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## Answer pack 2 – Behaviour



Dear parent/guardian

Thank you for downloading Cats Protection's Home Learning Pack! We are thrilled that you are getting involved and joining the fun!

'Behaviour' is the second in a series of five free packs that you can download at home. The educational content is designed to help your young learner discover more about our feline friends!

You can dip into different sections of Cats Protection's Home Learning Pack depending on your child's interest. Each Home Learning Pack contains:

A cat's tale	Reading challenges	Home Learning Pack pages: 2-6
Feline fact file	Research activity (with video support)	Home Learning Pack page: 7
Clever cats	Writing activity	Home Learning Pack pages: 8-9
Creative cats	Thrifty things to make and do	Home Learning Pack page: 10
Competitive cats	Activities and games	Home Learning Pack page: 11

This Answer Pack is designed to support you in assisting your child's learning journey. We encourage frequent feedback for your budding cat expert!

You will find lots of links to our online content, to help inspire your child's learning. Keep a device handy to scan QR codes or click on the hyperlinks. We want our education packs to reach as many parents as possible, so we'd love you to share your photos and videos on Facebook, Instagram and Twitter @catsprotection and using #TheMoggyModules. Let's keep home schooling pawsome!

Cats Protection hopes you have great fun, while learning all about cats!

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### List of URLs in pack

Page Number	Link title	URL
2	Gizzy's Big Adventure	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ovj2lnBLDfM">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ovj2lnBLDfM</a>
7	Learn how to speak cat – Simon's Cat	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=A1A4-Lm9pW4&amp;list=PLBmJH1dUsndglnsXDJu8icKTIFsSQwnHb&amp;index=2&amp;t=0s">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=A1A4-Lm9pW4&amp;list=PLBmJH1dUsndglnsXDJu8icKTIFsSQwnHb&amp;index=2&amp;t=0s</a>
7	Is your cat talking to you? – Simon's Cat	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=l8EPjo3GCJE&amp;list=PLBmJH1dUsndglnsXDJu8icKTIFsSQwnHb&amp;index=2">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=l8EPjo3GCJE&amp;list=PLBmJH1dUsndglnsXDJu8icKTIFsSQwnHb&amp;index=2</a>
7	How to keep cats entertained – Simon's Cat	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BY3SLVNBkeo&amp;list=PLagyxbJHFyL0gts4lwigyhTbckDarQCVU&amp;index=6">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BY3SLVNBkeo&amp;list=PLagyxbJHFyL0gts4lwigyhTbckDarQCVU&amp;index=6</a>
7	Why do cats have crazy time? – Simon's Cat	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lisncxkbHfc&amp;list=PLBmJH1dUsndglnsXDJu8icKTIFsSQwnHb&amp;index=13">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lisncxkbHfc&amp;list=PLBmJH1dUsndglnsXDJu8icKTIFsSQwnHb&amp;index=13</a>
10	How to make a cat fishing rod toy	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AJ0hSbXQKGo&amp;list=PLBmJH1dUsndgVerz88RDiez0tyr7etEXr&amp;index=2">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AJ0hSbXQKGo&amp;list=PLBmJH1dUsndgVerz88RDiez0tyr7etEXr&amp;index=2</a>



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### Answers – A cat's tale

#### Gizzy quiz answers:

1. Why couldn't the family keep all the kittens?  
The family didn't have enough room for all the cats to be happy.  
Cats like to have enough space to choose to live apart from other cats.  
There wouldn't be enough room to keep all their own bowls, litter trays and beds.
2. How did the parents plan to stop Scampi having more kittens?  
An operation called neutering.
3. Which charity could have found homes for the kittens if the family hadn't been able to?  
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4. Why did the vet give Gizzy injections?  
To stop him from catching any nasty diseases.
5. What did Gizzy do to feel safer after he got out of the removal lorry?  
He hid under a bush.
6. How did the vet find Gizzy's owners?  
The vet used a scanner (magic wand) that went "bleep" to look for a microchip.  
A microchip had been placed under Gizzy's skin on the back of his neck, at an earlier visit to the vets.  
The microchip could tell the vet the address and phone number of Gizzy's family.
7. Think of two words to describe how Gizzy felt when he was lost in the rain.  
The author uses two descriptive words: wet and miserable.  
However, children may like to consider other descriptive words.
8. Think of two words to describe how Gizzy felt when he was back with his family  
Children may like to consider their own descriptive words.



