

Chapter 16

'Miss Honey's Cottage'

Answer Key

Activity sheet

1. What do Matilda and Miss Honey pass as they walk through the village?

They pass the greengrocer, the butcher, the bank, the grocery store and the electrical shop.

2. Why does Miss Honey want to be cautious about Matilda's powers?

Matilda's powers are mysterious forces they know nothing about.

3. What does Miss Honey teach Matilda on their walk home?

She teaches Matilda how to recognize trees by their leaves and their bark.

4. How can Matilda tell that Miss Honey is poor?

Miss Honey doesn't take a bath, she washes up standing up with a bucketful of water.

5. Does anything about Miss Honey surprise you in this chapter? Explain your answer.

(This is an opinion question; answers will vary.)

6. How do you think Miss Honey and Matilda will test Matilda's powers?

(This is an opinion question; answers will vary.)

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