

CHAPTER 11

Comprehension

1 Read the following sentences and decide if they are True or False. Write T or F in the boxes.

1. Both Oliver and Rose went to talk to Mr Brownlow. ☐
2. Mr Brownlow knew exactly what Rose was talking about. ☐
3. Mr Brownlow arranged to go with Rose to meet Nancy. ☐
4. Fagin sent one of his boys after Nancy. ☐
5. Nancy wanted all the thieves to be arrested. ☐
6. Fagin hated Nancy for what she had done. ☐
7. Sikes shot Nancy in the face. ☐

2 Match the two halves to make true sentences.

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| 1. What Rose told Mr Brownlow | <input type="checkbox"/> | a. that he knew Monks by another name. |
| 2. Mr Brownlow said | <input type="checkbox"/> | b. promised not to harm the other thieves. |
| 3. Fagin realised | <input type="checkbox"/> | c. about Nancy's betrayal by Fagin. |
| 4. Rose and Mr Brownlow | <input type="checkbox"/> | d. confirmed his suspicions about Oliver's past. |
| 5. Sikes was informed | <input type="checkbox"/> | e. that Nancy was planning something. |

Vocabulary

3 Find words/phrases in Chapter 11 which:

1. show Nancy's feelings before the meeting on the bridge (page 44)

2. show Nancy's feelings for the thieves (page 46)

3. show Sikes' violent behaviour towards Nancy (page 46)

4 Complete the following sentences using the words in the box.

suspicious shadows anger mercy password grab
promised confirm described betray

1. You need a _____ to open this file.
2. I'm calling to _____ a reservation for two I have made for tonight.
3. Laura _____ her mother not to stay up late.
4. He didn't mean what he said. He said it in a moment of _____.
5. The eye witness _____ the thief to the police.
6. His _____ were confirmed when he saw the mouse eating the cheese.
7. Don't _____ my arm so hard. It really hurts.
8. The criminal asked for _____ in court.
9. He took money from the enemy to _____ his own country.
10. Late in the afternoon, the _____ are longer.

Follow-up activities

5 Discuss.

1. What do you think Mr Brownlow's suspicions about Oliver's past were?
2. Where do you think Mr Brownlow knows Monks from? Why does Monks use a false name?
3. How do you think Mr Brownlow and Rose will use the information they got?
4. What do you think of Sikes' behaviour towards Nancy?

6 Imagine you are the boy following Nancy to London Bridge. Give Fagin a detailed description of everything you witnessed. (80 - 100 words)