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WORDS VS. FEELINGS

WHAT CHARACTERS REALLY MEAN



Learning Target: I can analyze when characters say one thing but feel something different.

In Chapter 17, Abigail says something about Hugo that hurts his feelings. But does she really mean it?

PART 1: WHAT ABIGAIL SAYS

Abigail's exact words about Hugo: " _____
_____ "

Who is she talking to? _____

Why is she saying this? (What's happening in the scene?) _____

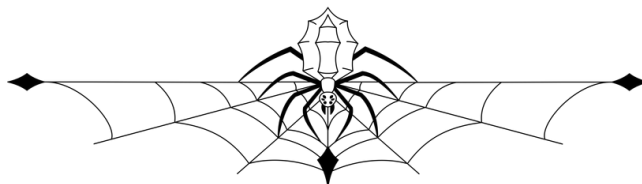
PART 2: WHAT ABIGAIL REALLY FEELS

Do you think Abigail means what she says? ☐ YES ☐ NO ☐ PARTIALLY

Evidence that shows her TRUE feelings about Hugo:

From earlier chapters: _____

From her actions: _____



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PART 3: WHY PEOPLE SAY THINGS THEY DON'T MEAN

Check the reasons that might explain why Abigail said this:

- ☐ She wants to fit in with the other witchlings
- ☐ She's embarrassed to have a Balfin friend
- ☐ She's trying to protect Hugo from the other witches
- ☐ She's angry at Hugo about something
- ☐ She's scared of what the others think
- ☐ Other: _____



Choose the MAIN reason and explain:

PART 4: PREDICTIONS & PERSONAL CONNECTION

What do you think will happen when Abigail and Hugo see each other again?

Have you ever said something you didn't really mean? Why did you say it?

How did you fix it?
