

Fantastic Mr Fox Reading Comprehension 5

Listen to the recording of **Chapters 11 and 12** of Fantastic Mr Fox (it can be found using this link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nJofxwa5bMo>). Chapter 11 starts from 29 minutes 37 seconds. You may want to listen more than once to take in the details.

Then, please have a go at answering these questions in your lined exercise book. Remember to write in full sentences. Use the recording to help you with your answers if you need to.

Chapter 11 - A Surprise for Mrs Fox

1. Why was the fox exploding with joy?
2. What words show you that Mrs Fox is half asleep?
3. Why does Mrs Fox think she's dreaming?
4. What does 'spluttered' mean? Can you act out spluttering?
5. What does Mrs Fox set about preparing?

Chapter 12 - Badger

6. Why did the foxes laugh every time they thought about the chickens?
7. Who does Mr Fox meet in the tunnel?
8. Explain how the new characters are introduced.
9. Why are the badgers starving?
10. *"I know it's your fault!" said Badger furiously. "And the farmers are not going to give up till they've got you."*

Find a word in these sentences that shows that Badger is cross with Mr Fox.

11. Summarise why the badgers are trapped in less than 15 words.
12. Why does Badger think Mr Fox is teasing?
13. Where does the Small Badger go?
14. Predict where the fox's are digging to next.