Dragon Skin Questions

1. What did Pip decide she needed to help save Little Fella? What specialty item would help sick things?
2. Mika had some obscure beliefs. Name 2 examples.
3. Name 1 of the two Christmas card templates the teacher provided and how did the children react?
4. Why was Pip initially disappointed about Little Fella’s eyes? What had she expected?
5. Pip’s Mum had a nickname for her before Matt, what was it? What is one activity that Matt prohibited the mother from doing?
6. Name 1 item that Pip took from the junk drawer and what was her plan for these items?
7. Mika was always pulling odd items from his backpack, name 2 of these items.
8. Why were Pip and her mother looking to travel and where were they planning to go?
9. When Pip opened the door on Sunday morning who was there and what did their shirt say?
10. Where did Pip and Mika like to return to, what was the recurring hunt for?
11. Name 4 of Little Fella’s favourite foods.
12. What are two of the rocks that Mika gave Pip and what did she do with them in the end?

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1. Food and medicine, specifically sugary foods. Pg 11.
2. Supernatural occurrences, ghosts, ufos, magic, etc pg 32, 39, 40.
3. Ho Ho Ho or a reindeer, children thought it was lame. Pg. 74
4. They were not the colour she expected, she expected blue or green but they were actually grey or black (dark, filmy). Pg. 80
5. Nickname was Little Swan, pg 82, restricted activities include: driving the 4wd, not allowed to eat sushi, no longer allowed to spare spiders, sing songs from the nineties, no longer pursue studying marine biology (pg.83).
6. Possible answers include: sticky tape, paddle-pop sticks, rubber bands. Her goal was to use them on Little Fella pg 104.
7. Bike repair kit (pg..), torch pg 106, space book pg. 125, Russian-English dictionary, pg 125, map of Australia pg 177, Universe magazines p.315.
8. To get away from Matt, they were heading to Townsville to stay with her grandparents pg 118 -119.
9. It was Laura, the shirt said I believe in unicorns. Pg 186.
10. They returned to the waterhole, they were always looking for bunyips (pg 220 – 221).
11. Arrowroot biscuits, spaghetti, apples (pg.280), weetbix
12. Answers can include: black meteor, pink & gold quartz, white dragon’s egg, blood-red stone. She dropped them all in the water hole pg.320