

'Kensuke's Kingdom' Comprehension

Use the text to help you answer the questions below.

💡 If you see a light bulb next to the question, you will need to think about your own thoughts or opinions, based on what you have read.

1. When was the author's 12th birthday?

2. How old do you think the author is now?

3. What does the word 'deceived' mean?

4. Why does Michael's father call it 'the monkey school'?

5. Why are the Mudlarks always able to win when they played at home?

6. Which adjective does the author use for how mother described life on a boat?

7. Circle the word that is a synonym for 'savage':

protect

attack

eat

bring

8. Why is there a 'terrible silence' at breakfast?



9. What does Mum get upset about on p.6?

10. How does father seem to be a 'changed man' when they see him in Fareham?

11. Who is Peggy Sue?

12. Why does the author use ellipses in the word, 'Ex...cell...ent' on p.10?

