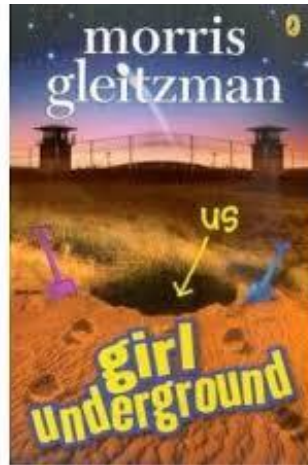


Girl Underground
Post Guided Booklet
Year 6 – Term 2
Week 2
Pre-Reading
&
Chapters 1 - 4





This is the cover of the book we are using at our school. Using your prior knowledge, the cover, title and blurb write a prediction on what you think the story will be about.

Vocab Week 2

Cut up the words and match them with the correct snippet from the book and image. Record dictionary meanings for any words you are still unsure of.

proceeding	"Are we nicked already?"	
priceless	He's got big round glasses and a startled expression.	
crockery	"I'm proceeding in an easterly direction."	
nicked	"Now go back to bed or I'll report you to the headmaster".	
jostling	"Awesome crockery," said Uncle Grub.	
startled	"I'd have jumped out of bed and committed an assault with menaces on their photo album."	

headmaster	We walked past huge sideboards with genuine priceless porcelain vases.	
menaces	Suddenly the courtyard is full of kids, jostling and yelling as they head to the dining hall.	

Answer the following short response questions.

1. Why did Bridget feel anxious about her family being at her boarding school?

2. Explain what Bridget meant when she said 'Are we nicked already?'.

3. How was Bridget able to sympathise with how Gavin felt about being in prison?

4. What made Bridget think the boy's father must be a major crime boss?

CHARACTER PROFILE – BRIDGET

Fill in the character profile below. Add more information as you read the book.

Character Name <i>BRIDGET WHITE</i>
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Physical Description

Personality

Other Interesting Facts	Illustration
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VOCAB – GIRL UNDERGROUND

Proceeding

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Priceless

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Crockery

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VOCAB – GIRL UNDERGROUND

Nicked

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already?"



Jostling

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courtyard is full of
kids, jostling and
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head to the
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Startled

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round glasses
and a startled
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VOCAB – GIRL UNDERGROUND

Menaces

"I'd have jumped out of bed and committed an assault with menaces on their photo album"



Blabbed

"Blabbed about my family"



Headmaster

"Now go back to bed or I'll report you to the headmaster."

