel fine Leo.

Leo Are you sure?

Leo Oh, hi Junior Ranger Farah.

Farah I found a (1) _____ that lost its hunk.

Leo A proboscis monkey?

Farah That's right they're known for their (2) _____ but this monkey just can't do it.

Leo That's a pretty big (3) _____

Katie Hahaha

Farah That was a loud (4) _____

Leo It's Katie I think she has a cold and a really (5) _____

Farah A stuffy nose? of course! Maybe the proboscis monkey has a cold too. It can't honk because of its stuffy nose.

Leo Good thinking Farah. We'll be right over to (6) _____.

Farah Thanks Leo, Ranger out.

Katie There it is. The proboscis monkey, proboscis monkeys have (7) _____ noses, (8) _____ proboscis monkeys have larger noses than female proboscis monkeys. In fact, a male's nose can measure over 10 centimeters.

Leo So the monkey's Farah found is a male.

Katie That's right. Their large noses help them honk (9) _____ while proboscis monkeys use a variety of sounds to communicate, males in particular tend to honk to attract females and scare off Intruders.

Leo We have to help him get his honk back.

Farah Hi guys.

Leo Hello Farah.

Farah I (10) _____ him sitting alone.

Katie Achoo!

Farah Oh dear.

Katie I'm fine, I don't have a cold.

Farah Let me check my handbook. Are you sneezing Katie?

Katie I'm not.

Farah Check! You have a cold and just like the proboscis monkey, my handbook says you need to keep (11) _____

Katie I don't need to.... Ah... this feels nice! Thanks for the (12) _____ Farah. But I don't think keeping warm is enough.

Leo Katie's right! what else can we do it?

Katie It says here that (13) _____ foods can fight a cold.

Farah There are plenty of fruits in the (14) _____ and fruits are healthy.

Leo Great idea Farah! Let's go (15) _____ some for the monkey!

Farah This ripe fruit looks good! The proboscis monkey will love it.

Ranger Rocky No ripe fruits for the monkey! The proboscis monkey can't have any ripe fruits because of how their (16) _____ work. It's dangerous for proboscis monkeys to eat ripe fruits they might fall sick from it, instead proboscis monkeys prefer (17) _____ fruits.

Farah Like this one, Ranger Rocky?

Ranger Rocky Yes that's perfect! Besides unripe fruits proboscis monkeys also eat leaves.

Leo Leaves sound healthy too. So we'll have to pick leaves and unripe fruits for the proboscis monkey.

Ranger Rocky Glad I could swing by to help. Good luck Junior Rangers!

Leo and Farah Goodbye Ranger Rocky!

Farah Can you honk now? Oh dear it didn't work either. What else can we do?

Leo Huh? What's happening?

Farah Hey where are you going? wait for us!

Leo Wow! let's follow them!

Farah Oh no he's lagging (18) _____

Katie Let's cheer him on hero. Jetpack activated

Leo Oh dear, what's going on?

Katie The other monkeys are (19) _____ him because he can't hunk!

Leo That's horrible! That's it! We have to help him get his honk back.

Farah Must find a (20) _____

Katie Got it! Another way to clear a stuffy nose is to use steam.

Farah Steam? I have just that, here Leo place this under the monkey's nose.

Leo Great idea Farah, the hot Steam from the tea will clear his nose.

Farah Here Katie you need this too.

Katie Aah.. wow!!! I can finally (21) _____ normally again.

Leo And you said you didn't have a (22) _____!

Farah Can you honk now monkey?

Farah It's still not (23) _____!

Leo Wait! What's that (24) _____ out of his nose? Something stuck!

Farah It's coming out

Leo There! A (25) _____.

All He's honking!!!

Farah It wasn't a stuffy nose, his nose was stuffed with a leaf.

Leo They're friends again!

Farah Bye monkey, have fun!

Leo Let's go home Katie we need to get you to bed.