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Quick Questions



1. What time did the vet get to the clinic?



2. Which word does the vet use to describe how they felt when they saw the dog was better?



3. What was the vet's **first** job?



4. Why do you think the vet was very tired by lunchtime?

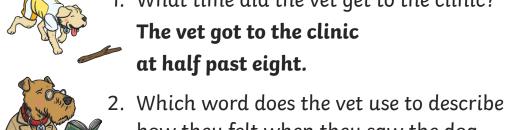


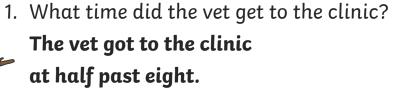


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Accept: 'pleased'.



- 3. What was the vet's **first** job? The vet's first job was to check on the animals who stayed in overnight.
- 4. Why do you think the vet was very tired by lunchtime?

Accept any inferential answer along the lines of 'I think the vet was very tired by lunchtime because the vet had a very busy morning seeing lots of animals.'



