

Chapter 5
A Chat With
Old Wrinkly

and

Chapter 6
Meanwhile
Deep in The
Ocean

How to Train Your Dragon



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Monday June 1st Comprehension questions Chp 5.

5. A chat with old wrinkly

1. Who is Old Wrinkly?
2. What is the one thing Hiccup has got and the tribe needs?
3. What does Old Wrinkly mean when he tells Hiccup that he is "going to have learn to be a hero the hard way".
4. Why has Hiccup kept his hobby a secret?
5. What might be a better way to train a dragon.

Challenge:

Now make up at least two more of your own questions and answer them.

Tuesday 2nd June Writing Task.

After you have read through the Punctuating Speech support Power Point.

1. Your writing task today is to re-write the conversation between Old Wrinkly and Hiccup.

You will be writing this as a conversation between Old Wrinkly and Hiccup including as many of the details from the chapter as you can - the next slide tells you what to try to include.

2. There is a choice of two tasks today. You choose the right one for you.

1. Challenge Task:

To write The conversation in your own words including the details in the next slide

2. Supported Task:

To re-write the conversation on slide 5 adding speech marks - the other punctuation has been done for you.

Tuesday 2nd June – Writing focus

Use speech marks in your writing

Your writing must include the following:

- Hiccup telling Old Wrinkly that he caught a dragon;
- Old Wrinkly being happy at predicting that Hiccup would catch a dragon;
- How small Toothless is;
- A description of a sea dragon.
- Hiccup declaring that he is not a hero;
- Old Wrinkly telling Hiccup that he needs to learn to be a hero the hard way;
- Old Wrinkly knowing that Hiccup can talk to Dragons and how Hiccup could better train his dragon.

Supported task. Re-write the conversation below putting in the speech marks -

At last Hiccup said, I got the dragon.

I said you would, didn't I? replied Old Wrinkly, very pleased with himself. Old Wrinkly had taken up soothsaying in his old age most unsuccessfully.

Something extraordinary you said, complained Hiccup. An animal that would make me stand out from the crowd.

Absolutely, agreed Old Wrinkly, the entrails were undeniable.

The only extraordinary thing about this dragon continued Hiccup, is how extraordinarily SMALL it is. I'm even more of a laughing stock than ever.

Oh dear said Old Wrinkly, chuckling in a wheezy way over his pipe.

Size is relative, Hiccup said Old Wrinkly.

Wednesday 3rd Comprehension Chp 6.

6. Meanwhile, deep in the ocean...

1. How long has the sea dragon been asleep for.
2. Why has the sea dragon been asleep for so long?
3. What is happening now?
4. What do you think will happen next?

Challenge:

Now make up at least three more of your own questions and answer them.