5.3 Reading and Vocabulary

Storytelling

1 Describe the photo. Do you ever go to summer camp?

2 5.6 Read the story and answer the questions.

1 Where is the old house?
2 What does the storyteller find?
3 What is inside?

3 Read the story again. Complete gaps 1–4 with sentences a–e. There is one extra sentence.

a So I went inside and put the light on quickly.
b There were stories of wild animals that he saw.
c The man who built it was a farmer, Jacob Green.
d Another group took the rubbish out.
e It's a really popular activity for teenagers across the USA.

4 5.7 How do you think the story ends? Answer the questions. Listen and check. Were you right?

1 Do the campers read the last page?
2 What does it say?

5 5.8 Study the Vocabulary box. Find three more examples in the story.

VOCABULARY Adverbs of manner

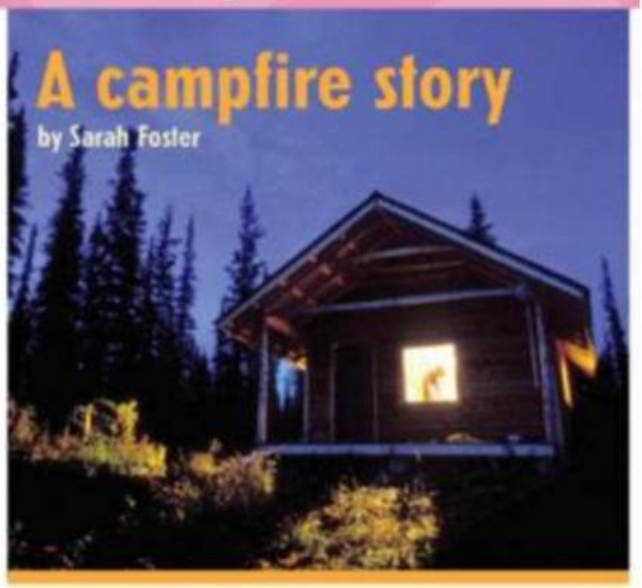
Adverbs which end in *-ly*
badly carefully nervously noisily perfectly quickly quietly slowly

Adverbs which are the same as the adjectives
early fast hard late right wrong

WATCH OUT!
The adverb for ***good*** is ***well***.

6 Complete the sentences with adverbs formed from the adjectives in brackets.

1 I put things in the dishwasher *slowly* (slow).
2 Our dog eats really _____ (noisy).
3 I can't cook very _____ (good).
4 In the shower Dad sings _____ (bad).
5 My sister vacuums the living room _____ (fast).
6 I sometimes get up _____ (late).



A campfire story

by Sarah Foster

Summer Camp is always cool because we stay in tents in a forest. At the centre of the camp there's an old, dark, wooden house where we have our evening meals. [1]___

I love evenings at camp because we sit outside and tell stories and funny jokes around the fire. One night last summer, we finished dinner early. In the kitchen, my friend and I did the washing up carefully in the big sink, then some campmates put the dishes away tidily. [2]___ Mike, a camp leader, started playing his guitar by the fire outside. One by one, we sat down happily and sang songs.

Later, Mike asked me to get some marshmallows from a large cupboard at the end of the dark hall. [3]___ In a corner of the shelf, next to the marshmallows, I saw a strange old book: *Diary 1905*. 'Look at this!' I called excitedly.

Of course, everyone wanted to see the old diary. We took it in turns to read about Jacob Green's life in his old-fashioned writing. In 1905, he wrote about bad weather and how he worked hard to finish the roof on his house. [4]___ There were funny poems and jokes too. It was my turn to read a page which said 'Warning!' I read the next words nervously. 'Do not read the last page. I have a terrible secret.'

YOUR WORLD

7 Write five sentences about things you and your family did last week. Use adverbs of manner.

Last week, I got up early on Monday ...

LIVEWORKSHEETS