

Looking for Clues in Fiction



His small white wings carried him down, but, as he said, he was not a good lander. He did seven very fast somersaults past the little boy. 'Ooh!' cried the little boy. 'A giant Catherine-wheel!' 'Actually,' said the Catherine-wheel, picking himself up, 'I'm a barn owl.' 'Oh yes – so you are,' said the little boy with obvious disappointment. 'Of course, you couldn't be a firework yet. Dad says we can't have the fireworks until it gets dark. Oh, I wish it would hurry up and get dark soon.'

4 How is Plop like a Catherine-wheel firework when he lands?

1 mark

5 Why is the boy disappointed when he finds out that Plop is not a firework?

1 mark

6 Why does the little boy want it to 'hurry up and get dark soon'?

1 mark
