From Origins to Endings

Year 7 Autumn Term Homework Booklet

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Class:



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Homework should be completed each week and either submitted on your Google Classroom class or written out and handed in to your teacher on the date it is due. Any issues with the homework must be addressed with your teacher before the due date.

Week One – Terminology

Answer Me

Complete the following activities. Your teacher may choose to start their lesson discussing your answers.

- 1) A **noun** is a person, place, object or thing. Write down 5 examples of a noun.
- 2) An **adjective** is a word which describes a noun. Write down 5 examples of an adjective.
- 3) A verb is a doing or being word. Write down 5 examples of a verb.
- 4) An **adverb** adds to a verb. Write down 5 examples of an adverb.

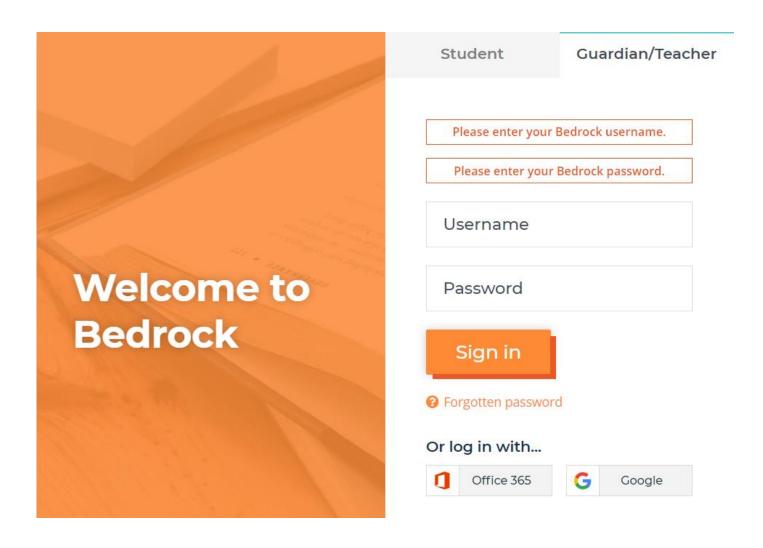
Week Two – Terminology

Learn Me

Learn the following definitions. If you can, try to think of an example. You may be asked to share your ideas at the start of a lesson.

- 1) A **simile** is a non-literal comparison using the words 'like' or 'as'. Write down 3 examples of a simile.
- 2) An **metaphor** is a non-literal comparison using the words 'is' or 'was'. Write down 3 examples of a metaphor.
- 3) **Symbolism** is when an object or an image is used to represent something greater than itself. Can you think of an example?
- 4) **Tension** is the feeling that something is going to happen soon. Can you think of an example of tension being created in something you have read or watched recently?

Week Three – Bedrock



Answer me

Complete the following activities. You will need to be able to explain these concepts in your own words. You may be asked to share your ideas at the start of a lesson.

- 1) How would you explain what culture means?
- 2) How would you explain what origin means?
- 3) How would you explain what mythology means?

Week Five – Bedrock

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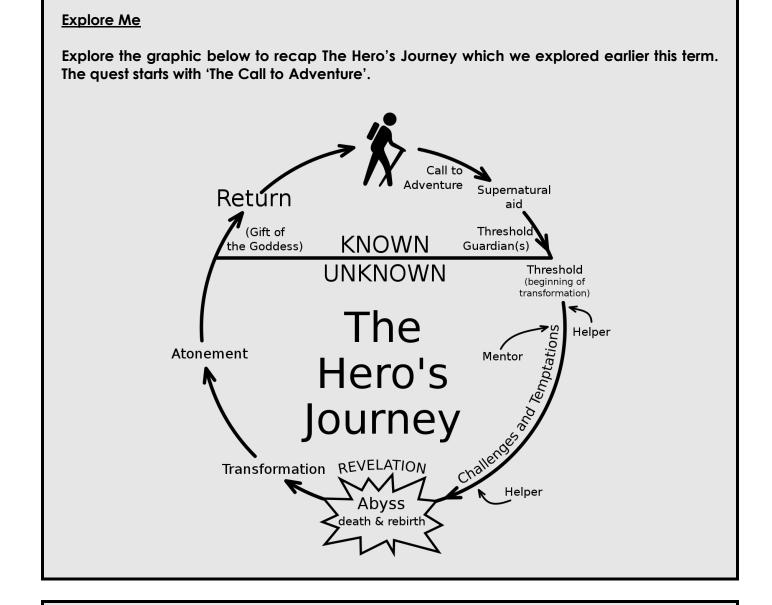
Complete the following activities. You will need to be able to explain these concepts in your own words. You may be asked to share your ideas at the start of a lesson.

- 1) How would you explain what A Hero's Journey means?
- 2) How would you explain what etymology means?

Week Seven – Bedrock

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Week Eight – The Hero's Journey

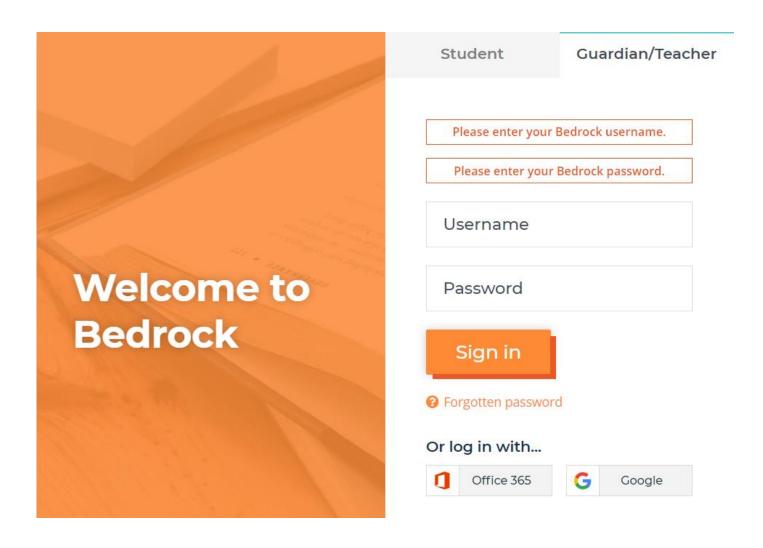


Answer Me

Answer the following questions using the information that you have just explored. Your teacher may choose to start their lesson discussing your answers.

- 1) What does the phrase 'The Call to Adventure' mean in a quest story?
- 2) What is the job of 'The Mentor' in a quest story?
- 3) What is 'The Threshold' in a quest story?
- 4) What sort of things could happen during 'The Abyss (or Ordeal)' in a quest story?
- 5) How will the hero have changed during their journey?

Week Nine – Bedrock



Week Ten - Practising your speech

What do I need to do this week for my homework?

Practise reading your speech a few times.

Think about the following things and practise different ways of reading your speech until you are happy with the best:

- Emphasis (stressing certain words or how you are going to read key parts)
- Diction (how clear you speak and how to pronounce difficult words)
- Punctuation (where you will pause, question, exclaim, etc.)
- Pace (which bits can flow quickly or where you may pause for effect and for how long)

Have a look at famous speeches online to see how the professionals do it. Numerous good examples can be found on YouTube.



What do I need to hand in to my teacher?

Nothing! Just keep practising!