

Answers 1. 'disregarded' 2a. *wasting* 2b. *speech, lecture, sermon* 3. *he hopes Toad is sorry and will emerge a reformed character* 4. 45 mins 5. they sit in armchairs, wait patiently, and listen through the door 6. (one of:) he has 'seen the error of his ways'; he is 'truly sorry for his misguided conduct' 7. *Toad will break his promise and drive again; he will get into trouble again* 8. *doubtfully* 9. *the animal characters behave like humans.*