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While reading
Chapters 1–2
1. Put the underlined letters in the right place to make a word.
   a. The wntghrnidai ………………… on the letter was difficult to read.
   b. The ppwnareses ………………… always wrote stories about the island.
   c. Miss Brent and Justice Wargrave had a vsnetanoroci ………………… about the weather.
   d. Vera had a iyodlha ………………… job on the island.
   e. The steppnessga ………………… climbed into the boat.
   f. Emily Brent was an old, anremurid …………………… woman.
   g. It was spisebmoil ………………… to leave the island because there was no boat.

2. Circle the wrong word in the sentences.
   a. Vera sat in a few less comfortable part of the train.
   b. Lombard planned to enjoy enjoying his stay on the island.
   c. The General was travelling on a slowest slower train.
   d. Marston was exciting excited about his holiday on the island.
   e. The tall, older man looked as like a soldier.
   f. Some people were waiting waited for Vera and the General.
   g. Lombard walked silently silent down the stairs.

Chapters 3–4
3. Underline the wrong word and put the right one.
   a. The letter to Rogers was written on a very new machine. …………………
   b. Mr Blore was a doctor from Plymouth. …………………
   c. Mr Blore had to protect Mrs Owen's money. …………………
   d. Edward Seeton was accused of the murder of a young woman. …………………
   e. The General's life was very exciting now. …………………

4. Find the right words in Chapters 3–4.
   a. Somebody is this if they are funny. (p. 17) …………………
   b. A very loud noise. (p. 19) …………………
   c. You are this when you have a lot of things to do. (p. 19) …………………
   d. You tell these when you say something that is not true. (p. 19) …………………
   e. People are this if they drink a lot of beer. (p. 24) …………………
   f. It is similar to very easy. (p. 24) …………………
   g. To put everything in its correct place. (p. 25) …………………

Chapters 5–6
5. Put a word or words on the left with a word or words on the right.
   make hard
   do a sense
   work message
   take down
   believe fire
   send a somebody
   light a notice
   climb job

6. Finish the sentences with the right words.
   tie carried climbed threw took leave looking
   a. Beatrice Taylor ………… herself into a river.
   b. Mrs Brady ………… medicine for her heart.
   c. Lombard usually ………… a gun with him.
   d. The three men saw General Macarthur ………… out to sea.
   e. The General was sure that they weren't going to ………… the island.
   f. Blore and Armstrong helped Lombard ………… the rope.
   g. Lombard ………… up the steep rock.

7. Put the words in the right place to make a sentence.
   a. the Mr Blore boat looking was for
   b. talked The abroad from news guests about
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### Book key

1.1 Open answers (1 c 2 b 3 a 4 c 5 b 6 a 7 b)

1.2 Open answers (1 page 8 2 page 1 3 page 7 4 page 2 5 page 10 6 pages 4–5 7 page 9)

2.1 1 1930s 2 island 3 England 4 train

2.2 1 a Emily Brent b Philip Lombard c Vera Claythorne d Dr Armstrong e Mr Justice Wargrave f General Macarthur g Mr and Mrs Rogers h Mr Blore i Anthony Marston

2.3 1 The house was built by a rich American.

2.4 Open answers (1 c 2 a)

3.1 Mrs Rogers 2 Mr Owen 3 Ten 4 Ten 5 Poison 6 No 7 Nine

3.2 1 a D b G c F d B e A f E g H h C

2 Emily Brent’s

3.3 1 There was a silence that filled the room.

3.4 Open answers

4.1 1 Mrs Rogers 2 sleep/bed/room 3 Marston 4 two 5 eight

4.2 1 a U b T c U d T e T f T g U h U

2 a Mr Justice Wargrave b Dr Armstrong c Emily Brent d Lombard e Blore f General Macarthur g Lombard

4.3 1 Why has Mrs Rogers died?

2 Why hasn’t Fred Narracott come?

3 The general has been unhappy for a long time.

4 In her own opinion, Miss Brent hasn’t done anything wrong.

5 Who has taken the little soldiers?

6 Mr Owen hasn’t finished his job yet.

7 The three men haven’t found him on the island.

4.4 Open answers

5.1 1 a General Macarthur b the judge c the murderer d BEATRICE TAYLOR

2 a walk b food c Rogers d dead

5.2 1 D 2 C 3 A 4 B

5.3 1 nobody 2 everyone 3 Someone’s 4 anyone 5 everyone 6 anybody

5.4 Open answers

6.1 1 Emily Brent dies in the dining-room.

