

## READING CHECK

### 1 Correct the mistakes in these sentences.

- a D'Artagnan tells ~~Porthos~~ <sup>Athos</sup> about Milady's shoulder.
- b The King sends a letter asking d'Artagnan to visit him at eight o'clock.
- c The Cardinal asks de Tréville to be a captain in his army.
- d The musketeers and d'Artagnan go to fight the Germans in La Rochelle.
- e Milady's men attack Athos several times.
- f The Cardinal asks the Queen to speak to Buckingham.
- g The Cardinal gives Milady a letter saying that she can punish Buckingham in any way.
- h The musketeers listen to the Cardinal talking to Athos.
- i Aramis takes the Cardinal's letter from Milady.

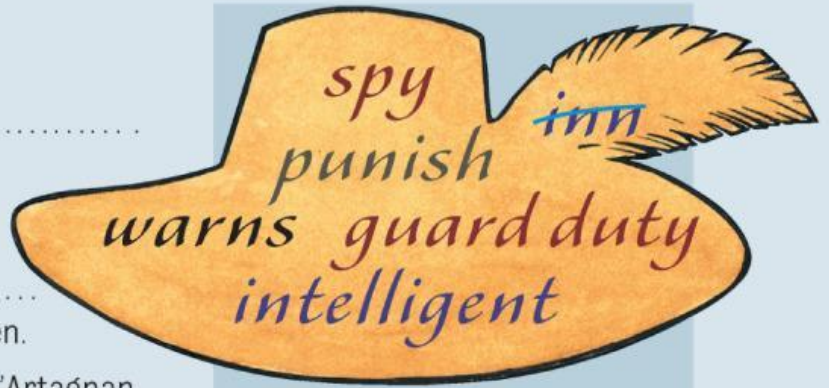
### 2 Who says this? Who do they say it to? Choose from the names below.

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| a <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 3 'I've heard a lot about you.'                  | 1 D'Artagnan to the Cardinal |
| b <input type="checkbox"/> 'I'm going to become one of the King's musketeers.'         | 2 Milady to Athos            |
| c <input type="checkbox"/> 'Milady's shoulder is branded.'                             | 3 the Cardinal to d'Artagnan |
| d <input type="checkbox"/> 'Who are you? What do you want?'                            | 4 Milady to the Cardinal     |
| e <input type="checkbox"/> 'Evil one!'   | 5 D'Artagnan to Athos        |
| f <input type="checkbox"/> 'Help me to kill my enemy and I'll help you to kill yours.' | 6 Athos to Milady            |

## WORD WORK

Use the words in the hat to complete the sentences.

- a Milady and the Cardinal meet in an inn .....
- b Milady is the Cardinal's .....  
.....
- c The Cardinal is an evil but ..... man.
- d He decides not to .....  
d'Artagnan for working for the Queen.
- e The Cardinal ..... d'Artagnan  
not to work against him any more.
- f The three musketeers are on .....  
..... in La Rochelle when Milady arrives.



## GUESS WHAT

What happens in the next chapter? Tick the best answers.

- a Why are the three musketeers worried?
  - 1 ☐ Because the Queen is ill.
  - 2 ☐ Because Milady wants to kill d'Artagnan.
  - 3 ☐ Because the English are going to attack La Rochelle.
- b What do the musketeers do while the English are getting ready to attack?
  - 1 ☐ They eat and drink.
  - 2 ☐ They run away.
  - 3 ☐ They get ready to fight.
- c What happens to the Cardinal's letter?
  - 1 ☐ The musketeers burn it.
  - 2 ☐ The musketeers lose it.
  - 3 ☐ The musketeers decide to put it in a safe place.
- d What do the musketeers do?
  - 1 ☐ They write to the Queen and to Lord de Winter.
  - 2 ☐ They write to the King and the Cardinal.
  - 3 ☐ They kill Milady.
- e What happens to d'Artagnan?
  - 1 ☐ He goes to prison.
  - 2 ☐ He dies.
  - 3 ☐ De Tréville wants him to be a musketeer.



## READING CHECK

Match the sentences with the people.



