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Class:

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1. Find and copy two things that William had collected to take with him for the afternoon.

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2 marks

2. "Perhaps 'cooked' is too euphemistic a term."

Which word is closest in meaning to "euphemistic" from paragraph 2? Tick one.

polite       false       despairing       real

1 mark

3. Who do you think the Outlaws are? Tick the best answer.

A gang or group of children.       An organised out-of-school club.

An organised club at school.       A group of people wanted by the police.

Explain your answer with evidence from the text.

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3 marks

4. Find and copy **three** words and phrases that show the story is set in the past.

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1 mark

5. Using information from the text, tick one box in each row to show whether each statement is true or false.

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William was preparing to go out for the afternoon.		
Cook had given William the sausages he cooked with the Outlaws.		
William would rather go out through the bathroom window than through the front door.		
William was anxious to see the baby.		

1 mark

6. Circle the correct option to complete each sentence.

(a) At the beginning of the extract, William's mood is:

cautious      hungry      optimistic      lazy.

(b) At the end of the extract, William's mood is:

cautious      hungry      optimistic      lazy.

1 mark