

## Year 5 English – Reading Comprehension Answers

### Monday 11<sup>th</sup> May

1. Answers will vary but may include reference to:

- To be completely honest...
- I lied about my age.
- I sort of gave the impression...

2. Answers will vary but may include reference to:

- dishonest/untrustworthy (because he lied)
- adventurous/fun/exciting (because he is going into space)
- brave (going in to space/confessing and telling the truth finally)
- sad/lonely/regretful (about lying/missing his family)
- references to being a boy/his age/tall for his age

3. 'Everyone always thinks I'm older than I really am, just because I'm tall.'

4. The Infinite Possibility

5. Answers will vary but may include reference to:

- The ship didn't complete a routine manoeuvre successfully
- It rolled out of orbit

6. Answers will vary but may include reference to:

- It has pictures of home on it
- It has an audio diary function that he can talk into (and talking makes him feel less lonely)
- To try to make calls to home/thought there would be a good signal in space (page 9)

7. Answers will vary.