

INTERMEDIATE LEVEL

Bristol Murder by Philip Prowse

A Before Reading

- 1 Read the information on the back cover. Now write the first paragraph of the story.
- 2 Imagine you are a policeman. Write five questions which you want to ask John Stevens.
- 3 Read pages 4 to 6 *The People in This Story*. Now close the book. Look at the pictures below. Who are these people? Write the correct name under each drawing. Then write two facts about each person.



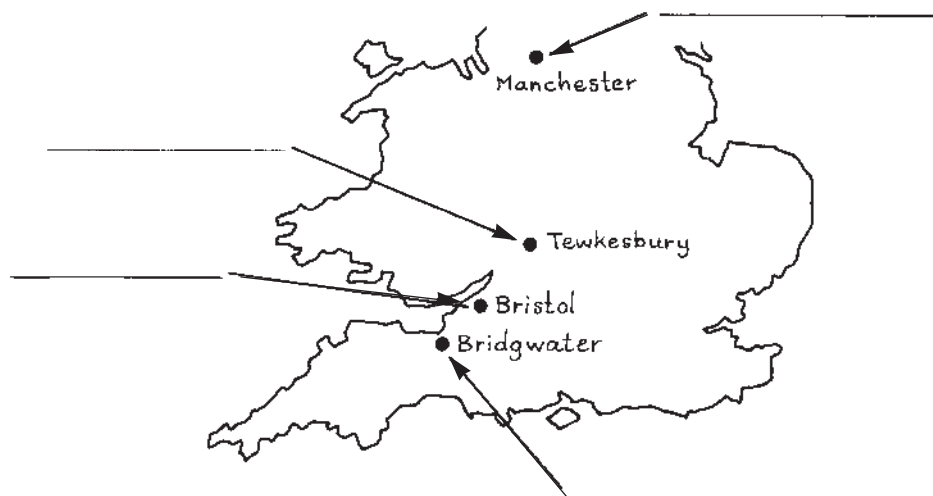
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B While Reading

- 4 Read to the end of Chapter 9. Here is the map from page 6.
 - (a) Draw a line along Peter's route to Manchester.
 - (b) Show where Peter and John are in each chapter.



5 Read to the end of Chapter 16. Here are the chapter headings for chapters 10 to 15. Can you find more exciting, interesting or helpful headings? You can change three of these headings. Which ones will you change?

- 10 John is Arrested =
- 11 Peter Finds Bob Steel =
- 12 More Information =
- 13 In the Cafe =
- 14 The Chase =
- 15 The Police Station =

C After Reading

6 What kind of people are they? Find a sentence spoken by each person that shows what kind of person he is. For example is he: pleasant, unpleasant, brave, scared, honest, dishonest, helpful, unhelpful?



Peter



Tommy



Jeff



Bob

7 On page 15 there is a newspaper report about the murder of Mr Robert Stevens. On page 47 there is a report about John's arrest. Write the report that is in the newspaper after Tommy Logan's arrest.

Tommy Logan Arrested For Murder Of Teacher, Robert Stevens

- 8 (a) On page 33, John said to Susan, 'I can't explain now, but I've got to go back to Bristol. If you give me your address I'll write to you.'
Write John's letter to Susan. Tell her about what has happened.
- or (b) Imagine John goes to Manchester to meet Susan again. He goes by train this time. Write a script (a play) of their meeting. John tells Susan all about the murder of his uncle. Start your script when Susan meets John at Piccadilly Station, Manchester.
- 9 'What do you think will happen to Tommy Logan?' John asked Peter. 'I don't know,' answered Peter. What do you think will happen to Tommy Logan? (Think about would happen to him in your country.) Give reasons for your answer.