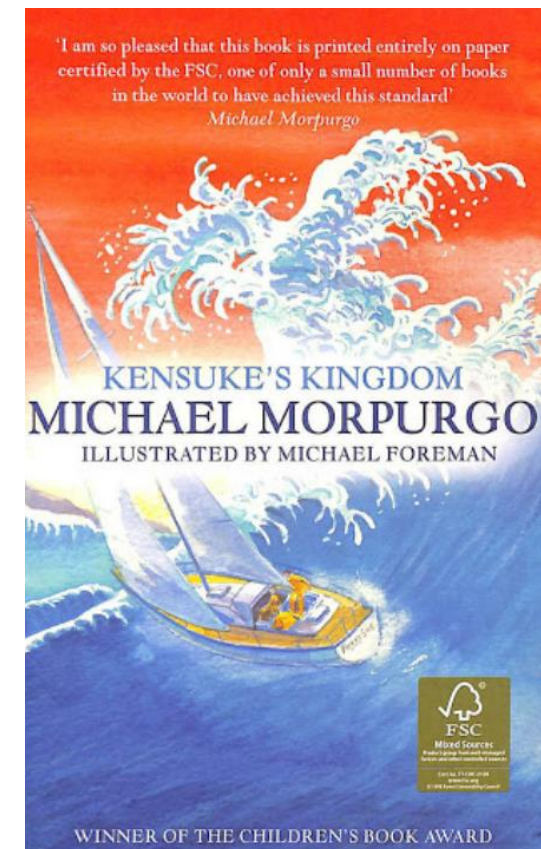
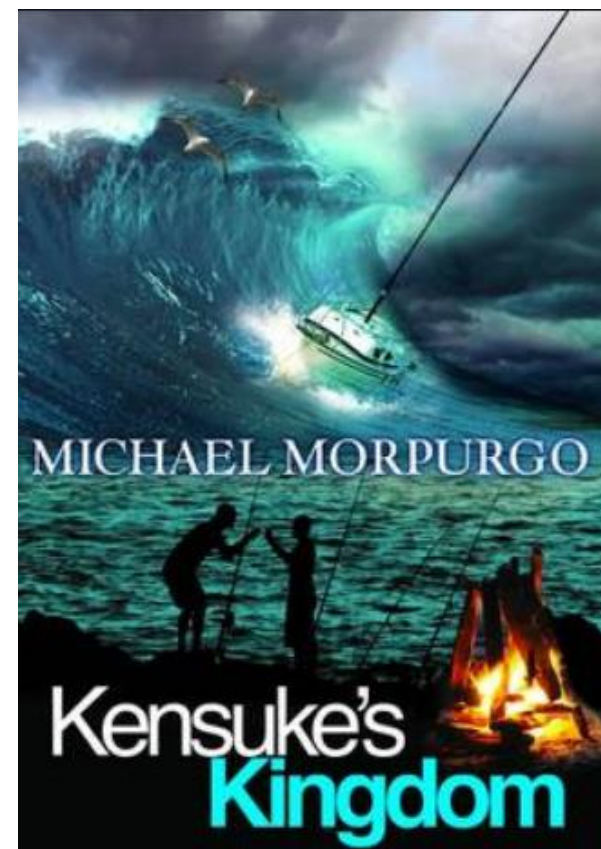


Thursday 25th June 2020

Kensuke's Kingdom

L0: I am learning to write a detailed book review about Kensuke's Kingdom.



Starter:



Who could this be?
Where is it set?
What part of the story is it?



How do you know?
Do we have any clues?

Kensuke's Kingdom Wikipedia

Read through this Wikipedia page carefully. What exciting news do we now know about Kensuke's Kingdom by Michael Morpurgo?

Kensuke's Kingdom (film)

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

Kensuke's Kingdom is an upcoming [animated film](#) based on the [book of the same name](#) by [Michael Morpurgo](#).

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Premise [edit]

A boy swept overboard during a storm on a worldwide sailing trip with his family washes ashore on an island in the [Pacific Ocean](#). While there, he realises someone is nearby, aiding him with his survival.

