

Possible questions to check comprehension after each double page and to get the children to listen out for cognates and look for clues in the pictures.

Double page one:

What is the lion's normal habitat? The savanna.

How was the lion feeling? Curious and solitary/lonely.

Double page 2 (Gare de Lyon):

How did he travel to Paris? By train.

Double page 3 (St Germain des Prés):

How did he think people would feel? Terrorised, horrified.

What is the lion drinking? A small cup of black coffee.

Double page 4 (le Châtelet):

What are the people carrying that the lion thinks are swords? Baguettes.

Double page 5 (on the Métro):

Where do you think he is? Métro = underground

Double page 6:

No one notices him; how do you think it makes him feel? Triste = sad

Double page 7 (le Pont des Arts) :

What is he missing? His sunny savanna.

Double page 8 (Beaubourg):

What does he think the people are queuing for? To go to work.

Double page 9 (the river Seine):

What was the river like? A mirror.

Double page 10 (le Louvre):

Whom does he think is following him around the room with her eyes? The Mona Lisa.

Double page 11 (le sacré Coeur):

What does the old lady think the white building looks like? A tart/pie with whipped cream.

Double page 12 (Eiffel Tower):

What did he climb to the top of? The Eiffel Tower.

Double page 13:

How do you think the lion is feeling now? Happy, smiling.

Double page 14 (Place Denfert-Rochereau, outside les Catacombes)

How do you think he is feeling now? Joyful.

Double page 14:

Did he move ever again? How do you know? No; he is immobile.