

Air Raid – Chapter 3 and 4 Yellow Group

Before you complete your tasks this week, I would like you to read up to the end of chapter 4.

Task 1: Metalinguistics

Copy and complete the table below in your jotters. I have selected 5 words from your reading book and I would like you to use the strategies below to help you work out the meaning of each!

Strategies

RO – Read on

RB – Read back

FW – Familiar Word

TD – Teacher Discussion

D – Dictionary

PD – Pupil Discussion

Word (page number)	Definition	Strategy
gurgled (p29)		
cavern (p33)		
scrambled (p35)		
reluctant (p35)		

blearily (p38)		
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Task 2: Visualisation

Create a visualisation of Raf the dog– you can use the illustrations in the book to help you draw him in your jotter. Remember to use a double page and quotes from your book.

Helpful Hints

- What does he look like?
- What kind of personality does he have?
- Is he adventurous?
- Who are his owners?
- Who is currently looking after him?
- Example of a quote about Raf: “Raf padded after them, tasting puddles as he went.” (P33) The word “padded” implies that he is quite clumsy and having to catch up with Jack and Harry as he was distracted by the puddles. The fact he was tasting the puddles could imply that he is curious or simply that he is thirsty.

Bonus Tasks

- Redesign a front cover for Air Raid on A4 paper

- Design an army uniform for Old Tin Hat