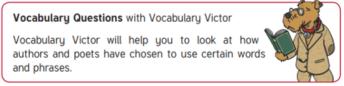


Oxford Books - White

"Space Hunt' by Diana Noonan



Look at the front and back cover. Discuss how these give clues about the stories. Ask the following questions:

- 1. What do you think this story might be about?
- 2. What do you think will happen to the characters in this story?

Question 1 - Read up to page 3

What does the word fragments mean? If your child isn't sure encourage them to look at the whole sentence to be able to make an accurate guess.

Question 2 - Read up to page 5

"Our data shows that Moxor is a hostile planet"

What could hostile mean?

Would you want to visit planet Moxor? Why?

Question 3 - Read up to page 9

"Krool ship coming in fast!" she cried.

Why does the author use an exclamation mark and 'she cried'? What effect does this have on the reader?

Question 4 - Read up to page 13

What does Cat mean by, "We'll be sitting space-ducks if the Krools attack"?

Question 5 - Read up to page 25

Can you think of any other words the author could have used instead of "zoomed"?