

**1 Answer the questions about the story.**

1 Where are the Martians from?  
 a Earth                       b Mercia                       c Mars

2 Who is the narrator?  
 a a Martian                       b he tells the story                       c she tells the story

3 The story is about . . .  
 a a war.                       b fire.                       c travelling.

4 The story is in . . .  
 a 1900.                       b 2000.                       c 2100.

5 The story is in . . .  
 a Wales.                       b Scotland.                       c England.

6 The people in the story are . . .  
 a angry.                       b frightened.                       c hungry.

**2a Look at the pictures. Write the names from the box.**

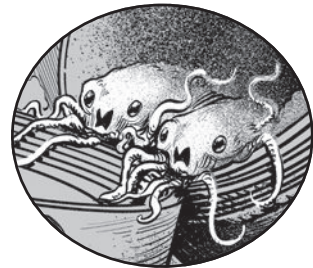
the soldier    Ogilvy    the narrator    the narrator's wife    the Martians    the old man



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2 .....



3 .....



4 .....



5 .....



6 .....

**2b Who said these things? Look at the people in 2a.**

1 A meteorite came from Mars. There's a cylinder in it. The cylinder is opening and I could hear noises!

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2 Aloo! Aloo!

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3 Do you have all your things?

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4 There are lots of machines. They are burning houses and people!

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5 I'm frightened. We must leave now!

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6 Here, people can learn about The War of the Worlds. The Martians and their red weed couldn't live here. There's no bacteria on Mars and the bacteria on Earth killed them.

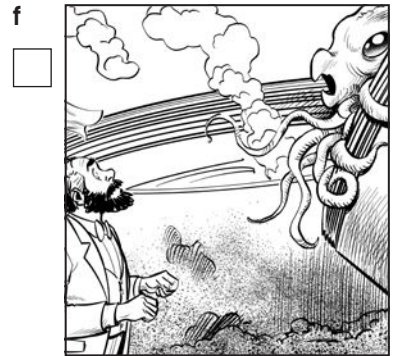
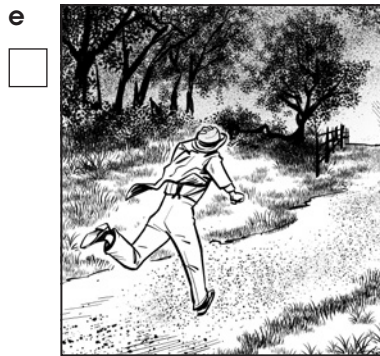
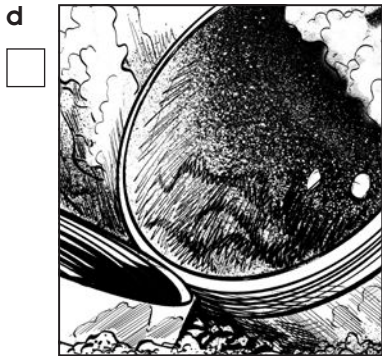
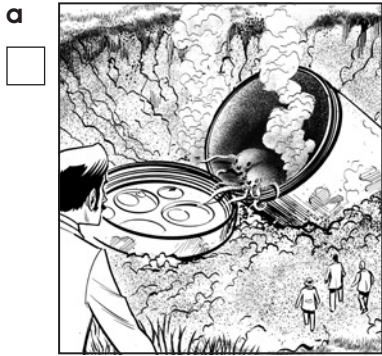
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**2c Complete these sentences about people in the story. Use the words in the box.**

weed      machine      Earth      cousin      Martian      hole

- 1 The narrator tells the story of the Martians coming to .....
- 2 Ogilvy and his friends went into the ..... and died.
- 3 The narrator's wife went to her ..... 's house.
- 4 The soldiers hit a .....
- 5 The ..... took the old man.
- 6 The Martians and their red ..... died.

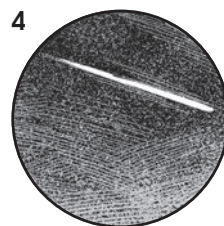
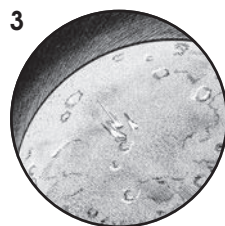
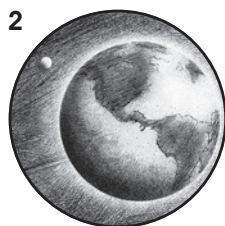
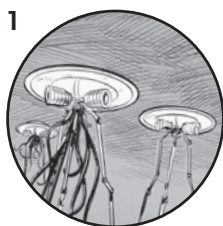
3a Look at the pictures. Put them in the order they happen in the story (1-6).



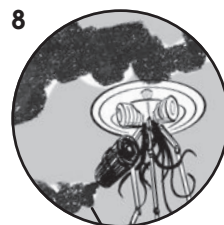
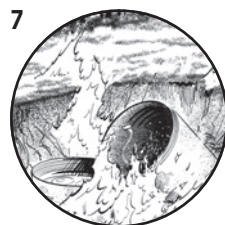
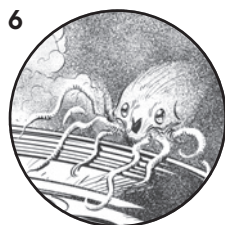
3b Write a caption for each picture as if you were the narrator writing about Ogilvy.

- 1 .....
- 2 .....
- 3 .....
- 4 .....
- 5 .....
- 6 .....

**4** Look at the pictures. Write the words in the puzzle. What is the mystery word?



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The mystery word is: .....

**5a** You are the narrator. List the things you need to take with you to your cousin's house.

- 1 .....
- 2 .....
- 3 .....
- 4 .....
- 5 .....
- 6 .....

**5b** You are a Martian. List the things you are looking for on Earth.

- 1 .....
- 2 .....
- 3 .....
- 4 .....
- 5 .....
- 6 .....

**6a** Work in pairs. Ask and answer questions to the narrator about the day the Martians came.

When was it? .....
Where was it? .....
What did you see? .....
What did you do? .....
Who were you with? .....
Why do you think the Martians came? .....
How did you feel? .....

**6b** Now write a newspaper report from the answers you got in 6a.

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