

Year 6



English



Spring 1

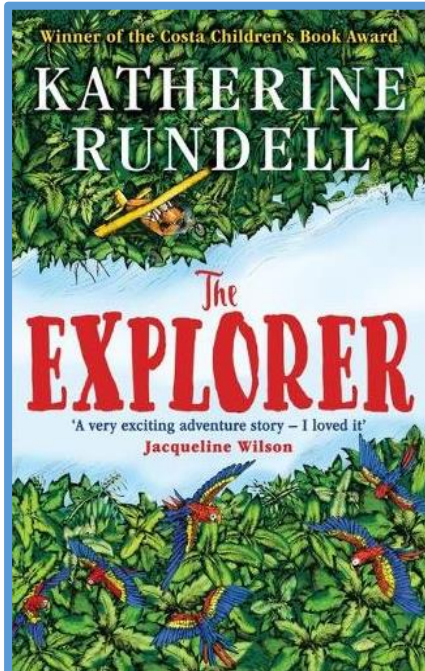
Plot

Fred, Con, Lila, and Max are on their way back to England from Manaus when the plane they're on crashes and the pilot dies upon landing. For days they survive alone, until Fred finds a map that leads them to a ruined city and to a secret.



Author

Katherine Rundell (born 1987) is an English author and academic. She is the author of *Rooftoppers*, which in 2014 won both the overall Waterstones Children's Book Prize and the Blue Peter Book Award for Best Story. It was also short-listed for the Carnegie Medal.



Tense– Tells us when in time an action took place

Past	Present	Future
Simple Past I <i>walked</i> We <i>saw</i> You <i>ran</i>	Simple Present I <i>walk</i> We <i>see</i> You <i>run</i>	Simple Future I <i>will walk</i> We <i>will see</i> You <i>will run</i>
Past Continuous/ Progressive I <i>was walking</i> We <i>were seeing</i> You <i>were running</i>	Present Continuous/ Progressive I <i>am walking</i> We <i>are seeing</i> You <i>are running</i>	Future Continuous/ Progressive I <i>will be walking</i> We <i>will be seeing</i> You <i>will be running</i>
Past Perfect I <i>had walked</i> We <i>had seen</i> You <i>had run</i>	Present Perfect I <i>have walked</i> We <i>have seen</i> You <i>have run</i>	Future Perfect I <i>will have walked</i> We <i>will have seen</i> You <i>will have run</i>

Speech

The child asked, "What are your plans for the weekend?"

Key Vocabulary

Character- A person or creature who is in the story

Setting- The place where a story takes place

Opening- The introduction to a story, setting the scene

Build up- What is going to happen in the story?

Add in some problems or a mystery to solve.

Problem- Pick what the main problem or obstacle

Resolution– How a problem is solved within a story

Ending- Where everything comes together and is finalised

Passive and Active

Voice

Active – Subject performs the action.

The cat chased the mouse.

Passive – When the subject has something done to it.

The mouse was chased by the cat.