

Gulliver's Travels

Reader

Answer Key



Page 51 – Activity 1

- 1 True
- 2 Doesn't say
- 3 True
- 4 False
- 5 True

Page 51 – Activity 2

- 1 He tried to get up.
- 2 Because he was tied.
- 3 He saw many tiny men.
- 4 He was holding a bow and arrow.
- 5 (*possible answer*) I think he felt confused and worried.

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- 1 **For some time**, the tiny men watched me.
- 2 As I didn't try to hurt anyone, they **finally** cut some of the thin ropes.
- 3 **Then**, I could move my head.
- 4 **When** I woke I was on a platform with wheels, and 1,500 horses were pulling me along a road.

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Reader's own answers

Model answers

In picture a, Gulliver is tied and lying down.

In picture b, he is tied and sitting up.

In picture a, a tiny man is holding a bow and arrow.

In picture b, lots of horses are pulling Gulliver along.

In picture a, Gulliver is tied by hundreds of thin ropes.

In picture b, he is on a platform with wheels.

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- 1 to the tiny people's city
 - 2 the temple
 - 3 a hundred chains
 - 4 Some guards watched him.
- (*track 2 of the audio download*)

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- 1 c
- 2 a
- 3 b

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- 1 emperor
- 2 tiny
- 3 shoot
- 4 arrow
- 5 guard
- 6 tie

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- 1 When the emperor went away, a crowd of tiny people **came to look at me**.
- 2 Some of the men shot arrows at me, so **the guards were angry with them**.
- 3 Because I was kind to his people, the emperor decided that **I was not dangerous**.
- 4 After that, he sent me **six cows and forty sheep** to eat every day.

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The people **were** not afraid of me now, so the guards **took off my chains**.

One day, some of the tiny people **found** a big black thing on the ground. They **knew** at once that it **was** probably mine, so they **used** some horses to **pull** it to the temple. I **was** very pleased when I **saw** it. It **was** my hat!

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Reader's own answers

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- 1 I went across the sea to **Blefuscu** and saw some ships that were waiting to attack **Lilliput**.
- 2 I tied ropes to fifty of the biggest ships. Then, I pulled the ships back to **Lilliput**.
- 3 The emperor wanted me to go back and take all of **Blefuscu's** ships.

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*Reader's own answers***Model answers**

- 1 He was standing in the sea.
- 2 He was trying to pull the ships back to Lilliput.
- 3 The people of Blefuscu were afraid of him at first.
- 4 Because the people began to shoot arrows at his eyes.

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

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*Reader's own answers***Model answers**

Gulliver said goodbye to the people of Blefuscu and went on a ship back to England.

When he got home, his wife and children were very happy to see him.

The cows and sheep from Blefuscu lived in a park near Gulliver's house.

(track 3 of the audio download)

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- 1 I enjoyed **seeing** my family, but soon I was ready for another adventure, so I **went** to sea again.
- 2 After a few days, there **was** a big storm. Our ship **became** lost and we were very thirsty.
- 3 When we **saw** land, some men and I **rowed** to the shore in a boat.
- 4 I saw a huge man in the sea! The men in our boat **were rowing** away from him, and he **was trying** to catch them!

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I ran across the beach and climbed a big hill. I walked along a road. Suddenly, I saw another huge man.

I tried to hide, but he picked me up.

He took me to his house and put me on the table.

His wife and children came to look at me.

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*Reader's own answers***Model answers**

- 1 **Everyone** is looking at Gulliver.
- 2 **Anyone** can give money to watch him.
- 3 **Someone's** arm is on the table
- 4 **No one** is crying.

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I was very **frightened**, but the man and his wife gave me food and a bed. Their **daughter** was very kind to me and taught me to speak **their language**.

Everyone wanted to look at me, so the man decided to **take me around the country**. People gave him money to watch me. I stood on my head, and danced, and the people **laughed and laughed**.

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Audio script

- 1 The head of the country of Brobdingnag.
- 2 Years ago, someone who worked for a king or queen, making people laugh.
- 3 Wanting something that another person has.
- 4 A black and orange insect that has a sting.
- 5 The part of some insects, such as wasps, that can hurt you.

- 1 king
- 2 joker
- 3 jealous
- 4 wasp
- 5 sting

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- 1 Who liked Gulliver, too?
- 2 What did he ask him about?
- 3 What did he want to know?
- 4 Who wasn't kind to Gulliver?
- 5 Why wasn't the joker kind to Gulliver?

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- 1 One day, the king and queen of Brobdingnag went on a long **journey**.
- 2 The journey took them near the **sea**.
- 3 The king's **servants** carried Gulliver in his box.
- 4 Gulliver was sad because he wanted to go **home**.
- 5 A **bird** was carrying Gulliver's box when he woke up.
- 6 Gulliver's box was dropped into the **water**.

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