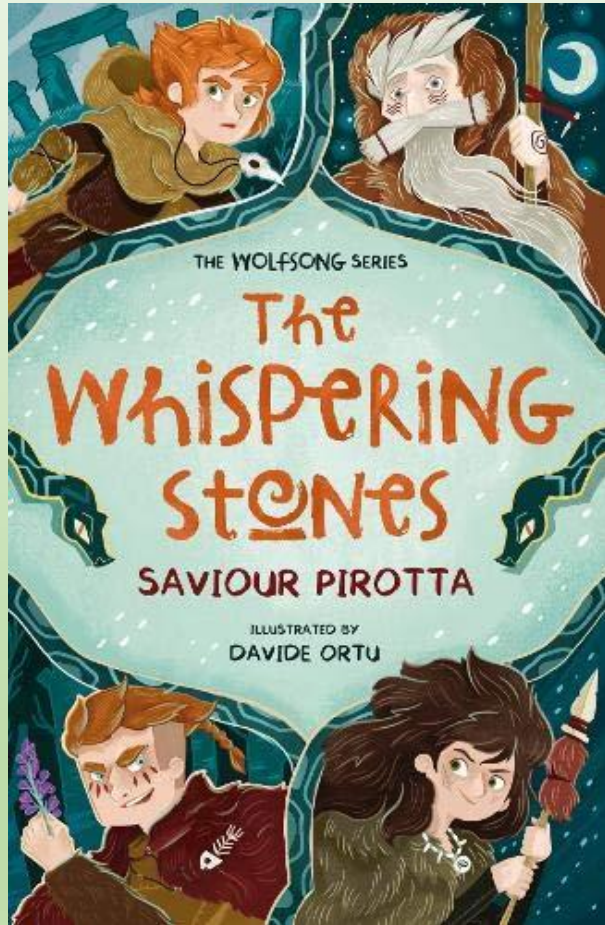


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First, we will listen to another extract from *The Whispering Stones*.
From 'As I spoke' pg 18 - 'feast' pg 25



Metal Ages vocabulary

amulet: a small piece of jewellery that was believed to give protection against danger or disease.
Metal Age people used metal or bones and skulls to make amulets.

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Wolf

In this extract of *The Whispering Stones*, Wolf and Rain are having a disagreement.

Rain is Moon's son and he is jealous that Moon has chosen Wolf to be the next shaman and healer instead of him.

In a moment we will look at the conversation between them. First let's see how many direct speech rules we can remember.



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Speech marks rules!



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Speech marks rules!

- Put your **speech marks** at the beginning and end of the **direct speech (the words being spoken)**
- Begin the **direct speech** with a **capital letter**.
- End the **direct speech** with a piece of punctuation like **? ! or ,**
- Start each new speaker on a new line.
- Put your **full stop** at the end of the whole sentence, including both the direct speech and the explanation of which character spoke.

“A new moon brings new beginnings,” said Moon.

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Listen to this conversation between Wolf and Rain.
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"But for how long?" said Rain. "I bet you are secretly hoping that your thieving friend Crow will come back and steel something else!"



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"There goes the village traitor" **raged** Rain **angrily**. "He looks like a harmless shepherd but he let a complete stranger into our village and she robbed us!"

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Wolf



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Wolf

- kind
- gentle
- wants to be a shaman and a healer like Moon
- friends with Moon
- friends with Crow
- rescued the stolen spear
- has a special amulet

What do we know about the characters Wolf and Rain?



Rain

- angry
- Jealous of Wolf
- Moon's son
- Wants to be the next shaman and healer instead of Wolf
- Blames Crow for stealing the spear
- hunter

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Wolf

What do we know about the characters Wolf and Rain?

Imagine that Wolf and Rain meet again. What might they say to each other?

Share some ideas.



Rain

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Wolf

After our zoom input, make a list of

calm and angry

Alternative words and adverbs for said.

Write direct speech sentences for the next conversation that Wolf and Rain might have.

Try to include " " correctly and use your alternative words for said in your sentences.



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Wolf



Rain

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Write some adverbs and alternative words for said that are:

calm
said peacefully

angry
roared

Write direct speech sentences for a conversation between Wolf and Rain. Try to include speech marks "" and alternative words for said.
