Spotting Clues in the Text Answer Key

1.

- **Clues**: Headline asks a question; uses persuasive words like "don't wait," "change a life"; includes benefits of pets.

- **Author's Purpose**: **Persuade**

2.

- **Clues**: Caption gives context; stats like "200 fires in one week"; mentions cause and expert warning.

- **Author's Purpose**: **Inform**

3.

- **Clues**: Narrative structure; suspenseful language ("heart pounding," "strange noises"); fictional setup.

- **Author's Purpose**: **Entertain**

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