

Before Reading

BEFORE READING ACTIVITIES (PAGE 29)

ACTIVITY 1 BEFORE READING

- 1 b
- 2 c

ACTIVITY 2 BEFORE READING

- 1 Cal finds \$3,000 under the floor of the cabin.
- 2 The money is from a bank robbery.
- 3 c

While Reading

PAGES 1-5 WHILE READING

- 1 Joe, Eddie and Blanche are the Red Mask Gang.
- 2 Blanche drives the gang's car.
- 3 The police car goes off the road.
- 4 Eddie is going to stay at the Blue Lake Cabins.
- 5 Eddie's share of the money is three thousand dollars.

PAGES 6-9 WHILE READING

- 1 c
- 2 d
- 3 a
- 4 e
- 5 b

PAGES 10-15 WHILE READING

- 1 F – The policemen ask Wilma to bring Eddie's things to them later that day.
- 2 T
- 3 F – Wilma doesn't find the money, she sees Cal with it.
- 4 T

PAGES 16-23 WHILE READING

- 1 Cal
- 2 Joe
- 3 Wilma
- 4 Joe
- 5 There is no gas in the car.
- 6 Because there are no brakes.

BEFORE PAGE 24 WHILE READING

The correct answer is 4.

After Reading

ACTIVITY 1 AFTER READING

Joe, Blanche, and Eddie are *bank* robbers. The *newspapers* call them The Red *Mask* Gang. After a robbery, Eddie goes to stay at the Blue Lake Cabins. He puts his *share* of the robbery money under the *floor*. Eddie dies in a car *accident*. Cal Dexter finds the *money*, but Wilma Pinch sees him. Now she *wants* the money, too.

ACTIVITY 2 AFTER READING

- 1 'I can stay there *for* a week or two.'
- 2 Blanche drives the car faster, *but* it's dangerous.
- 3 His name is Cal Dexter *and* he is a writer.
- 4 Dexter is going to look for the money *when* he gets back.

ACTIVITY 3 AFTER READING

- 1 This is Eddie.
- 2 The car is on a dangerous road.
- 3 This is Wilma and she is looking for Eddie's money.
- 4 Joe and Blanche are listening to this radio.
- 5 Joe is holding this gun.
- 6 This is Wilma.