

How to Train Your Dragon: Chapter Three

Activity 1

Read Chapter 3.

Once you have completed the chapter, answer the questions below in order to check your understanding.

1) What have the boys momentarily escaped from?

- a. Stoick the Vast
- b. A weyr of dragons
- c. Gobber the Belch

2) Who is attacked and injured by one of the dragons?

- a. Wartihog
- b. Gobber
- c. Snotlout

3) The adjective 'primeval' means?

- a. from the earliest period of the history of the world, very ancient
- b. belonging to the same time
- c. very modern/ ahead of its time

4) The dragons continue to chase the boys. Dragons are braver when...

- a. they hunt alone
- b. they hunt in packs
- c. they are hungry

5) Hiccup takes the blame for waking up the dragons, but who is really responsible?

- a. Snotlout
- b. Speedifist
- c. Fishlegs

6) How old is Hiccup?

- a. Ten and a half
- b. Eleven and a half
- c. Twelve and a half

7) What is the second part of the boys' initiation test?

- a. They must name their dragons
- b. They must train their dragons
- c. They must tame their dragons

8) Who wrote the book Gobber suggests the boys should read?

- a. Professor Yobbish
- b. Professor Snobbish
- c. Professor Tobbish

9) What does the word 'exile' mean?

- a. the state of being sent to live in another country that is not your own, especially for political reasons or as a punishment
- b. to send or bring somebody back to their own country
- c. to leave your own country to go and live permanently in another country