

The Catch

Questions to ask:

Pause the film after 40 seconds when the child hears a noise.

Name three differences between where you live and where the boy lives.

In three sentences, describe what he looks like- can you use an intensifier in each? (Eg extremely, hugely, desperately)

What do you notice about the lake?

Why might the boy be fishing?

How does he feel to have only caught one fish? Why do you think this is?

Pause the clip at 1:27

Describe the fox's appearance when the boy first finds him. What words would you use to describe how both the fox and the boy feel in that moment?

What might be the fox's first thought when he sees the boy's knife?

How does the fox run? List five adverbs (words ending in 'ly'- Eg "rapidly")

Predict what you think is going to happen next.

Pause the film at 2:04 when the boy catches the fox.

Why does the boy look back at his village before chasing the fox through the forest?

Who appears to be winning at this point?



At the end of the clip ask:

How does the weather appear to change as the boy climbs the rocks? Why do you think this is? In what way does it change again when the fox shows him the lake?

How do you think the boy feels/ what does he think when he sees all of the fish in the new lake?

How/why does the fox disappear at the end?

Note: there are no answers for these discussion questions.