

Hello, Seventh Grade!

I pray you are doing well, and you are doing your work. I am sad that we are still at home, and I am sending you more work. But God is in control and there is a reason for everything. We are starting a novel *The Hobbit*. Hopefully we will be back together soon, and we can watch the movie together. I will warn you-the movie is a little different from the book and you won't be able to do the work by watching the movie.

So since we can't do another packet exchange which would include the book, you are going to get the book offline! Pretty fancy, huh? LOL =) You need to go to [mrsjeninebryan.weebly.com](http://mrsjeninebryan.weebly.com) to find the book. It is actually easier to google "The Hobbit pdf" and it should be the third link. If you or your parents are familiar with google.docs, you can turn your work in that way. Just share to my email that you have [cathykow99@gmail.com](mailto:cathykow99@gmail.com) Otherwise, do on lined paper or if you have the ink and paper to print the worksheets (That would be expensive.), write on there. I hope you like the book and we can have some fun with it. Be kind and love one another. Take care.

Love in Christ,

Mrs. KO =)

### **Schedule for 3/30->4/8**

For worksheets, define words using [dictionary.com](http://dictionary.com) or a real dictionary. Answer questions. The page numbers are on the bottom of the pages online, just like they would be in a book.

Monday, 3/30 Pre-reading Worksheet

Tuesday, 3/31 Chapter 1, pages 3-6 worksheet

Wednesday, 4/1 \*Draw a picture of either Bilbo, Gandalf, or a dwarf. Use the descriptions in the book. This is about effort, not artistic ability.

Thursday, 4/2 & Friday, 4/3 Chapter 1, pages 7-13

Monday, 4/6 & Tuesday, 4/7 Chapter 2

Wednesday, 4/8 Map and Questions

**Happy Resurrection Day!! He is risen!! Hallelujah!**

### Pre-reading Questions

1. What is a fairy tale? What is a folk tale? Is there a difference? Explain. (Look them up or use your own words.)

2. Name two stories you would call fairy tales.

3. What is a wizard?

4. Name a wizard from literature, movies, etc.

5. What is oral tradition? (I suggest you look it up.)

6. What is an epic? (Again, I suggest you look it up. Maybe try hero epic if epic gives you trouble.)

7. Name a movie or story you would call an epic.

Chapter 1 *An Unexpected Party*, pages 3-6

Define: prosy-

depredation-

flummoxed-

confusticate-

1. Describe the hobbit hole.

2. Which rooms were the best? Why?

3. What is said about the family Baggins? (Don't just say one thing.)

4. Describe a hobbit.(Again, say a LOT.)

5. What was "often said (in other families)" about a Took ancestor?

6. Describe Gandalf.

7. Name 3 things Bilbo says about Gandalf. They each start with "Not the ..."

8. Name 5 of the dwarves that show up at Bilbo's place.

9. Name 2 of the subjects the dwarves talked about. (page 6)

10. Name 5 food items that the dwarves ask for or Bilbo offers.

Chapter 1 pages 7-13

1. Which dwarf do they keep calling the most important?
2. What is the first song about that the dwarves sing?
3. Name two things the dwarves sing about making in the second song.
4. What made the "tramp of doom" or what were the dwarves fleeing from in the song?
5. How did Bilbo feel as the dwarves sang?
6. Define audacious.
7. What does Thorin say in his "speech" that upsets Bilbo?
8. How was the game of golf invented according to this story?

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9. Name some of the places marked on the map.

