

## **Black Beauty (Week 3 - Chapter 1-5)**



### **Chapter 1- My First Home**

1. Is this book written in the 1st or 3rd person?
2. What is the character the author is writing through?
3. Describe the very sad event that happened in this chapter
4. List the adjectives that the author has used in this chapter.

### **Chapter 2 - Breaking Me In**

Using a dictionary/ICT look up the meaning of the following words, write both the word and its meaning.

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|------------|--------|-----------|-----------|---------|
| 1. harness | 2. bit | 3. saddle | 4. stable | 5. whip |
| 6. reins   |        |           |           |         |

After reading Chapter 2, visualise what Black Beauty, Merrylegs and Ginger would have looked like and draw them.

### **Chapter 3 - A Stormy Night**

1. What are horses used for nowadays?
2. What jobs did horses do in the nineteenth century?

Make a list of WOW words and descriptive words that you feel has made this book interesting.

### **Chapter 4 - The Fire**

1. What job was James to be trained up for?
2. How does the writer describe the fire?
3. Describe what the fire engine was back then?
4. How had the fire started?

Draw a picture of the setting of the fire in your jotter, colour it in and then use descriptive words (adjectives) to describe it.

### **Chapter 5 - Emergency**

1. Why was Beauty awoken during the night in an emergency?
2. Why had Beauty become ill?
3. Why should Beauty's racing horse grandfather be very proud of him?