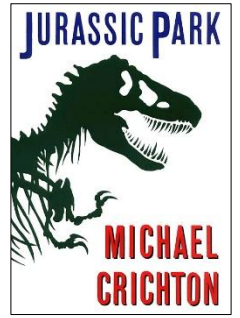


Reading Comprehension Worksheet – “NEDRY”



A. General Comprehension

- Who is Dennis Nedry? What is he doing / planning to do in this extract?
- What can you understand regarding the character named Dodgson? Who can he be in the story?
- Can you recap in a few sentences what is happening in the passage? (No more than 70 words)

B. Writing techniques: How is suspense created in the passage?

Sentence structures	Structure of the passage
Words & Expressions	The narrative pace

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C. Focus on the **vocabulary.**

Lexical field of pain. (= very violent)
Words of motion

- **What is the advantage of the English language in this sort of storytelling?**

D. Storytelling and the use of **direct**, **indirect** and **free indirect speech**.

- 1. Direct speech:**
He sat down on the sofa carelessly. "Why are they asking me to contribute to the project?" he asked.
- 2. Indirect speech:**
He sat down on the sofa carelessly and asked himself why they were asking him to contribute to the project.
- 3. Free indirect speech:**
He sat down on the sofa carelessly. Why are they asking him to contribute to the project?

- **Fill in the grid below by giving examples from the Jurassic Park extract you have just read**

Direct speech	
Indirect speech	
Free indirect speech	