10. Who is Smaug?

11. What does Gandalf give Thorin? (He puts it around his neck.)

12. Gandalf calls Bilbo the chosen and selected \_\_\_\_\_.

13. Define obstinate.

14. Summarize Thorin's story of Dale during his grandfather's time.

15. Who gave Gandalf the map? Where was Gandalf given the map?

## Chapter 2 *Roasted Mutton*

1. Define outlandish.

2. Define defray.

3. What are the terms of Bilbo's contract with the group?

4. What happened with one of the ponies, Fili, and Kili?

5. Describe the trolls.

6. Describe what Bilbo imagined doing to the trolls.

7. What happened to the dwarves?

8. Explain how Gandalf rescues them.

9. What happens to trolls if they don't get underground before dawn?

10. Define incantation.

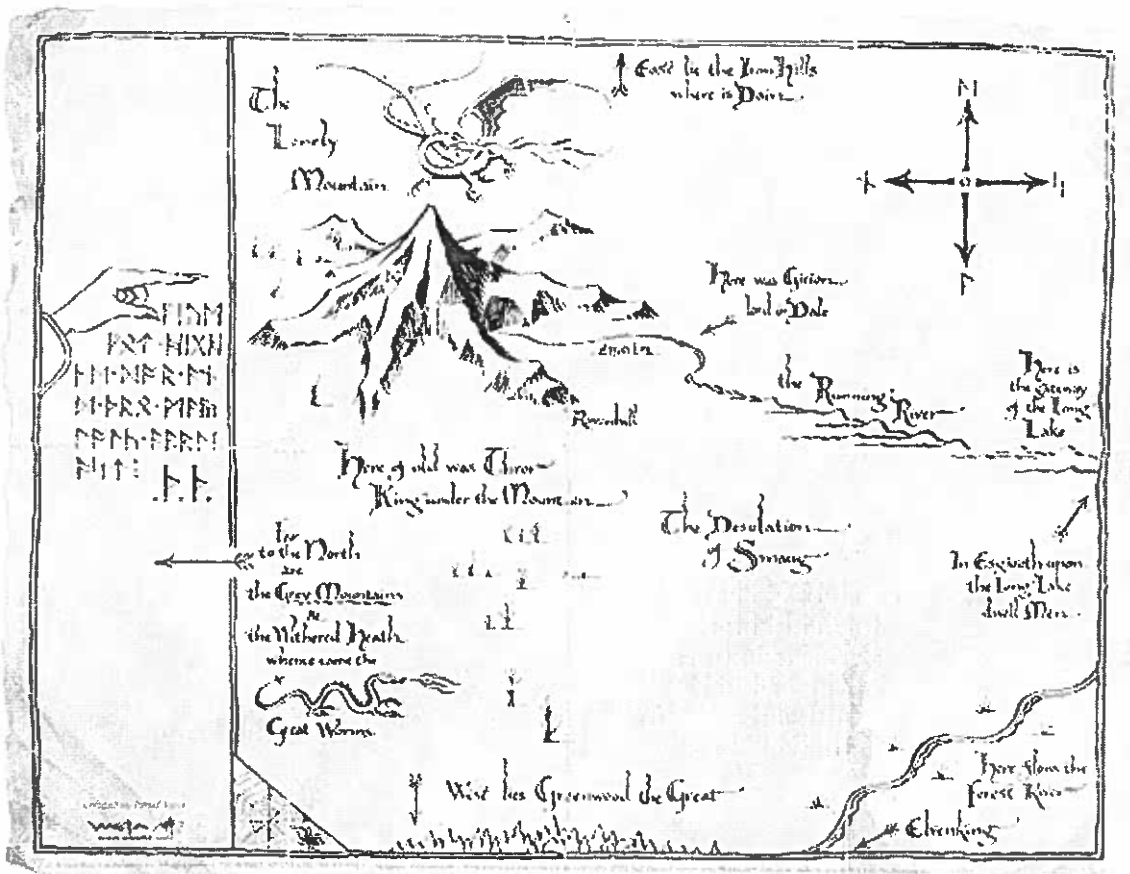
11. How did they get into the trolls' cave?

12. List what they took from the trolls' cave.

13. Define waylay. (past tense waylaid is used)



## Map and Questions



1. Who lives in the middle of the map?
2. What river runs out of Dale?
3. How is the directions arrow (weather vane) labeled? (We would label it N-north, E-east, S-south, and W-west.)
4. Who dwells in Esgaroth upon the Long Lake?
5. Where did the Great Worms come from? What do you think the Great Worms are? (Look at picture.)