

Reading Vipers

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Vocabulary

Infer

Predict

Explain

Retrieve

Sequence or Summarise



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WALT: To explain the author's choices.

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Read the first paragraph of Chapter 5 again.

What Max had not bargained for, when the bunch of people moved off at the peep-peep-peeping of the little green man, was that another bunch would be coming towards him from the other side of the street. So that when he was about halfway across, hurrying along at the heels of one crowd, he was suddenly confronted by another. He dodged about in a forest of legs, in great danger of being stepped on. No one seemed to notice his small shape and, indeed, he was kicked by a large foot and rolled backwards.

Why do you think the author chose the phrase 'a forest of legs'?

Write a sentence explaining why. Remember to use what you have read to support your answers.

The sentence must start with...

I think...

Explain why using the conjunction...

because



Extension:

The author used the phrase 'a forest of legs'.
Draw what you think Max would have seen as
he was crossing the road.

