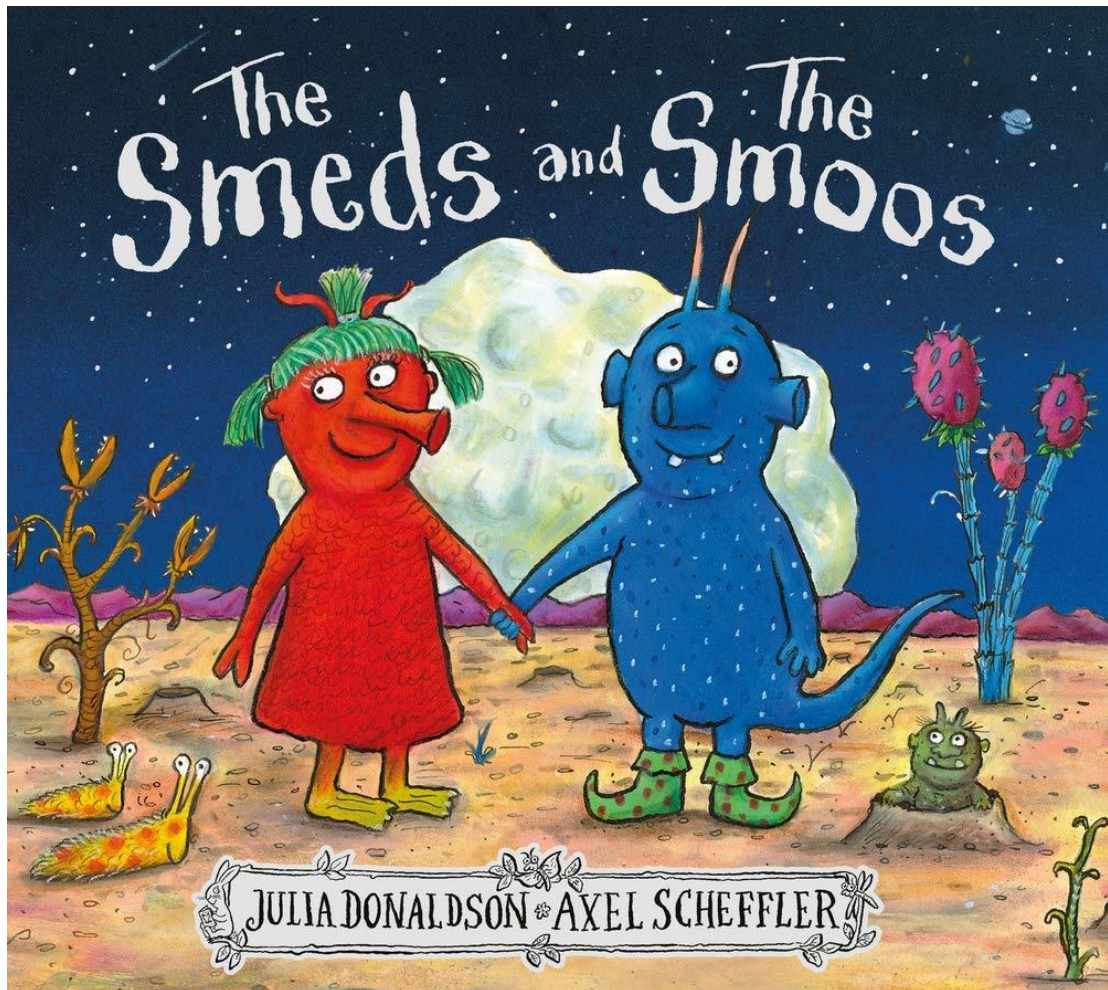


The Smeds and The Smoos

Guided Reading Pack 2



Year 1 Home Learning

Weeks 5 and 6

Activity 1

When reading the book, what can you find out about each of the planet in the story? Let's compare each one.

Planet	Landscape	Sky	Life
Vumjum	A dry place with craters	Blue, golden	Vums are green, have long arms and 3 eyes on stalks
Lurglestrop			
Grimbletosh			
Glurch			
Scoop			
Klaboo			
Janet and Bill's Home Planet			

Activity 2

Using a dictionary, can you find the definition of these unusual words from the book. What does each word mean?

Word	Definition
Quest	
Coated	
Clambered	
Dreadful	
Searched	
Grime	
Glade	



Activity 4

If you met a Smed or a Smoo, what would you ask them? What would you want to know?

Don't forget to use a question mark at the end of each question.

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Activity 5

Find 5 adjectives in the story and then use a dictionary to define these descriptive words if you need to. Can you use these in your own sentence?

Word	Sentence
strange	The <i>strange</i> alien walked carefully because he was far from home.
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Activity 6

Imagine the book wasn't called *The Smeds and The Smoos*. What titles could it have instead? Why have you chosen these titles?

New Title:

I chose this title because...

New Title:

I chose this title because...

Activity 9

This is the second book we have read by Julia Donaldson. What is similar and what is different between this book and *The Gruffalo* from Autumn term?



These things are the same...

These things are different...
