

A KIND OF SPARK

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'A Kind of Spark' tells the story of 11-year-old Addie as she campaigns for a memorial in memory of the witch trials that took place in her Scottish hometown.

Addie knows there's more to the story of these 'witches', just like there is more to hers.

Can Addie challenge how the people in her town see her, and her autism, and make her voice heard?

Book summary from www.brownsbfs.co.uk

WORKSHEETS TO ACCOMPANY THE BOOK

Please complete the following questions which have been taken from www.knightsof.media

LITERACY - 1

Write down and summarise the ways in which Addie is affected by the story of the witches in this chapter. (Chapter 7)
What are her reactions to the story? Why do you think Addie has so much empathy for the witches?



LITERACY - 2

Why is Audrey a good friend? How does she support Addie? (Chapter 9)



LITERACY - 3

What qualities do you look for in a friend? (Chapter 9)



LITERACY - 4

Write a letter of apology to Addie from Emily's perspective. (Chapter 15)



LITERACY - 5

Write down a list of your feelings at the end of the story.
Are you happy with the ending - why or why not? (Chapter 21)



Science - 1

What do you learn about sharks on pages 4-5? (Chapter 1)



Science - 2

Research one of your favourite animals and create a fact-file about them!



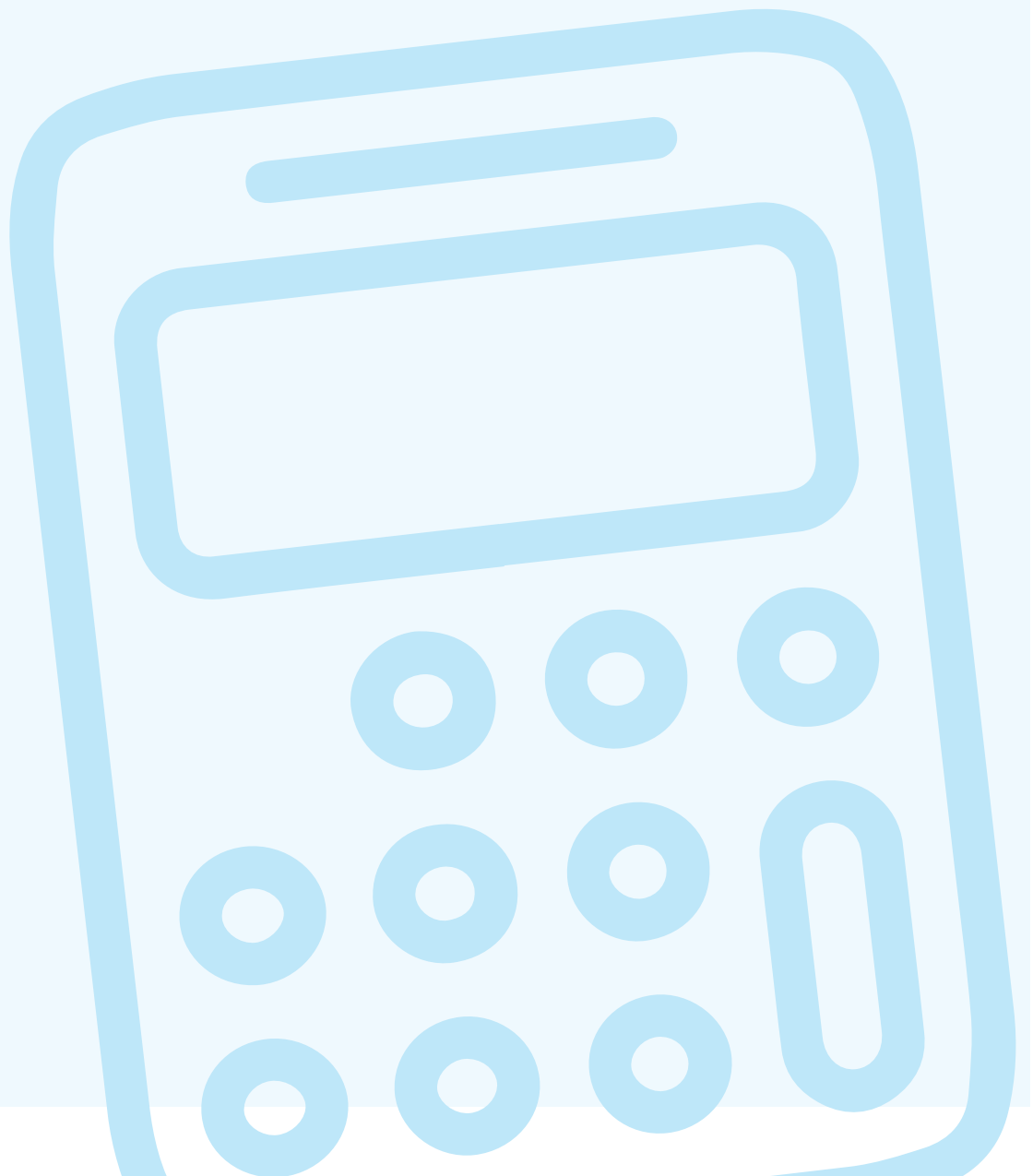
Science - 3

Both sharks and dolphins live in the ocean. What do you know about the ocean?
Carry out some research into where these two creatures live. (Chapter 11)



Mathematics - 1

Why might Addie find her own workings out easier in Maths? (Chapter 11)



Mathematics - 2

Please complete the Long Multiplications tables below - 3 Digits x 2 Digits

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x			2	3

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x			2	6

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		3	6	2
x			5	8

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x			1	7

15.				
		9	1	4
x			5	7

16.				
		7	1	8
x			4	5

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**That person is like a tree planted by streams of water,
which yields its fruit in season and whose leaf does not wither-
whatever they do prospers.**

Psalm 1:3



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