

CHAPTER-2 | The Adventures of Toto

QUIZ
PART-01

1. Who is the author of The Adventures of Toto?

- A. Ruskin Bond
- B. Mulk Raj Anand
- C. R.K. Narayan
- D. Rabindranath Tagore (A)

Explanation : The story The Adventures of Toto was written by Ruskin Bond, a well-known Indian author .

2. How much did Grandfather pay to buy Toto?.

- A. Two rupees
- B. Three rupees
- C. Five rupees
- D. Ten rupees (C)

Explanation: Grandfather bought Toto from a tonga-driver for five rupees .

3. Why did Grandfather decide to buy Toto?

- A. He wanted a guard for his house
- B. He felt pity for Toto, who was tied to a feeding-trough
- C. He wanted a companion for his goat
- D. He wished to train Toto for a circus (B)

Explanation: Grandfather saw Toto tied to a feeding-trough and looking miserable, so he bought him .

4. What feature of Toto frightened elderly Anglo-Indian ladies?

- A. His tail
- B. His sparkling eyes
- C. His pearly white teeth shown in a smile
- D. His loud cries (C)

Explanation : Toto's pearly white teeth, displayed in a mischievous smile, scared elderly Anglo-Indian ladies .

5. What special use did Toto's tail have?

- A. He used it only for balance
- B. It was useless
- C. It was used as a third hand to hang and grab things
- D. It was very short and weak (C)

Explanation: Toto's tail acted like a third hand; he could hang from it and use it to scoop up food .

6. Why was Toto's presence kept a secret from Grandmother?

- A. She did not like monkeys and often fussed over new pets
- B. She was allergic to animals
- C. She wanted only birds in the zoo
- D. She was away from home (A)

Explanation: Grandmother always fussed when Grandfather brought home new animals, so Toto was kept secret until she was in a good mood .

7. What did Toto do when he was kept in the closet?

- A. He sat quietly until released
- B. He tore the ornamental wallpaper and shredded the school blazer
- C. He escaped through the window
- D. He fell asleep (B)

Explanation: Locked in the closet, Toto tore down the wallpaper and shredded the narrator's blazer .

8. What was Grandfather's reaction to Toto destroying the blazer?

- A. He was angry and punished Toto
- B. He ignored it completely
- C. He was pleased with Toto's cleverness
- D. He scolded the narrator (C)

Explanation: Grandfather was amused, saying Toto was clever enough to make a rope from the torn blazer .

9. Why did Grandfather carry Toto in a canvas kit-bag during travel?

- A. To keep him safe from other animals
- B. To hide him from the ticket-collector
- C. To prevent him from escaping, as the bag was too strong to bite through
- D. To keep him warm (C)

Explanation: Toto was carried in a strong canvas kit-bag so he could not escape or bite through it .

10. What happened when Toto was inside the canvas bag at the railway platform?

- A. He stayed calm inside
- B. He tore the bag open
- C. The bag rolled and jumped around, attracting a curious crowd
- D. He escaped and ran away (C)

Explanation : Toto's attempts to escape made the bag roll and jump, drawing a crowd at the railway station .