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# Key Stage 3

## ENGLISH LANGUAGE

### Paper 1 Explorations in creative reading and writing

Year 9 Pack 3

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Time allowed: 1 hour 45 minutes

#### Materials

For this paper you must have:

- **Source A** – provided as a loose insert.

#### Instructions

- Answer **all** questions.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided.
- Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.

#### Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 80.
- There are 40 marks for **Section A** and 40 marks for **Section B**.

#### Advice

- Spend about 15 minutes reading through the Source and all five questions.
- Leave enough time to check your answers.

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**Section A: Reading**

Answer **all** questions in this section.  
You are advised to spend about 45 minutes on this section.

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Read again the first part of the Source from **lines 1 to 6**.

List **four** things that White Fang does from this part of the Source.

**[4 marks]**

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The strange god paused at the foot of the great staircase and listened, and White Fang was as dead, so without movement was he as he watched and waited. Up that staircase the way led to the master and to the master's dearest possessions. White Fang bristled, but waited. The strange god's foot lifted. He was beginning the ascent.

How does the writer use language here to describe White Fang's attack on the strange god?

- words and phrases
- language features and techniques
- sentence forms.

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### Section B: Writing

You are advised to spend about 45 minutes on this section.

Write in full sentences.

You are reminded of the need to plan your answer.

You should leave enough time to check your work at the end.

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Your teacher wants you to contribute to a collection of creative writing. The most striking ones will be selected.

**Either:**

Write a description of a snow scene as suggested by this picture:



**Or:**

Write a story in which an animal saves a life.

(24 marks for content and organisation  
16 marks for technical accuracy)  
**[40 marks]**

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