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**The Photo**

**(Story / Article / Play)**

 ***Let’s Draw***Do your own sketch/drawing/ diagram related to the journal or based on your own experiences.

 ***Who Am I?***

Choose any one of the characters in the journal and do a mini profile on them. This needs to include as much information about that character that you found in the journal.

 ***My Thesaurus***

Choose 5 words from the journal and write another word for each word chosen which has a similar meaning. E.g, Hot = Boiling . You may also like to do this as a Pictionary (drawing a picture of the similar meaning of the word).

Readability: 8.5-9.5 years

 ***Syllables***

Write down 2 words from the journal that have 2 syllables, and 1 word that has more than 2 syllables, E.g, Sometimes=some/timesSituation=sit/u/a/tion

 ***Chunking***

Write down 3 words from the journal that you can “Chunk” or split, so one word makes two words. E.g, Sometimes = some + times

***Did I Understand?***

*(Comprehension Questions)*

1. Why do you think Izzy got bored after a while at the beginning?

2. What did Izzy use to bend the metal clips on the frame?

3. What was in the frame?

4. Why did Mums voice sound funny on page 14?

5. Who was Rod?

6. What was Izzy worried about at the end of page 15?

7. What do grown-ups sometimes make?

8. Make up your own moral to this story/what you think is the main point of the story.

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 ***Word Study*** Write and/or draw meanings for these words.

1. Married

2. Divorced

3. Voice

4. Cutlery

***What’s the Question?***

*(You write the question to the answer given below)*

1. Metal clips

2. Fingernail

3. Soccer



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 **My Opinion of the Story/Article** Rate the story/article you have just completed. Give at least one full good or bad point/reason of why you say this. This is what YOU thought of it.

***Activities*** *Choose one of the below (or your teacher will tell you which one to do) in relation to the story/article.*

Title Page Cartoon Drawing or similar

Model Wordfind / Crossword

Mini Pictionary Teacher Choice

Mobile/Craft Your Choice

 ***Picture Cues***

*Find the answers to these questions using the pictures in the story/article.*

1. How many pictures are on the wall on the last two pages?

2. What does Mum wear?

3. How many people are in the photo?

4. What is the envelope on?

 ***Odd 1 Out***

*Which is the odd one out which was not in or related to the story/article?*



Photos

Married



Careers

Divorced

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