



Knowledge Organiser

The Storm Keeper's Island by Catherine Doyle

Able to demonstrate what I have read, talking about characters, events and settings and answer a range of questions about the text.

Recognise that texts and books are structured in different ways and discuss words and phrases that capture the reader's interest. I can understand and explain the meaning of words in context.

Able to understand what I have read by asking questions, retrieving and recording facts, drawing inferences and identifying how language and structure contribute to meaning.

Star vocabulary

Arranmore – an island off the coast of Ireland.

Magical – using mysterious or supernatural forces.

Sea cave – a cave formed by the action of waves.

Sorcerer – a person believed to have magical powers.

Merrow – a mermaid or merman in Irish folklore.

Alzheimer's – a type of dementia that effects memory and behaviour.

Genre: Fiction

A magical adventure story

The book is set in Arranmore, an island off the west coast of Ireland.



Key characters

Fionn Boyle – main character. A young boy who comes to live with his grandfather.

Tara Boyle – Fionn Boyle's older sister.

Malachy Boyle – Fionn and Tara's grandfather. The storm keeper of Arranmore.

Dagda – good ancient sorcerer

Morrigan – an evil, ancient sorceress.

Author-Catherine Doyle



Catherine Doyle grew up in the West of Ireland. She holds a BA in Psychology and an MA in Publishing. Catherine is known to have a great interest in movies and travelling as well as a passion for writing.

Context

11 year old Fionn Boyle sets foot on Arranmore Island, an island off the coast of Dublin, and soon notices something unusual. Little does he know that it is his destiny to confront a dormant, dark, waiting force.