



The Abominables

Plot summary:

When Agatha is kidnapped by a gigantic hairy monster on a Himalayan mountain, she soon discovers that the yeti is clever and kind. She also realises that yetis are in danger and need her help. Agatha embarks on a daring and secret journey to get the yeti family to safety. But first, can she teach them some manners?

Characters

Agatha	A well-spoken English girl who is kidnapped and lives with the Yetis.
Ambrose	A kind-hearted yeti who loves all animals.
Lucy	Another of the yetis who looks after the others.
Clarence	He was naughty and hit his head meaning he is not as clever as the other yetis
Uncle Otto	A shy and unwanted yeti with a bald patch who turns out to be very intelligent.
Perry	Perry is the lorry driver who helps to get the yetis back to England.
Con	Con is the son of the hotel Cook who gets the yetis safely back to Hampshire.



Key quotes

'It is easy to trick innocent creatures who trust you. The yetis would not wake for a long time now. And when they did, the fate in store for them was too dreadful for anyone to imagine.'

Vocabulary

trek	a long journey, made on foot.
inhabitants	a person or animal that lives in or occupies a place.
yeti	a mythological creature that is said to live in the Himalayan mountains
yak	a large wild ox with shaggy hair, and large horns.
hibernate	to sleep or be inactive during winter or cold months

Discussion points

Do you think yetis exist?
If they do, is it fair that they are hunted and killed?