

Monday 18th January 2021

What do you predict this book will be about?



In the opening I predict that...

In the build up I think that...

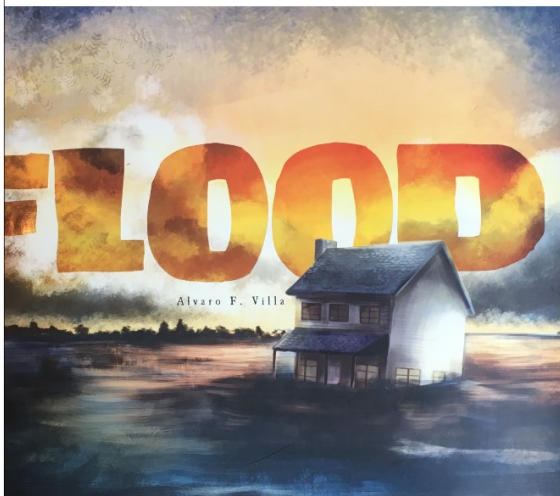
I think the problem or conflict in the story will be...

I think this is resolved by...

In the ending of the book I predict that...

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What are your first impressions of the book?



Why do you think the author chose to use no words and only pictures?

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*Summarise the main events and idea of each page.*



*There is a house in the middle of the countryside. Two children and a dog are playing in the garden. The scene is peaceful and happy.*



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TBAT describe characters, settings and atmosphere

*What do you see and how could you describe it?*



*What feeling or emotion is the author trying to convey in these pages?*

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### **Fronted Adverbials**

*Above the patchwork landscape, a solitary crow circled. Swooping downwards, it saw a white wooden house standing tall and proud, its blue shutters creaking gently in the breeze. Behind the house, a peaceful river meandered across the landscape.*

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Using a colon to introduce a list:

In the surrounding field a family played: a bobble-hatted boy, a blonde-haired girl and a boisterous dog.

In the house, the family relaxed:  
dad fixed a window, mum read a book,  
and the children played quietly.

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TBAT select vocabulary and understand how it enhances meaning



The cruel, menacing clouds began looming over the house.

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How might we personify the approaching storm?



verbs

adjectives



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What are the characters feeling  
in these scenes?



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How can we use 'show, not tell' to show the character's emotions?



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What emotions are being shown?

The girl stood shivering, clutching a teddy bear tightly to her chest as her brother helped pack the car. His face was wet with rain and tears. With the family in the car, the mother gripped the steering wheel tightly and they departed, gazing into the rear-view mirror to watch the house slowly fade into the distance.

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Today you will focus  
on writing the scene  
where the flood  
destroys the home.



You will use a combination of  
figurative language  
(personification) to describe the  
flood and focus on using  
powerful vocabulary.

