I can find and copy from the text, make inferences and comment on the author’s use of language

Read Chapter Eight of *Listen to the Moon* by Michael Morpurgo and answer the following questions.

1. Which word is closest in means when a person cannot be easily convinced? (page 123) (1 mark)
2. Why did Alfie’s family keep the gramophone playing as constantly as possible? (page 125) (1 mark)
3. How does Mary know that Lucy was improving? List three things. (page 123 to 126) (3 marks)
4. How do you know that Lucy was unsure about sitting at the kitchen table? (page 127) (1 mark)
5. Why do you think Lucy hums to herself? (page 129) (1 mark)
6. Order the following events:
   1. Lucy sits with them at the kitchen table for the first time.
   2. It is clear to Alfie and Jim that Mary is sometimes near to despair.
   3. Lucy starts to use the gramophone.
   4. Mary tells Lucy about Uncle Billy.
   5. Mary tells Alfie that Lucy sings like an angel.
7. What do you think the word *unfathomable* means? Write down an answer based on the word in the context of the sentence. Research the definition of the word and correct if necessary. (page 131) (1 mark)
8. How does Dr. Crow feel? Why do you think this is? Use evidence from the text to support your answer. (page 131-133) (3 marks)
9. Find and copy the following words and research their definition using a dictionary or the internet:
   1. Bewilderment
   2. Perturbed
   3. Wholeheartedly
10. When was the only time that Lucy would venture beyond the front doorstep?