English

Lesson 11: Jane Eyre

Mr Brocklehurst punishes Jane

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Mr Johnston



In what way is Jane different to Helen?

Option 1

Jane is happy whereas Helen is sad.

Option 3

Jane believes that we should get revenge on people who wrong us whereas Helen believes in forgiveness.

Option 2

Jane is lazy whereas Helen is a hard worker.

Option 4

Helen is loved by her teachers whereas Jane is hated by them.



Which person's behaviour is hypocritical?

Option 1

Lewis always judged his classmates because he thought they were lazy.

Option 3

Cynthia told her teacher that her dog ate her homework. This was a lie.

Option 2

Antonio told his mum that he would be back home by 8pm. But he got lost and arrived back at 9 pm.

Option 4

Georgia criticised everybody for gossiping. But she was actually the biggest gossip in the school!



- Mr B_____ arrives at L_____ School and meets Miss T_____.
 Mr B_____ is unhappy because Miss T_____ has allowed the children to have b_____ and c____ on days when their porridge is burnt.
- 3. Mr **B**_____ wants the pupils' lives in school to be **t**____ and **s**____ so that they may develop a strong **f**____.
- 4. Mr **B**_____ demands that no pupil should have **c**_____ in their hair and that every pupil must wear **s**_____ clothing.
- 5. As he is speaking, Mr Brocklehurst's three daughters arrive. They are wearing very **e**_____ clothes and have finely **c**____ hair.
- 6. Jane drops and breaks her **s**_____ by mistake. Mr Brocklehurst makes her stand on a **s**____ as a punishment. He also tells the whole school that she is a **l**____ and should be shunned by everybody.
- 7. As Jane is on this chair, she is overwhelmed with **s**____until she sees **H**____**s**__ at her. This gives Jane the **e**____ that she needs to stand up proud and tall on her stool for the length of her punishment.

Complete the sentences

- 1. **Even though** Mr Brocklehurst teaches that the pupils should dress plainly,
- 2. **Whereas** Helen's words about her faith are reflected in her actions,
- 3. Mr Brocklehurst claims that provides the pupils' with cheap clothes and feeds them poorly to help their 'eternal souls', **but**______.
- 4. **Despite** hearing Mr Brocklehurst's words that Jane is a 'liar', Helen

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Extension task

Write a paragraph answering the following question:

How is Helen's faith different than Mr Brocklehurst's faith?

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