

Reading comprehension week 3

Harriet's Hare

The farmhouse and its buildings were tucked into the side of a gentle hill, and in the little flat valley below were two large fields, the one nearer one was green, the further one gold.

In the first field, her father's cows would normally have been waiting around the gateway for him to come and fetch them in for the morning milking. But now the whole herd was galloping and buck-jumping around the pasture as though something had scared them.

The second field was of wheat, almost ready for harvesting, that looked from the house above like a square golden blanket, glowing in the morning sunlight. But there seemed to be a hole in the blanket. In one corner of the Wheatfield, Harriet could see, there was a perfect circle of flattened corn.

Reading comprehension questions

Where was the farmhouse? The farmhouse was...

What would the cows be doing normally?

The cows would normally be...

How were the herd of cows behaving instead?

The herd of cows were...

Why is one field green and the other as yellow?