

Distance Teaching and Learning
Year 6 Reading – Week Commencing 06.07.2020

Session Number	Book	Reading Expectation	Follow-Up Task
Session One	<p style="text-align: center;">The Ickabog By J.K. Rowling https://www.theickabog.com/read-the-story/</p>	<p>Please read chapter 1 independently or to an adult. If you are finding the text too tricky to read, ask an adult to read it to you and share the book together.</p>	<p>Answer the following questions in full sentences.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) How did King Fred the Fearless get his name and why was he given this name? 2) Do you think King Fred the Fearless is actually fearless? Give evidence to explain your answer. 3) In the text it says, <i>He had lovely yellow curls, fine sweeping moustaches and looked magnificent in the tight breeches, velvet doublets, and ruffled shirts that rich men wore at the time.</i> What do you think, from reading around the text, that breeches and doublets are? 4) Lord Spittleworth and Lord Flapoon find it <i>much cheaper and more amusing to live at the palace</i> why do you think that is? 5) In the text it says, <i>Flapoon was still far sharper than the king.</i> What does this mean? 6) Why do you think Lord Spittleworth and Lord Flapoon encouraged King Fred the Fearless to hold fancy parties, elaborate picnics and sumptuous banquets?
Session Two	<p style="text-align: center;">The Ickabog By J.K. Rowling https://www.theickabog.com/read-the-story/</p>	<p>Please read chapter 2 independently or to an adult. If you are finding the text too tricky to read, ask an adult to read it to you and share the book together.</p>	<p>No questions to answer today.</p>
Session Three	<p style="text-align: center;">The Ickabog By J.K. Rowling https://www.theickabog.com/read-the-story/</p>	<p>Please read chapter 3 independently or to an adult. If you are finding the text too tricky to read, ask an adult to read it to you and share the book together.</p>	<p>Answer the following questions in full sentences.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Why was it a high honour to be the king's own private pastry chef in the City-Within-The-City? 2) What <i>led to the nasty incident which the history books of Cornucopia would later record as the beginning of all the troubles that were to engulf that happy little kingdom?</i> 3) What look do you think Herringbone was giving King Fred? 4) <i>'If she's not fit to work, she should've said so. Properly looked at, that's disloyalty to the king. Or to your suit anyway.'</i> What impression does this give you of Lord Flapoon and the Head Seamstress? 5) Even after being reassured by Lord Flapoon and Lord Spittleworth, King Fred still <i>couldn't be quite easy in his mind.</i> What do you think this means and why do you think King Fred felt this way? 6) When King Fred tells Herringbone that he won't be visiting the seamstress's

			family, Herringbone looked at the king for a few seconds and said nothing before leaving. Why do you think he did this?
Session Four	<p>The Ickabog By J.K. Rowling https://www.theickabog.com/read-the-story/</p>	Please read chapter 4 independently or to an adult. If you are finding the text too tricky to read, ask an adult to read it to you and share the book together.	No questions to answer today.
Session Five	<p>The Ickabog By J.K. Rowling https://www.theickabog.com/read-the-story/</p>	Please read chapter 5 independently or to an adult. If you are finding the text too tricky to read, ask an adult to read it to you and share the book together.	<p>Answer the following questions in full sentences.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Why do you think the king's servants were divided into two groups? One group believing the king was to blame and one believing there must have been some sort of mistake? 2) How do you think Major Beamish felt, when he <i>observed that King Fred seemed quite cheerful after Mrs Dovetail's death, hunting as regularly as ever</i>? 3) The king's chose to move the Dovetails out of their old house to live down by the graveyard. What impression does this give you of the king? 4) How do you think Mr Dovetail felt about the king, even though he continued to work as a servant for the king and why do you think he continued to work for the king? 5) Why do you think that Daisy wore a different dress every day to take fresh posy to her mother's grave? 6) Why do you think, when everything seemed to return to normal, that Daisy never talked about the king?

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Session One	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1) King Fred the Fearless gave himself the name for two reasons. One was because fearless sounded good with Fred and also because he catch and kill a wasp, even though he probably didn't do it himself.2) I don't think King Fred is actually fearless because I don't think he actually caught or killed the wasp. I think he took credit for the work of others.3) Breeches are trousers and doublet is a jacket.4) Lord Spittleworth and Lord Flapoon would find it much cheaper to live at the palace because they don't have to pay for anything. Everything they eat is paid for by the king.5) Flapoon being sharper than the king means he is smarter than the king.6) I think Lord Spittleworth and Lord Flapoon encouraged the king to do all of these things because they enjoyed them.
Session Two	No questions
Session Three	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1) It was a high honour to be the king's own private pastry chef because this was a city of world-class bakers, so she must have been the best of the best.2) The king's great fondness for finery is what led to the nasty incident.3) I think Herringbone was giving King Fred a disapproving look because I think Herringbone was disappointed and disgusted at the king's selfishness but because he worked for the king he couldn't say anything.4) I think it shows Lord Flapoon's selfishness and disregard for the health or feelings of anyone else.5) I think King Fred still felt guilty about his involvement and carelessness at the death of the seamstress.6) I think Herringbone looked at the king for a few seconds because he couldn't believe that he wasn't going to visit the Dovetails. I think it also showed that he was surprised that the king was more worried about what he wanted to do and felt than that of the Dovetails.
Session Four	No questions
Session Five	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1) I think the king's servants were divided into two groups because one group could see that the king was selfish and worried more about what he looked like than anything else. The other group I think were optimistic and just wanted to see the good in the king and hoped that he would've done the right thing if he had done something wrong.2) I think Major Beamish could see that the king obviously didn't feel guilty for very long, because his life went back to normal quickly after the his seamstress's death.3) The king choosing to move the Dovetails out of their old house when he was to blame shows he is selfish and self-absorbed. He doesn't see that it

would be hard for the Dovetails to move.

- 4) I think Mr Dovetail was angry at the king. I think he would've blamed the king for the death of his wife's death. I think he continued to work for the king because he needed the job even more now his wife was dead, because he needed to provide for his daughter.
- 5) Daisy wore a different dress every day because her mother made those dresses and I think by wearing the dresses she felt she was closer to her mum and making her proud for dressing like a lady.
- 6) I think Daisy doesn't talk about the king because her dad may have told her not to, but I also think that this shows she blames the king for the death of her mother. If she didn't blame him I think she would talk about the king.