



Tuesday 2nd February

1. *Please give them the run of the house and help them with their investigations.*

What does *run of the house* mean in this sentence?

2. *The uncanny events investigated by Mr Holmes proved to be a monster dog...*

Which words is closest in meaning to *uncanny*?

Tick **one**

natural

usual

weird

sly

3. *But both man and girl were found dead, and Hugo seemed to have got his comeuppance at the jaws of a giant hound.*

What does *comeuppance* mean in this sentence?

4. Look at page 117. In what places has Mel lived? Choose **three**.

the slums

on the streets

an orphanage

a workhouse

on a ship

in a homeless shelter

5. Look at page 117, at the paragraph beginning: *The wagonette travelled along...*

Dartmoor is made to seem dull and miserable. Find evidence for this in the text and explain your reasoning.

6. On page 117, Mel and Eve react differently to seeing Dartmoor for the first time.

How does Eve react? Tick **one**

She hates it.

She is indifferent to it.

She finds it uninteresting.

She is impressed by it.