

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> June 2020 - Day 3

**LO: I can answer questions about a text**

Today, we are going to reread our model text carefully and answer some comprehension questions. This activity will help to familiarise us with the characteristics of a Rhiswanozebtah. By the end of this session, we will be experts on this remarkable creature!

**Task**

1. Complete these questions about *The Rhiswanozebtah* in your book. See Day 1 for the text - you will need to refer to this.

- a) What are the four distinct animals that make up the Rhiswanozebtah?
- b) The Rhiswanozebtah likes to sleep in patches of grass. Is this statement TRUE or FALSE?
- c) What evidence is there to suggest that the Rhiswanozebtah is agile?
- d) Find and copy a word that is closest in meaning to *unlikeable*.
- e) The text refers to areas the Rhiswanozebtah inhabits. What are they?
- f) Copy out the table below. Tick the food that the Rhiswanozebtah would eat.

	Would eat	Wouldn't eat
Rabbits		
Cauliflower		
Leaves		
Snakes		
Water buffalo		

- g) Why might the Rhiswanozebtah be so rare?
- h) Which section of the text tells you about what the Rhiswanozebtah can do? Write the opening sentence of that section.
- i) Give two ways in which the Rhiswanozebtah could be a nuisance.

**# Challenge** At the end of the text, it says

*Amazingly however, there have been rare sightings in other parts of the world so, just maybe, the Rhiswanozebtah will be spotted in a neighbourhood near you in the not-so-distant future.*

What would happen if a Rhiswanozebtah did make its home near to where you live?

List the things that you might witness as a result of this new creature moving in. Consider all the facts about how it behaves.