<u>A Bag Full of Stories (from Usborne Book of Myths and Legends)</u>

Retrieval and Inference Questions   Thursday 13th January

1. A long time ago, how were stories passed from one person to another?

2. True or False: Lom liked to tell the stories to his friends.

3. Look at the paragraph beginning: 'No, it's late.'

Find and copy **one word** which shows that Lom didn't want to go to bed.

4. Which word best describes Lom?

a. intelligent

b. friendly

c. selfish

d. powerful

5. Look at the paragraph beginning, 'Every night since'. Find and copy one word which is closest in meaning to 'scary'.

6. Draw lines to match each phrase with what it shows you about Lom:

whirling around his head	very tired
hang onto his every word	thinking about the stories
eyelids were heavy	listening very carefully

Inference Questions   Friday 14th January

1. Would you want to be Lom's friend? Explain your answer with evidence from the text.

2. In the first paragraph it says, 'stories have a life of their own'. Why is this true of this story?

3. Think about the whole text. What point is the writer making? Tick the best answer:

☐ You hear the same stories all over the world.
☐ You should always try to teach people a lesson.
☐ Stories are for sharing, not just for one person.
☐ Stories are better when they are not written down.