**Template for Questions for Final**

1. Select **10 questions worth 2 points each** (vary the difficulty of the questions)
2. The 10 questions for a single book should **total 20 points**.
3. Check the submitted questions to **verify correctness**, prior to selecting a question.
4. Select **3 tie-breaker** questions.
5. Please submit your choices to me, no later than– **Monday 29 March**.

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| **#** | **Question** | **Answer** | **Elements/Key words/Points** | **Page** |
| e.g.  1 | Describe the boy’s virtual prison room. What did it look like and what did it contain? | “Inside his room there was nothing but a bed and a chair and one window, high up” | * Bed ½ pt * Chair ½ pt * High window 1 pt | Prologue |
| 1 | What did Noah and Grannie Annie’s house always smell like?  Why? | “Noah and Grannie Annie’s house always smelt like minestrone soup, probably from all the vegetables Grannie Annie grew”. | * Minestrone soup 1pt * all the vegetables Grannie Annie grew 1pt | p. 4 |
| 2 | What does the disease DFTD stand for?  How does it spread?  Describe it. | “I’d found a page on the Save the Tasmanian Devil Program site that described a terrible disease, a rare form of cancer that was spread when devils bit each other. The disease, called devil facial tumour disease, started with little lumps or lesions around the devil’s mouth, causing swelling and bleeding before growing into ugly tumours”. | devil facial tumour disease ½ pt  spread when devils bit each other. ½ pt  a rare form of cancer -starts with little lumps lesions around the devil’s mouth, causing swelling and bleeding before growing into ugly tumours. 1pt | p. 154 & 155 |
| 3 | How did Killarney convince Josh to stop acting like a dog? | “Egg hunt? …I hide, you find, I instructed. But you can’t be dog anymore. Dogs are allergic to chocolate”. | * Egg hunt 1pt * Dogs allergic to chocolate 1pt | p.16 |
| 4 | What did Missy win the trophy for? What was Killarney’s involvement in the win? | “Missy …had been to their first gymkhana on the holidays. I’d (Killarney) plaited the ponies’ manes and tails and even done the girls’ hair to match. ‘Which event did you win’ …Der! First place for presentation, obviously”. | * First place for presentation 1pt * plaited the ponies’ manes and tails and even done the girls’ hair to match. 1pt | p.25 |
| 5 | Why had Killarney’s mum declared the reserve was out of bounds? Give 2 examples of what was there? | …worried I’d get tetanus from the illegally dumped rubbish…. abandoned shopping trolleys, towers of rotting garden waste hundreds of scattered plastic bottles and bags”. | * worried Killarney would get tetanus from the illegally dumped rubbish 1pt   Any 2 of the following:   * abandoned shopping trolleys 1/2pt * towers of rotting garden waste 1/2pt * hundreds of scattered plastic bottles and bags 1/2pt | p.35& 36 |
| 6 | What were the 4 points that let April think that the thing under Killarney’s house was a female Tasmanian devil ready to den? | “Okay so we’ve got stolen clothes, wiry poo, red eyeshine and some fairly distinct vocalisations”. | * stolen clothes 1/2pt * wiry poo 1/2pt * red eyeshine 1/2pt * distinct vocalisation (devil screeches) 1/2pt | p. 55 |
| 7 | How could Professor April tell the Tasmanian Devil was about 3 years old? | “She’s got four pairs of upper incisors and three pairs of lower incisors. That tells me she is about 3 years old”. | * four pairs of upper incisors 1pt * three pairs of lower incisors 1pt | p.72 |
| 8 | What is ‘denning”? | “When imps have left the pouch and the mother hides them in a safe spot for a few hours a day while she goes off to find food” | * left the pouch 1/2pt * mother hides them in a safe spot for few hours a day1/2pt * while she goes off to find food 1pt | p.75 |
| 9 | Back in the old days, what did land owners/farmers blame the Tasmanian devils for?  How did they get rid of them? | “Back in the day, thousands of farmers like him blamed feisty Tassie devils for eating lambs…they had a bounty on devils just like the Tasmanian Tiger. The reward was something like two shillings for a male and three for a female”. | * eating lambs 1pt * they had a bounty on devils just like the Tasmanian Tiger - two shillings for a male and three for a female 1pt | p.81 |
| 10 | What were 4 ways listed on the poster to help save endangered Tasmanian Devils? | Help us help endangered Tasmanian Devils by:   * Keeping dogs on leads * Driving slowly * Avoiding use of rat poison * Not clearing trees (unless absolutely necessary) * Leaving out fresh water to drink | Any four of the following:   * Keeping dogs on leads 1/2pt * Driving slowly 1/2pt * Avoiding use of rat poison 1/2pt * Not clearing trees (unless absolutely necessary) 1/2pt * Leaving out fresh water to drink 1/2pt | p. 94 |
|  | **Tie-breaker Questions** |  |  |  |
| 1 | What was Killarney’s idea to make the residents of Dodge fall in lobe with Fer, the Tasmanian Devil? | “I’m thinking if you replace the broken floorboards with tinted glass. Fern won’t be able t o see us, but we will be able to see her. That way, people can find out for themselves how sweet a devil can be” | Replace the broken floorboards with tinted glass. 1pt  Fern won’t be able to see us, but we will be able to see her. That way, people can find out for themselves how sweet a devil can be 1pt | p. 113 |
| 2 | In what way are Tasmanian devils useful in sheep farming? | “Flystrike is one of the curses for sheep farming. Starts when flies lay their eggs in the sheep’s fleece, and then when the maggots hatch, the eat into the skin of the sheep, making them terribly sick…But to think we have devils around, clearing away the source of the flies – that’s fantastic”. | Help control Flystrike 1pt  clearing away the source of the flies 1pt | p.118 |
| 3 | What changed Mr Snibbler’s attitude towards Tasmanian Devils? | “A dead cat?” he repeated, brushing cake crumbs from his moustache. “Well, well. Now that’s just made my day. Can’t stand those rotten felines, putting dirty paw prints om my limousine. Ha! To think I as so reluctant at first. Well, not anymore. The devils are welcome, if that’s the outcome we get”. | * dead cat 1pt * Can’t stand cats putting dirty paw prints om my limousine. 1/2pt * The devils are welcome, if that’s the outcome we get. 1/2pt |  |