

Book Knowledge Organiser – Crater Lake

Main Characters

Lance (protagonist)	11 year old boy and Year 6 pupil at Mortmorency Primary School
Katja	Lance's friend who is an excellent climber.
Adrianne	Lance's friend and head girl
Chets	Lance's best friend
Mak	Lance's best friend who is good at survival
Trent (antagonist)	Lance's arch enemy
Miss Hoche (antagonist)	Assistant head teacher at Mortmorency Primary School
Digger (antagonist)	Crater Lake Centre manager
Mr Tomkins Miss Rani	Teachers from Mortmorency Primary School
Coach driver	Drops the children off at Crater Lake
Dale	An employee at Crater Lake
Midge, Atul, Dennis, Krish, Celine, Prit, Gracie, Noah, Luca, Jayden, Rav, Khalil, Chips, Dennis, Dylan, Emily-Rose, Lily, Simran, Tallulah, Ela	Other Year 6 pupils



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









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Plot: The Year 6 children from Mortmorency Primary attend their end of school residential trip at an activity centre. However, all is not what it seems...

Setting: Crater Lake – a lake and activity centre in the countryside.

Themes: suspense, friendship, secrets, loyalty, standing up to others.

Key Vocabulary

antagonising		making someone feel angry towards you
betrayal		when someone you trust hurts or disappoints
bug-eyed		bulging eyes like an insect
deserted		nobody there
dormitory		a large bedroom where lots of people sleep
emerge		to come out of somewhere
escalating		becoming greater in seriousness or intensity
exponentially		growing or increasing rapidly
frenzy		great excitement or wild behaviour
ranting		talking loudly or angrily
staggering		walking unsteadily
unconscious		a state similar to sleep, normally as a result of an accident
unstoppable		cannot be prevented from happening
venom		poison from an animal's bite or sting