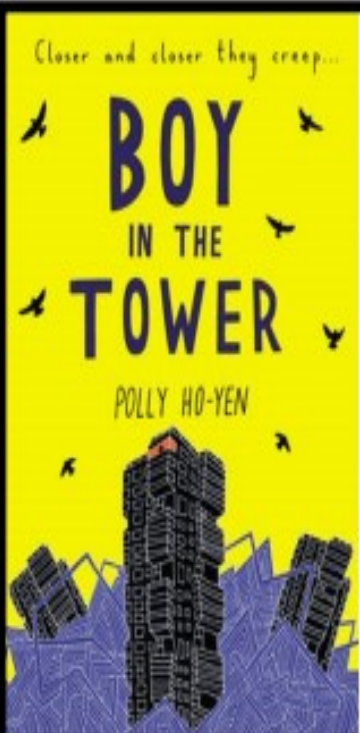


## English Homework Week 1

Answer the questions



*Closer and closer they creep...*

**BOY**  
IN THE  
**TOWER**

POLLY HO-YEN

**Explain** What does the word vibrant mean?

**Retrieve** How many birds are on the front cover?

**Interpret** Using evidence from the front cover, why are the birds flying away?

**Choice** How has the designer of this front cover made you want to read the book?

We have read chapter 1 in class. Complete the task

After reading Chapter 1, discuss the definitions of unknown vocabulary.

Suggested words:

swaying

wispy

stealthily

daze

### Speed Retrieval Challenge



The stain on the ceiling looked like:

- A) A wiggly line      B) A wobbly circle      C) A wobbly mark

The roads are described as:

- A) tiny-looking      B) minute-looking      C) miniature-looking

What colour were the bricks of the school?

- A) Red      B) Grey      C) Brown

Write the correct answer

Quote from the text...	The question it raises...
"I wish I could wake up to another Monday like that."	What's happened to make him wish it was a cold, grey Monday?
"Those days are gone now that the Bluchers are here."	What are the Bluchers and how did they change day to day life?
"...when mum wasn't well."	What's wrong with mum? Is she unwell a lot?

Record the quotes from the text which leave you wanting to know more. Also to record