

English

Lesson 10: *Jane Eyre*

Jane meets Helen Burns

Downloadable Resource

Mr Johnston



How did Jane respond when John Reed threw a book at her?

Option 1

Jane attacked John in revenge.

Option 2

Jane asked Mrs Reed for help.

Option 3

Jane forgave John and said,
'Don't worry. I'm OK.'

Option 4

Jane left the room to go and read by herself.



Which person is displaying forgiveness?

Option 1

After Rose broke Gordon's lunchbox, he said, 'Don't worry it's fine.' But that night, Gordon was filled with rage against her.

Option 3

Callum is kind to all of his friends.

Option 2

Gina punched Larissa for stealing her pet hamster.

Option 4

Alfie told Simon, 'I'm upset that you broke my phone. But don't worry. Mistakes happen. Do you want to play football?'



1. Mrs **S**_____ becomes angry with **H**_____ **B**_____ in class even though Helen is a good pupil.
2. Mrs **S**_____ says that **H**_____ is 'd_____ ' and tells her off for not cleaning her **n**_____. But Helen has not had the opportunity to **w**_____ this morning because the water in the pitchers was **f**_____ .
3. Mrs Scratcherd **h**_____ Helen over the **n**_____ with a bunch of sharp twigs. Helen remains **c**_____ this whole time.
4. Jane is **c**_____ about why Helen doesn't stand up against this **i**_____ .
5. Helen explains that she follows **J**_____ ' example and tries to **l**_____ her **e**_____ and **f**_____ people who wrong her.



Complete the sentences

1. **Even though** Helen is unjustly punished by Mrs Scratcherd, _____.
2. **Whereas** Helen accepts the injustices that she suffers, _____.
3. Jane disagrees with Helen's acceptance of unjust suffering, **but** _____.
4. **Despite** being very different to Helen, Jane _____.

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Forgiveness	Jesus' example	Endurance	Confused	Admiration



Extension task

Write a paragraph answering the following question:

How does Helen respond to injustice differently to Jane?

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