2 She is killed with a hypodermic needle.

3 The judge is found in the sitting-room.

4 Grey wool covers a round, red circle on his head.

5 Late at night, Dr Armstrong disappears from his room.

6 Then there are three little soldier boys left on the table.

6.2 a 3 b 2 c 7 d 5 e 1 f 4 g 8 h 6

6.3 1 clear away 2 call out 3 picked up, threw … out 4 came back 5 went away 6 put … back 7 got up 8 let … in

6.4 Open answers

Talk about it Open answers

Write about it Open answers

Project Open answers

### Discussion activities key

1 Suggested words: blood, knives, guns, poison, witness, guilty, innocent, murder, attack, clues, proof, suspects

2–4 Open answers

5 There was a loud crash when Rogers dropped the coffee. Rogers thought the record was a piece of music. Marston received a letter from an old friend in Norway. Blore had to guard Mrs Owen’s paintings. A boy called Cyril Hamilton drowned. Landor and his friends maybe robbed a bank. Marston choked when he drank the poison. General Macarthur kept a picture of his wife with him.

6–9 Possible phobias: snakes, spiders, worms, open spaces, closed spaces, heights, water, flying, blood

11 Open answers
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12 Vera: So, it is just me and you on the island.
   Lombard: Yes, so one of us is the murderer.
   V: Maybe not. The murderer could be hiding on the
      island.
   L: Impossible. We have searched the island and there
      is nobody else.
   V: Well, I know I am not the murderer, so it must be
      you.
   L: I would be careful about what you are saying. I have
      a gun.
   V: …

13 Open answers

Activity worksheets key

1  a handwriting  b newspapers  c conversation  
   d holiday  e passengers  f unmarried
   g impossible

2  a few  b enjoying  c slowest  d exciting  e as
   f waited  g silent

3  a new > popular  
   b doctor > detective
   c money > paintings
   d young > old
   e exciting > lonely
   f nervous > religious
   g clever > strong

4  a amusing  b crash  c busy  d lies  e drunk
   f simple  g tidy

5  make – sense
   do a – job
   work – hard
   take – notice
   believe – somebody
   send a – message
   light a – fire
   climb – down

6  a threw  b took  c carried  d looking  e leave
   f tie  g climbed

7  a Mr Blore was looking for the boat.
   b The guests talked about news from abroad.
   c The boat usually came between seven and eight.
   d Miss Brent’s servant came from a good family.
   e They started their tour of the island.
   f Armstrong was worried about the crazy General.
   g Armstrong didn’t bring a gun to the island.

8  a Some medicine.
   b They took it upstairs.
   c She was reading her Bible.
   d It was black.
   e In a cupboard.
   f He was chopping wood.
   g He hit her across the face.

9  a Miss Brent
   b Dr Armstrong
   c Justice Wargrave
   d Vera Claythorne
   e Blore
   f Lombard

10 a X  b X  c ✓  d ✓  e ✓  f X  g ✓

11 a calling  b looked  c stronger  d frightening
   e to  f quiet  g anybody

12 a 3  b 5  c 1  d 4  e 2  f 6

13 a outside  b window  c purple  d heart
   e strange  f similar to

Progress test key

1  a 4  b 5  c 2  d 7  e 10  f 1  g 6  h 8
   i 3  j 9

2  a Vera Claythorne
   b Mrs Rogers
   c Dr Armstrong
   d Anthony Marston
   e Mr Rogers
   f Emily Brent
   g General Macarthur
   h Mr Lombard
   i Justice Wargrave
   j Mr Blore

3  a X  b ✓  c X  d ✓  e X  f ✓  g ✓  h ✓
   i X  j ✓

4  a drank  b beautiful  c the sea  d died
   e her bed  f one of the guests  g wool
   h dishonest  i a nurse  j clever

5  a She was a sports teacher.
   b Because he was driving too fast.
   c In Africa.
   d Emily Brent.
   e Sitting by the sea.
   f Because he wanted a better job and more money.
   g Seaweed.
   h Because Vera was screaming.
   i Hugo.
   j A heavy stone clock.
10 Are the sentences right (√) or wrong (✗)?

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<td>Only Justice Wargrave and the doctor saw Emily Brent's dead body.</td>
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<td>There was a broken soldier boy next to the needle.</td>
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<td>There were two candles near the body of Justice Wargrave.</td>
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<td>e</td>
<td>Landor had a wife and a child.</td>
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<td>Dr Armstrong took Lombard's gun.</td>
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<td>g</td>
<td>The window in the dining room was broken.</td>
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11 Circle the wrong word in the sentences.

