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1. Choose three facts we know about the dragon from the first sentence.

He was mighty. ☐

He ate princesses. ☐

He lived in a dark cave. ☐

He lived on top of a high mountain. ☐

He lived in a deep valley. ☐



1 mark

2. Number these events in the order in which we are told them.

The dragon could:

Burn down a forest. ☐

Fly higher than the clouds. ☐

Brush away an army. ☐

Smash a castle wall. ☐



1 mark

3. "*with a sweep of his monstrous wing.*"

What does the word "*monstrous*" tell us about the dragon's wing? Tick one.

It used to belong to a monster. ☐

It had a monster's face on it. ☐

It was shiny and sharp. ☐

It was very big. ☐



1 mark

4. Fill in the missing words in the first sentence.

Far, \_\_\_\_\_ away in the high, \_\_\_\_\_ mountains in a deep,

\_\_\_\_\_ valley in a dark, \_\_\_\_\_ cave there lived a mighty dragon.

Why do you think the writer chose to use these words?



1 mark

5. Fill in the missing words.

The dragon could fly higher than a \_\_\_\_\_ and faster than \_\_\_\_\_.

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1 mark

6. Why do you think the dragon went to the castle? Choose the best answer.

He liked smashing castles. ☐

He was angry. ☐

He didn't like armies. ☐

He wanted to get a princess from the castle. ☐

He was a terrible dragon. ☐

Explain why you think that.

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