

Lord of the Flies

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Lesson 11

LO: To look at how language can create tension.

Starter: Krakens & Dragons



Why might these mythical beasts be seen as threatening?
Why do you think Chapter 5 and 6 are similar in theme?

Main Activities

Chapter 6



- ❁ Read the opening of chapter 6 and use the Diamond Nine sheet to rank what contributes to the build up of tension.
- ❁ Why have you placed your choices where you have in the diamond?

Main Activities

- ✿ Analyse how the language used (when Sam and Eric find the dead parachutist) creates a growing sense of tension. (Pp121-122)
- ✿ Use the Verbs and Adjectives Sheet - Sort into 2 columns depending on their use in the text.
- ✿ Choose the top 3 from the lista and explain how the verb/adjective creates a sense of tension in the passage.

Plenary



- ❁ Play Taboo – In pairs, describe the words on the cards to your partner without saying the ‘taboo’ words.
- ❁ Finish reading chapter 6