



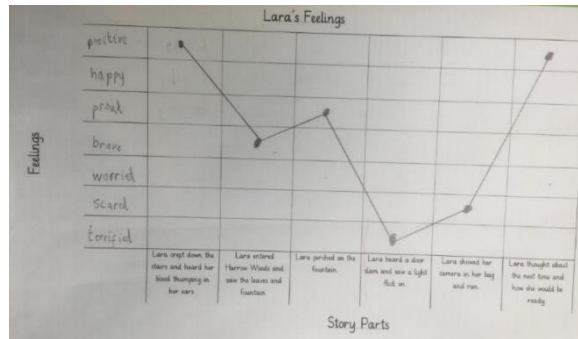
**English**

Continuing with the theme of inspiration, your next unit of work will be based on the famous Christmas truce and the idea that there are heroes all around us! Follow the link and watch the video called War Game by Micheal Foreman. This is the video we will be focusing our next piece of work around but you may wish to watch some of the other videos on this page to get more information about the truce.

<https://www.literacyshed.com/the-christmas-truce.html>

**TASK:**

- 1) Now watch the video again, this time focusing on Will's emotions throughout. You will find that he experiences an 'emotional rollercoaster' throughout the events. Jot down some of the emotions as these will be handy for the next part of the task.
- 2) Have a go at drawing a character emotion graph for the main character Will. Below there is an example of how it could look. You will need to pick key emotions and key events from the video.
- 3) Justify your graph. Have a go at writing an explanation for why you believe Will is feeling a certain way at different key events throughout the clip. Here is a tip for how you might structure your answer:



P – Point. What is the emotion you think Will is feeling and at what point in the film?

E – Evidence. What is your evidence for think this? It could simply be his facial expressions or maybe something he has said or an event he can see.

E – Explain. Explain how your evidence shows that Will is feeling this way.

**Reading:** Read up about Pals Battalions – what can you find out?

**Spelling:** <https://spellingframe.co.uk/> - Year 5 and 6 words – Spelling rule 37. Play some of the games to learn words with cious or -tious suffixes!

**Theme – Evolution and Inheritance**

Task 1: Find out 10 facts about Charles Darwin's life – only 1 or 2 of them can be silly, such as, he once allegedly ate an owl (gross!)

Task 2: In order to survive, animals need to make sure they have food, water, oxygen, shelter, and a place to raise their offspring. Is there anything extra you think you need to survive? Maybe electronics?

There are five major habitats (biomes) found in the world: aquatic, desert, forest, grassland, and tundra (e.g. Artic). Which one would you like to live in and why?

Your task is to research one animal from each biome and consider how they have adapted in order to survive in this environment. Think about their appearance e.g. how long eyelashes help animals from getting things in their eyes or how many animals stay hidden from their predators through camouflage.

You might choose: The Mimic Octopus, the Arabian Camel, the Capuchin Monkey, the Lion and the Polar Bear.

Challenge: Select a predator and one of its prey; then explain how each of them has adapted to try and better the other e.g. a Leopard Seal and Rockhopper penguin.

**Maths**

Starter – Fractions:

Angles in a triangle:

1.  $2/4 \times 1/3 =$       2.  $4/7 + 2/5 =$

3.  $3/8 \div 2/5 =$       4.  $6/10 - 1/5 =$

As we discovered before, angles in a triangle equal

$180^\circ$  no matter what type of triangle. If you know two of the angles, add these together and take this away from  $180^\circ$ .

Work out the sizes of the unknown angles.

Give reasons for your answers.

a)  $x = \square$  because \_\_\_\_\_

b)  $y = \square$  because \_\_\_\_\_

c)  $z = \square$  because \_\_\_\_\_

Do you agree with Ron? \_\_\_\_\_

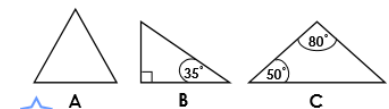
Explain your answer.

**5a. Match each triangle to the best description.**

1. The missing angle in this triangle is  $50^\circ$ .

2. The missing angle in this triangle is a multiple of 5.

3. This triangle has three  $60^\circ$  angles.



If you can, why not have a go at lesson 2 – Angles in a triangle. If you fancy it, have a go at lessons 3 and 4 too. <https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-6/>