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### Answers – Feline fact file

**Why do cats meow and do they only have one?**

*Yes they do meow and they have lots of different meows.*

**What are the three ways cats communicate?**

1. Scent
2. Body language
3. Facial expressions

#### The cat's meow

To learn all about meowing from *Simon's Cat* you can scan the QR code or click here: [Learn to speak cat - Simon's Cat](#)

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**Draw a scared cat (think about body language).**

**Describe reasons for these noises.**

1. Growl *When threatened to say "stay back" when around food – naturally solitary animal.*
2. Hiss *If they are scared. They may also scratch or bite.*
3. Purr *When they are content. Kittens and their mum purr to communicate. Also when in pain.*



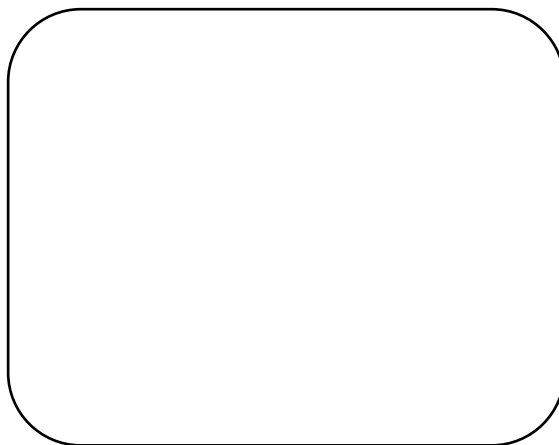
**Define 'crepuscular'.**

*Most active during dawn and dusk.*

**Why do cats have 'crazy time'?**

*They have lots of energy. In the wild they go on up to 40 hunting trips a day.*

**Design a perfect cat toy.**



#### Cat body language

To learn all about cat body language from *Simon's Cat* you can scan the QR code or click here: [Is your cat talking to you? - Simon's Cat](#)

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**Describe a cat's vision.**

*They are far-sighted. Can't see well less than 25cm. Good vision in low light. Dilated pupils when stressed, excited or hunting.*

**Cats use their tails to express a variety of emotions, describe three below.**

- Tip of tail slowly moving – agitated, irritated*
- Slowly side to side – excited*
- Up in the air and curved at the tip – greeting behaviour*

#### Cat play time

To learn all about cats and play from *Simon's Cat* you can scan the QR codes or click these links: [How to keep cats entertained! - Simon's Cat](#)

[Why do cats have a 'crazy time'? - Simon's Cat](#)

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**Write some playtime top tips.**

*Multiple sessions through the day.  
Don't use fingers or toes.  
Don't hold toy in cat's face.  
Try different styles of play.  
Let cat catch (and kill) toy.*

**List the three ways to read how a cat is feeling.**

1. Facial expression
2. Body posture
3. Context



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### Answers – Clever cats

#### Photo 1 – Slow blink

This is how cats smile and show they trust you. To make friends with a cat you can slowly blink at them and turn your head away. You can crouch down so you don't look like a giant. If the cat doesn't move away, you can put your hand out for them to sniff you and then stroke their head. Ask the children to practice in pairs.

#### Photo 2 – Tail up

Cats put their tails up when they see you to say hello. If they're particularly happy to see you, they may curl their tail over at the top like a walking stick.

#### Photo 3 – Roll

Cats roll when they see you to say hello and show they trust you. Most don't like their tummies stroked and may scratch or bite you if you try. Cats prefer you to say something to them or stroke their heads.

#### Photo 4 – Scared

When cats are afraid, they put their ears and tails down, widen their eyes and crouch their bodies low. Leave a scared cat alone – they may scratch or bite because they're afraid, especially if they feel they can't easily run away to hide or get up high.

### Answer – Competitive cats

Cats love to hide in boxes. They make them feel safe in something enclosed, they make a good place to hide (all cats need this) and are a good, cheap toy. They are useful for enrichment and providing mental stimulation.