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1. What was unusual about the grass and flowers?

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1 mark

2. Why do you think the children ran at the beginning of this extract?

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1 mark

3. *"the open expanse of land before them"*

Tick the word that is closest in meaning to *"expanse"* in this context.

width growth universe area 

1 mark

4. What do you think made the Guide say, *"I think we may be lucky. I think this place is good"* (paragraph 5)? Give two reasons from the text.

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2 marks

5. In the book, the children name the planet *"Shine"*. Give two reasons from the text why that is appropriate.

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2 marks

6. The language used to describe Shine is very positive, but there are some subtle indicators that it may not all be perfect. Identify two of them.

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2 marks