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<td>The doctor was looking looked at Emily's neck.</td>
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<td>c</td>
<td>Blore and Lombard were the strongest stronger of the group.</td>
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<td>Every person in the group was frightening frightened of the other people.</td>
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<td>Vera Claythorne was afraid to of the dark.</td>
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<td>Blore ran quiet quietly to the to the top of the stairs.</td>
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<td>g</td>
<td>Blore saw somebody anybody going out the door.</td>
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Chapters 11–12

12 What's first? Number the sentences 1–6.

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<td>Vera sees a rope in her bedroom.</td>
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<td>c</td>
<td>Vera and Lombard hear a loud noise from the house.</td>
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<td>d</td>
<td>Vera throws the soldier boys out of the window.</td>
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<td>e</td>
<td>Vera and Lombard pull Armstrong's body away from the water.</td>
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<td>A letter explains the mystery.</td>
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13 Circle the right word or words.

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<td>Vera and Lombard found Blore's body inside / outside the house.</td>
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<td>b</td>
<td>The door / window of Vera's room was open.</td>
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<td>c</td>
<td>Armstrong's body had a terrible purple / red face.</td>
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<td>d</td>
<td>Vera shot Lombard in his head / heart.</td>
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<td>e</td>
<td>The American owner of the island had some very exciting / strange parties.</td>
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<td>f</td>
<td>Wargrave's notes were similar to / different from Emily Brent's notes.</td>
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1 What's first? Number the sentences 1–10.

a Dr Armstrong tells the guests that Mrs Rogers is dead.

b General Macarthur starts to say crazy things.

c Vera reads a poem about ten little soldier boys.

d The guests look for Lombard's gun and the needle.

e The police try to solve the mystery of the Island.

f The guests arrive on Soldier Island.

g Miss Brent is killed with a hypodermic needle.

h The guests find Justice Wargrave dead in a chair.

i Mrs Rogers puts a record on the record player.

j Dr Armstrong disappears from the house.

2 Finish the sentences with the right names.

Justice Wargrave  Emily Brent  Vera Claythorne

Mr Blore  Mr Lombard  General Macarthur

Dr Armstrong  Anthony Marston  Mr Rogers

Mrs Rogers

a ………………… was in love with a man who left her.

b ………………… and her husband looked after an old woman.

c ………………… was found dead on a rock near the sea.

d ………………… liked to drive fast cars and talk to women.

e ………………… knew what time the boat usually came to the island.

f ………………… knew a girl who killed herself.

g ………………… wanted people to leave him alone.

h ………………… was paid to come to the island by Mr Morris.

i ………………… organised the other guests.

j ………………… saw somebody leaving the house at night.

3 Are these sentences right (√) or wrong (X)?

a All of the guests arrived at the boat by train.  

b Justice Wargrave knew Dr Armstrong before they met on the island.

c Mr Blore has been to South Africa.

d An old lady left Mr and Mrs Rogers some money when she died.

e Justice Wargrave didn't think that a woman murdered the guests.

f A curtain disappeared from the bathroom.

g Justice Wargrave put a bee in Emily Brent's room.

h Justice Wargrave was not a healthy man.

i Justice Wargrave didn't see Vera Claythorne kill herself.

j Justice Wargrave killed himself with Lombard's gun.

4 Circle the right word or words.

a In the past, Dr Armstrong drank / ate a lot.

b Anthony Marston had a beautiful / red car.

c Vera Claythorne didn't like thinking about the sea / her family.

d General Macarthur's wife left him / died.

e Dr Armstrong found Mrs Rogers dead in her bed / a chair.

f Justice Wargrave thought that Mr Owen was one of the guests / hiding on the island.

g Emily Brent had a bag of grey cotton / wool.

h Officer Maine thought that Blore was a dishonest / careful police officer.

i Justice Wargrave heard about Dr Armstrong from another doctor / a nurse.

j Wargrave wanted people to know how crazy / clever he was.

5 Answer these questions.

a What was Vera Claythorne's job?

……………………………………………………

b Why did Anthony Marston kill the two children.

……………………………………………………

c Where did Lombard leave some men to die?

……………………………………………………

d Who did Vera Claythorne feel nervous about?

……………………………………………………

e Where was General Macarthur when somebody killed him?

……………………………………………………

f Why did Blore tell lies about a man called Landor?

……………………………………………………

g What did somebody put in Vera Claythorne's room?

……………………………………………………

h Why didn't the guests hear anything when Wargrave was shot?

……………………………………………………

i What was the name of Vera's boyfriend?

……………………………………………………

j What hit Blore on the head and killed him?

……………………………………………………