

Class 3

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- Beowulf is broken into 12 sections
 - Danish Nation
 - Begins by talking about Danish kings and how they went from generation to generation.
 - Talks of many characters lost, largely, to time.
 - Plays largely to the Anglo-Saxon idea of Lof
 - Heorot Attacked
 - Coming of Beowulf
 - Feast at Heorot
 - Fight
 - Celebration
 - New Attack
 - New Celebration
 - Beowulf's homecoming
 - Dragon
 - Beowulf v. Dragon
 - Funeral
- Se AnHaga
 - Anglo-Saxon name for The Wanderer
- Epic Digression
 - In the middle of an epic poem, another story is told.
- Volsung Saga
 - The story of Sigmund and the dragon.
- The Finnesburg Fragment
- Epic Exaggeration
 - Think superhero getting hit by a car, falling three stories, and then being able to dust them selves off
- Spolia
 - souvenir of victory that has monetary wealth attached to it
- Treophea
 - A souvenir of victory that holds sentimental value to it.
 - A trophy of victory

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- Heremod
 - A story of a good kind, similar to Hrothgar
- Hygelac
 - Beowulf's Uncle
- Hygd
 - Beowulf's Aunt
 - A good proper queen
 - Weaves Peace
 - In her marriage to Hygelac a great war is avoided
- Modthryth
 - A bad queen
 - Failed to weave peace
 - Was an example of Bad Lof