1 The Cardinal



3 Lord de Winter



4 The Queen

a Planchet carries food and wine for .....<sup>6</sup>

b ..... and ..... push the castle wall onto the English.

c Athos tells the others about Milady's meeting with .....

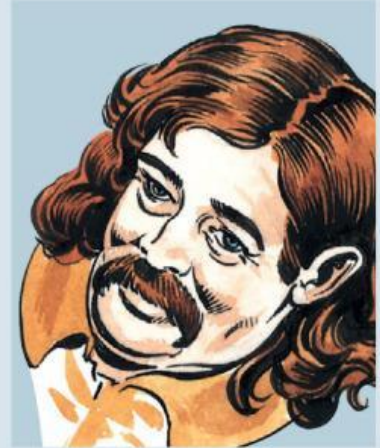
d Athos tells the others that Milady is going to meet and perhaps kill .....

e Athos takes out ..... 's letter for the others to read.

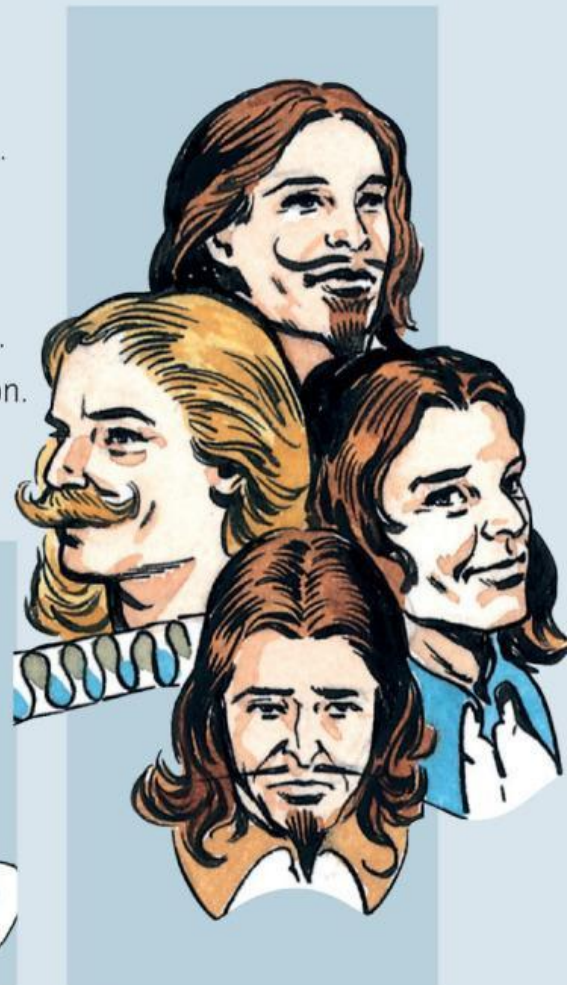
f Aramis writes two letters. One to ..... and one to .....

g ..... takes Lord de Winter's letter to England.

h ..... puts Milady in prison.



2 Planchet



6 The musketeers



5 Buckingham



## WORD WORK

**Find words in the road to complete the sentences.**

- a** There is a castle on the hill in La Rochelle.
- b** The musketeers decide to have a \_\_\_\_\_ there.
- c** Planchet carries the \_\_\_\_\_ with all the food and drink in it.
- d** They take some bottles of good \_\_\_\_\_ with them.
- e** There are a lot of the Cardinal's spies in the French \_\_\_\_\_ so they don't want to talk there.
- f** The musketeers are \_\_\_\_\_ when they hear that d'Artagnan is going to be a musketeer.
- g** A storm \_\_\_\_\_ the ship that Milady is travelling on.
- h** '\_\_\_\_\_' is the sound that a gun makes when you shoot it.



## GUESS WHAT

**What happens in the next chapter? Tick the boxes.**

- a** Milady leaves prison because she ☐ talks to Lord de Winter.  
☐ escapes.
- b** Milady ☐ kills ☐ asks someone to kill Buckingham.
- c** ☐ The Queen ☐ The Cardinal sends a letter to Buckingham asking him to stop the war between England and France.
- d** Milady goes back to France and meets ☐ Constance Bonacieux.  
☐ the Queen.
- e** Milady becomes Constance's ☐ friend.  
☐ enemy.