

Practice with Hook Sentences

Choose which type of hook sentence each of the following examples are:

1. Throughout the story of “Greyling” by Jane Yolen, the fisherman and his wife keep their son out of the sea

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2. Depressed and dissatisfied describes the wife at the start of “Greyling” by Jane Yolen.

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3. To long for the sea but not know why confuses the young man in Jane Yolen’s story “Greyling.”

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4. Battling the storm is the high point in Jane Yolen’s story “Greyling.”

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5. To be loyal is easy for the dog in “Lob’s Girl” by Joan Aiken.

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6. Among the family members the dog is most loyal to Sandy in Joan Aiken’s story, “Lob’s Girl.”

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7. Loyal and loving describes the bond between the dog and Sandy in “Lob’s Girl” by Joan Aiken.

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8. Returning to help Sandy proves the dog’s loyalty in Joan Aiken’s story, “Lob’s Girl.”

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