

“The Best Dog in the World” Chapters 1-2

Read chapters one and two carefully.

Task 1 : Comprehension

Copy and complete the questions below:

1. Why did Elliot think his hopes of having a pet were over? P5
2. Where did Elliot live? P6
3. What symptoms did Myles have if we was around animals? P6
4. What reaction did the dogs give when Myles walked through the gate? P8
5. Why did Bella never win prizes at the dog show? P10
6. What did Denzil look like? P11

Task 2: Inference

Copy the quotes and underneath, try to explain what is happening.

Does the author use certain words to give special clues?

I have underlined important words within the quotes to help you.

1. “He opened one eye and peered through his tangled mass of hair.” P12
2. “Only his eyes moved as he watched for any sudden movement”. P14
3. Why did Denzil sigh on Page 14?
4. What impression does Denzil have of humans?

Bonus Tasks:

- Sketch Denzil. What do you think he looks like based on the author’s description?

- ICT research: The author of this book is called Sylvia Green. Research some information about her work and write some notes.