Year 5 Home learning... Spring Wk16

Reading: 'My Side of the Mountain' by Jean George

Here are the questions to go with this week's reading (make sure you have the right reading sheet). We will discuss these on Friday...

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- 1. Like everything, Sam made his own pockets. Interestingly, he calls this a 'device'. Why do you think he does?
- 2. How long had the deerskin trousers taken to make?
- 3. What's the strongest reason given that tells us wild mushrooms are dangerous to eat?
- 4. Why had Sam gone back to using acorns for flour?

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- 1. As Sam's food-gathering and preparing skills improved, he found the same thing as the Saxons did. What?
- 2. What was so magical to Sam about Frightful on this page?
- 3. How did Sam make sure that Frightful would return to him?
- 4. Regarding Frightful, what was Sam so impressed by?

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- 1. What might 'backwatering wings' mean?
- 2. What might cause Frightful to return to the wild?
- 3. In what way are Frightful and Sam copying each other?

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1. All the animals and birds seem quite tame; why might this be?