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READING BOOKLET INSERT

1 hour 45 minutes

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

This Reading Booklet Insert contains the reading passage for use with all questions on the Question Paper.

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Read the following passage carefully and then answer all the questions on the Question Paper.

The narrator of this story is a private detective called Christopher Banks. This passage is about an incident from Christopher's childhood in China in the 1930s, which happened when he was nine years old.

Father's Unusual Behaviour

On that day I am recalling, before my father mysteriously disappeared,

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have said, it was so uncharacteristic of my father to talk about himself in this way.

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