

Year 6 Reading: Holes (Survival)



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holes

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There are no poisonous lizards, but there are three venomous lizards – the Gila monster, the Mexican beaded lizard and the Komodo dragon. Venomous animals deliver venom through their bite or sting, whereas poisonous animals, like some frogs, usually secrete the poison through their skin.

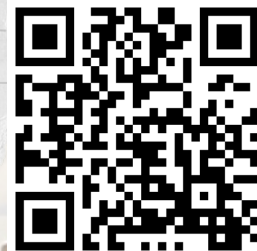
We will be:

1. Exploring themes
2. Making inferences
3. Asking and answering questions

The Chihuahuan Desert is the largest desert in North America covering more than 200,000 square miles. Summer temperatures can reach almost 40 degrees making it a hostile environment for life. It is home to more than 170 species of amphibians and reptiles including snakes and scorpions.

Themes:

Punishment
Destiny
Friendship
Justice
Revenge
Racism



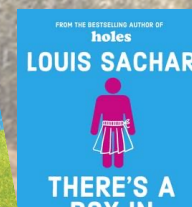
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Like in the UK, a person in Texas can be arrested and charged in a juvenile court for crimes after their tenth birthday. A person 10 or older who is found guilty of certain crimes can be detained in a juvenile detention centre. A juvenile detention centre is a secure facility like a prison. Young