Find the **adjectives** in this text and make a list. Now think of 5 sentences using at least 3 adjectives in each sentence.



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### Reading Challenge Cards

Find 5 **common nouns** and then find 10 **proper nouns**.



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### Reading Challenge Cards

Look at the apostrophes in this text. Write down the words that have one and then explain why it is used there.



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### Reading Challenge Cards

Find the meanings of the words you haven't heard of before. Now write a few sentences using those words.



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## Reading Challenge Cards

Have you learnt any **facts** from reading this piece of non-fiction text? Write those facts down.



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## Reading Challenge Cards

How does the story make you want to keep reading? Write down the phrases and words that you find effective in **gripping** the reader.



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### Reading Challenge Cards

Search for a descriptive word in your text. Now use a thesaurus and write down five synonyms and antonyms for that word.



Reading Challenge Cards

Read through a chapter and pick out the **powerful words** that you can use in your own writing for the future.



What words have been used to **create an atmosphere?** Write them down.



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### Reading Challenge Cards

Choose a character to **draw and label** from the book.



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### Reading Challenge Cards

Write down **5 questions** you would like to ask one of the characters in the book. Now swap your questions with a friend and answer the questions they have asked.



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## Reading Challenge Cards

Pretend that you and the main character in the book are having a **conversation or an interview**. Write down your questions, along with their detailed responses.



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# Reading Challenge Cards

Can you remember a time where you have had a **similar experience** to a character in the book? Write about it.



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## Reading Challenge Cards

Do you feel like you are **similar** to any of the characters on the book? If so, **why?** If not, **why?** 



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### Reading Challenge Cards

How did you **feel** whilst reading the book? Explain and be descriptive about your answer.



Reading Challenge Cards

Design the clothes that your character would wear. Why have you chosen those particular colours? What design would their t-shirt have on the front?



Write a **letter** to somebody you know and tell them about the book. Let them know what your opinions are.



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### Reading Challenge Cards

**Design a poster** to advertise the book. Write down the reason why people should read it!



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### Reading Challenge Cards

Imagine you are one of the characters in the story. Now write a **diary entry** about how they might feel and what they might do in that day.



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### Reading Challenge Cards

Write a **letter to the author** and tell them what you thought of their book. Be honest and explain your opinions.



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# Reading Challenge Cards

**Draw a background** for the characters in the book to play their roles in.



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## Reading Challenge Cards

**Design a new front cover** for your book. Remember to include the title and the author of the book.



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### Reading Challenge Cards

Write an **alternative ending** for the book.



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# Reading Challenge Cards

Make a **mini quiz** about the book. Remember to include the answers!



Which chapter do you think was the most important?

Explain your answer.



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### Reading Challenge Cards

Imagine you are a character from the book and write a letter to a real-life person. For example, you could pretend to be Cinderella writing to the police about how your sisters are treating you.



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### Reading Challenge Cards

Choose a descriptive passage from the book and make a list of all the:

- similes
- metaphors
- alliteration
- noun phrases

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#### Reading Challenge Cards

Choose a key event in the book and change what happened. Now, re-write the next chapter...



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# Reading Challenge Cards

Pick a character from the book. Draw some **big speech or thought bubbles** on a page and write what the character might be feeling or saying at different parts of the story.



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# Reading Challenge Cards

When you are halfway through the book, write down your **predictions** for what will happen. Write in the form of a **story plan** (in boxes).



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### Reading Challenge Cards

Write down your predictions for the ending of the book and then check and see if you were right. What **didn't** happen?



Reading Challenge Cards

Which character from the book would you **most** like to be? **Why?** 



Imagine you are an **agony aunt** for a magazine. What sort of advice would you give to the character in the story?



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### Reading Challenge Cards

Make up some questions about the book, starting with the following words: who, when, how, what, why and which.



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### Reading Challenge Cards

Who would you **recommend** this book to? Who should not read this book? Explain your reasons.



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#### Reading Challenge Cards

Draw a **timeline** for the story and fit in all the main events.



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## Reading Challenge Cards

Pick a word from the story and make a **thesaurus page** for it. Use drawings as well as writing, if you like.



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# Reading Challenge Cards

Make a mock leaflet by pretending you are a **travel agent** and want customers to visit a place in the book. Be descriptive and write a paragraph about why they should go there.



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### Reading Challenge Cards

Pretend you are a character in the book and write a **telephone answering machine message** for them.



Reading Challenge Cards

Draw a **cartoon strip** of the main events in the story.



**Compare** this book to another book by the same author. Can you see any similarities at all?



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Reading Challenge Cards

Write a **newspaper report** about the main story. Whose **side** are you on?



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Reading Challenge Cards

Write a different beginning for the book.



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Reading Challenge Cards

Create a **crossword or word search** for the book.



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Reading Challenge Cards

Think of what the other characters in the book may think or say about the main character. Why?



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Reading Challenge Cards

How does the character **change** throughout the story?



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Reading Challenge Cards

Design a 'WANTED' poster for one of the characters in the story. Use descriptive words.



Reading Challenge Cards

Design a **house** for the main character to live in.



List all the characters in the book and then explain why each is **important** to the story.



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### Reading Challenge Cards

Make a mini dictionary with **10 difficult** words from the text.



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### Reading Challenge Cards

Design a birthday card for one of the characters in the book. How old are they? What sort of a card might they appreciate?



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### Reading Challenge Cards

What **present** do you think the main character would like for their birthday? Explain why.



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# Reading Challenge Cards

Write an **acrostic poem** with the main character's name. Example:

Brilliant at school

Optimistic and cool

Basketball player



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## Reading Challenge Cards

Imagine you are a character in the book and write a letter to another character.



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### Reading Challenge Cards

Write a **descriptive sentence** about each character in the book.



Reading Challenge Cards

Think of **5 alternative titles** for the book. Do you like the real title or not? Why?



Write down the differences between fiction and non-fiction text.



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Reading Challenge Cards

List and rank all the characters under these criteria: **Kindest, meanest, most powerful, least important, annoying and likeable.** 



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Reading Challenge Cards

Design an **online advert** for the book. What do you think will catch an internet user's eye?



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Reading Challenge Cards

Which character do you think is the **most important?** Explain why.



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