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Fact Retrieval Questions



For each **FACT RETRIEVAL** question, you need to look through the text, spot the information, then answer the question. See how you do with these.

1. Read the first paragraph.

a) How long is the ferry journey supposed to take?

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1 mark

b) How long has Leah been on the ferry so far?

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1 mark

2. What was the weather like on the deck?

sunny with some clouds

windy and cold

sunny with a breeze

windy and rainy

1 mark

Circle your answer.

3. Read the paragraph beginning 'Nearby, Leah's nan...'

Which items did Leah's nan have on deck with her?

Tick **two** boxes.

a blueberry muffin

a mobile phone

a bottle of apple juice

a floppy, wide-brimmed hat

a pack of cards

1 mark

4. '...grappling for the handrail in a clumsy but somehow successful attempt to stay upright.'

What caused Leah to lose her balance?

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1 mark

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5. Which part of the creature's body did Leah see in the water first?

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1 mark

6. What did Leah think the creature was at first?

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1 mark

7. Read the paragraph beginning 'She blinked, rubbed her eyes...'

Write down **two** things you are told in this paragraph about what the sea creature looks like.

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2 marks

8. Why didn't Leah's nan see the sea creature?

She was asleep in her cabin.

She was reading a book.

She was talking to someone.

She was asleep in her chair.

1 mark

Circle your answer.

9. Read from 'Her nan's hand froze...' to the end of the text.

What **two** things did Leah's nan suggest Leah should do when Leah told her about the sea creature?

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2 marks

Tellastauriuses can pick out information from texts even in pitch darkness. How did you get on?

