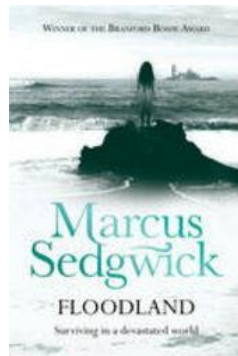


Floodland Activities 2



Reflect on the events that Zoe has endured so far (to the end of chapter 5). Consider her current predicament: she is trapped on the island and she is not sure if she can trust Dooby.

Imagine that you are going to write a letter to Zoe at this point in the story, *what advice would you give her?*

You need to advise Zoe on how to handle the situation she is faced with, what to do, who to speak to, but also be sensitive to her feelings.

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Persuasive Speeches

Listen to chapter six.

Return to the section in which Munchkin reveals how Dooby came to be on the island and how he took control of everyone and everything.

Reflect on how it must have felt to live on the island before his arrival, *how does Munchkin describe how they lived?*

Imagine you are Dooby, you are going to deliver speeches in role as Dooby to persuade the islanders that he should now lead them in order to protect them and to save them from the possible invasions and dangers that could threaten them at any time.

Look at the following clips for some inspiration on how to deliver your speech (you could even film it and send it to us!)

King Henry in Henry V:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bU9-gM3wL9o>

Emmeline Pankhurst delivering the speech commonly known as 'Freedom or death':

<https://bbc.in/2KpNbur>

Malala Yousafzai delivering this address on education to the United Nations Youth Assembly on 'Malala Day', her 16th birthday:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MOqIotJrFVM>

Michelle Obama's last commencement speech

Transcript:

<https://bit.ly/2rGW0Ju>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xB1eGl8Gqcg>

What is the purpose of this speech?-How does it make you feel and why?-In what ways has the speaker considered their audience?-What do you think makes it a good speech?

When you write your speech, remember:

- The use of modal verbs
- Building arguments using multi-clause sentences
- Making statements using short single clause sentences
- Reviewing sentence length and punctuation to make it easy to read aloud
- Consideration around which tense to write in – reflecting on which gives you most authority

We look forward to seeing your finished speeches!

Listen to the rest of the book

Can you write a book review for the newsletter?

Can you write a sequel to the story? What happens next?