The Complete Bronte Sisters Children’s Collection

Wuthering Heights

STUDENT PACK

This activity pack belongs to:

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Wuthering Heights
Characters and Relationships
# Wuthering Heights

## Vocabulary List

| **Yorkshire moors** | An open area of hills that is covered with rough grass and is prone to dangerous weather conditions |
| **tenant**          | A person who pays rent to stay in or use a building |
| **landlord**        | A person that owns a building or an area of land and is paid by other people for the use of it |
| **Wuthering Heights** | A dark and cold farmhouse, located high up on a hill in the British Yorkshire moors |
| **Thrushcross Grange** | The inviting and well-kept home of the Linton family |
| **drawing room**     | A comfortable room in a large house used for relaxing or entertaining guests |
| **lichen**          | A dull plant-like organism that grows on rocks, walls, and trees |
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Plot Sequencing

Number the events of the story to put the sequence in order.

- Baby Catherine is born and Cathy dies in childbirth. Heathcliff is heartbroken.
- Heathcliff returns three years later as a gentleman.
- Heathcliff marries Isabella Linton to spite Edgar.
- Cathy spends time with the Lintons and returns home more ladylike.
- Edgar dies and Heathcliff’s son Linton inherits Thrushcross Grange.
- Mr Earnshaw dies and Hindley returns home with his new wife, Francis.
- Cathy marries Edgar Linton and Heathcliff runs away.
- Mr Earnshaw brings home a boy called Heathcliff and everyone dislikes him.
- Heathcliff plots revenge on Hindley for treating him so badly.
- Baby Hareton is born and Frances dies in childbirth.
- Baby Linton is born and Isabella dies in childbirth.
- Heathcliff forces his ill son Linton and Edgar’s son Catherine to marry.
- Linton dies and Catherine marries Hareton and teaches him to read.
- Heathcliff dies and his ghost reunites with Cathy’s on the Yorkshire Moors.

Score: / 10
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Draw the Story!

Create a comic strip using speech bubbles to retell the story!
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Reading Comprehension Sheet

1. Who narrates the story? ........................................................................................................................ [ ]

2. How is the setting of Wuthering Heights described? .......................................................................................... [ ]

3. What is your first impression of Heathcliff? ........................................................................................................ [ ]

4. Find an example of personification used to describe the weather. Explain the effect this has. ........................................ [ ]

5. How long has Cathy’s ghost been haunting Wuthering Heights? ................................................................................ [ ]

6. How does the narrator’s opinion of Heathcliff change from when he first meets him to after his first night? ..................... [ ]

7. Compare and contrast the descriptions of Thrushcross Grange and Wuthering Heights. .................................................. [ ]

8. Who is young Heathcliff and where did Mr Earnshaw find him? .................................................................................. [ ]

9. What is Hindley’s wife’s name, and what makes them return home? ................................................................................ [ ]

10. Why did everyone dislike young Heathcliff? .............................................................................................................. [ ]

11. What is different about Cathy when she returns from Thrushcross Grange? ................................................................. [ ]
12. How does Cathy’s opinion of Heathcliff also change when she returns? .................................................................

13. How does this make Heathcliff feel and what does he do? .........................................................................................

14. Why does Hindley become a bad-tempered drunk? ......................................................................................................

15. Why does Cathy agree to marry Edgar? .........................................................................................................................

16. What could the violent storm symbolise? ........................................................................................................................

17. What is different about Heathcliff when he turns three years later? ..............................................................................

18. How does Heathcliff plan his revenge on Hindley? ........................................................................................................

19. Find where Nelly uses animalistic imagery to describe Heathcliff and explain its effect. ................................................

20. What do Cathy and Heathcliff’s ghosts behave like? ........................................................................................................

Score: / 20
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Diary Writing

Write a diary entry as if you are Heathcliff.
You can choose to write about a day from his childhood or adult life.

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