Uncle Al – Surfer

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Read to page 5

- 1. Why do you think the character not want to go with Uncle Al?
- 2. Why was the boy embarrassed?
- 3. What makes Uncle Al different?

Read to page 10

- 4. What made Jack think there was something wrong?
- 5. Explain what happened to Uncle Al when he went surfing.
- 6. What was Jack's reaction?
- 7. Find the meaning of the following words
- a. Monstrous b
- b. Frantically

Read to page 16

- 8. Why do you think Jack couldn't move his legs?
- 9. Where was Uncle Al?
- 10. Why did Uncle Al want the seat off the chair?
- 11. Why do you think Uncle Al was in the newspaper?
- 12. Do you think Jack's opinion of Uncle Al has changed?
- 13. Why do you think you can't argue with Uncle Al?

Fast Finishers

- Complete sheet 5.
- Write the newspaper article about Uncle Al.
- Create a poster to encourage people to Surf.