

Fantastic Mr Fox

Text Questions

1. Why were the farmers angry at Mr Fox?
2. Look at the end of the first column of text. Find and copy **two adjectives** that describe Mr Fox's face.
3. What did Mr Fox think was making a rustling sound outside his hole?
4. Why did Mr Fox take a *careful* look around before coming out of his hole?
5. The text ends with "*The entire wood seemed to explode around him*". What do you think happened?
6. The author uses the simile "*Quick as a whip*" to describe how quickly Mr Fox jumped back into his hole. Write another simile that could have been used to describe how quickly he moved.
7. In your own words, explain what is meant by the following phrases that appear in the text:
 - a. smelled out
 - b. mouth of the hole
 - c. his ears pricked
8. Explain and describe how Mr Fox comes out of his hole. Number each step.

For example:

1. *First Mr Fox crept up the dark tunnel to the mouth of the hole.*
2. *Then he poked his nose out of his hole and sniffed once.*



Extra Challenge:

9. Explain why Mr Fox sensed no scent of danger when he sniffed.
10. *When* do you think this is taking place? Find two pieces of evidence from the text to support your answer.