

Before-reading questions

- 1 They drink the blood of animals or people.
- 2 **Model answer:** Transylvania is in Romania, in the centre of Europe. In the 1800s it was green and beautiful with lots of mountains.
- 3 People in the 1800s walked, travelled by horse and carriage, boat or train.
- 4 People wrote and sent many letters to each other.

During-reading questions

CHAPTER ONE

- 1 London, England
- 2 He is a solicitor.
- 3 He has strange, sharp teeth and ears and his fingers are very cold.

CHAPTER TWO

- 1 Carfax, a huge house in London
- 2 Mina
- 3 Whitby in England, Bulgaria, London and Budapest

CHAPTER THREE

- 1 Wild dogs attack, kill her and eat her.
- 2 He finds the count in a box of earth in the ruined chapel.
- 3 a spade

CHAPTER FOUR

- 1 Arthur Holmwood
- 2 a huge black dog
- 3 a bat

CHAPTER FIVE

- 1 Jonathan Harker is in a hospital in Budapest, Hungary.
- 2 Mina Murray travels to Budapest to visit Jonathan.
- 3 Dr Jack Seward and Professor Alfred Van Helsing

CHAPTER SIX

- 1 Arthur Holmwood
- 2 garlic
- 3 Lucy and her mother

CHAPTER SEVEN

- 1 They see Dracula, or man like him, in the street.
- 2 Hampstead Heath
- 3 garlic, a big sharp knife and a wooden stake

CHAPTER EIGHT

- 1 Professor Abraham Van Helsing
- 2 The men take crucifixes, garlic, wooden stakes and knives. They take these things to try to stop Dracula.
- 3 They see Dracula in Mina's room.
- 4 Dracula is trying to drink Mina's blood.

CHAPTER NINE

- 1 to hypnotize her
- 2 Because it is quicker than travelling by ship.
- 3 Because she understands Dracula and can give them information.

CHAPTER TEN

- 1 Because Dracula cannot come out of his box in the day, only at night.
- 2 Five: Lucy, the three women from the attack in the castle, and Dracula.
- 3 Because it is the same name as Professor Van Helsing's, and he helped to save Mina.

After-reading questions

- 1 **Model answer:** Vampires do not eat or drink. Vampires don't sleep at night but in the day. You can't see vampires in the mirror. Vampires can climb down walls. Vampires kill children. Vampires sleep in boxes of earth. Vampires drink blood. Vampires are frightened of crucifixes.

- 2 A bat and a big black dog.
- 3 Jonathan, Van Helsing, Arthur and Jack all have crucifixes, so does the captain of the ship on the rocks at Whitby. A crucifix stops vampires coming near the person who is wearing it.
- 4 *Reader's own answer.*

Exercises

CHAPTER ONE

1	Positive meaning	Negative meaning
	<i>beautiful</i>	<i>afraid</i>
	comfortable	dangerous
	happy	strange
	interesting	terrible
		worried

CHAPTER TWO

- 2 1 Jonathan slept **well** on his first night at the castle.
- 2 **Suddenly**, the count stepped away from the light.
- 3 Jonathan **accidentally** cut his neck when he was shaving.
- 4 Jonathan saw the count climbing **easily** down the side of the castle.
- 5 The three women talked **quietly** together and laughed.
- 6 One of the women then walked **slowly** towards Jonathan.

CHAPTER THREE

- 3 1 heard
- 2 saw
- 3 ran
- 4 ate
- 5 went
- 6 became

CHAPTER FOUR

- 4 1 Nothing has ever happened to Lucy **until now**.
- 2 Dr Seward came to visit Lucy **before lunch**.
- 3 Lucy will write to her friend Mina again very **soon**.
- 4 Mina arrived in Whitby **two weeks ago**.

CHAPTER FIVE

- 5 1 true
- 2 false
- 3 true
- 4 false
- 5 true
- 6 false

CHAPTERS SIX AND SEVEN

- 6 1 worse
- 2 older
- 3 weaker
- 4 hate
- 5 ugly
- 6 awake

CHAPTER EIGHT

- 7 1 **Who** is Dracula?
- 2 **How** did Dracula travel to England?
- 3 **When** does Dracula turn into a dog or bat?
- 4 **What** did the men put on top of the earth in each box?
- 5 **Why** did the men get a shock when they went to Mina's room?
- 6 **Where** did the men find the last twenty boxes?

CHAPTERS NINE AND TEN

- 8 1 c
- 2 d
- 3 e
- 4 b
- 5 a
- 6 f

CHAPTERS NINE AND TEN

- 9 1 The Professor decided to hypnotize Mina.
- 2 Dracula left England and went to Bulgaria.
- 3 After three days they arrived in Varna.
- 4 Jonathan cut off Dracula's head with his knife.
- 5 Arthur pushed a wooden stake into Dracula's heart.
- 6 These terrible things happened seven years ago.

Project work

Reader's own answers.