Cast [edit]

- [Sally Hawkins](#) as Mum
- [Cillian Murphy](#) as Dad
- [Ken Watanabe](#) as Kensuke
- [Raffey Cassidy](#) as Becky

Production [edit]

It was announced in February 2019 that an animated film adaptation of [Michael Morpurgo's Book](#) was in development, with [Sally Hawkins](#), [Cillian Murphy](#), [Ken Watanabe](#) and [Raffey Cassidy](#) set as part of the voice cast.^[1]

	<i>Kensuke's Kingdom</i>
Directed by	Neil Boyle <div>Kirk Hendry</div>
Produced by	Camilla Deakin <div>Ruth FieldingSarah RadclyffeStephan</div>
Screenplay by	Frank Cottrell-Boyce
Based on	Kensuke's Kingdom <div>by Michael Morpurgo</div>
Starring	Sally Hawkins <div>Cillian MurphyKen WatanabeRaffey Cassidy</div>
Production company	British Film Institute <div>Ffilm Cymru WalesFilm Fund Luxembourg</div>

Kensuke's Kingdom – The film



Do you want to watch the film version of Kensuke's Kingdom?

A release date has yet to be finalised – which means we do not know when this film will be released in the cinemas or TV.



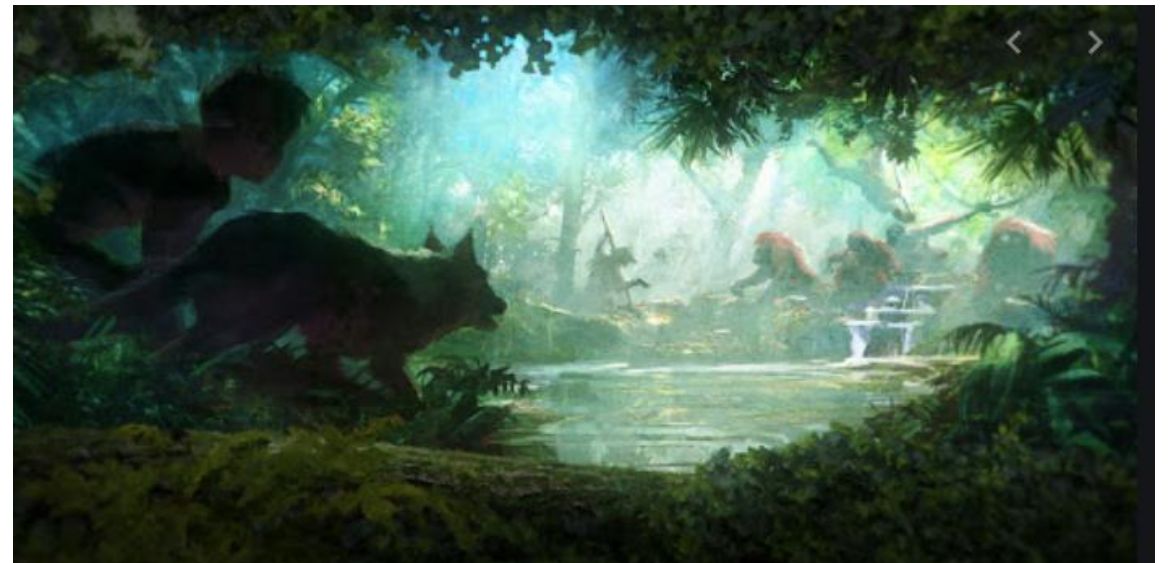
Book Review

You will be writing a book review for Kensuke's Kingdom.

A book review encourages people to read a book.

This book review will encourage people to watch the film version of Kensuke's Kingdom (or not) as well as reading the book.

Think carefully about the language you use.



Book Review

A book review must include:

- Author
- Title
- Number of pages
- Date published
- The plot (outline of the story)
- The characters
- Highlights
- Any weak parts? (To be improved)
- Interesting/Boring – what did you think?
- How many stars rating out of 5 would you give it?
- Exciting news: Keep an eye out for the film!



Task:

Complete the Book Review.

Remember to not give too much away about the story.

Include facts, but also your own opinions.

Book Review

Author
Title
Number of pages
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The plot (outline of the story)
The characters (brief description of each)
Highlights of the story
Any weak parts? (To be improved)

Plenary:



Hopefully, you have enjoyed Kensuke's Kingdom
by Michael Morpurgo.

Has this book inspired you in any way? How?
Maybe to go travelling/write your own story/appreciate
your parents/teachers?