

Lesson - 2

The Adventures of Toto

Questions & Answers:

Q1. How does Toto come to grandfather's private zoo?

Ans. Grandfather bought Toto from a tonga-driver for the sum of five rupees. The tonga-driver used to keep the little monkey tied to a feeding-trough, so grandfather decided to take him to his private zoo.

Q2. "Toto was a pretty monkey." In what sense is Toto pretty?"

Ans. His bright sparkling eyes, pearly teeth, beautiful smile, his fingers were quick and wicked, his tail like third hand, adding to his good looks.

In this way he looked pretty.

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Ans Because Toto would not allow any of his companions to sleep at night, so Grandfather decided to take him along. He took him in a big-canvas-bag.

Q. How does Toto take bath? Where has he learnt to do this?

Ans. He takes bath in a large bowl of warm water. First he checks the temperature with his hand, then step into the bath, until he was into the water up to his neck. Then he would take soap ~~not~~ rub himself. He learnt this from the author.

Q5 Why does author say, "Poto was not the sort of pet we could keep for long"?

Ans. Because he was very mischievous, he was always tearing things to pieces. He used to throw plates and broke them.