

## GROUP ACTIVITY

### Terriers Comprehension RunAround

**This RunAround has been designed to support young people in both recalling key moments of the play and deepening their understanding of some of the key issues.**

1. Let's start with a visual question. Eve was annoyed when she forgot to take something with her. What was it that she forgot? Was it **(A)** her phone, **(B)** her bag, **(C)** her mp3 player or **(D)** her packed lunch?

The answer is **(B)**: her bag.

2. The play started with Luke being shot in revenge for the murder of Tonka. But who was responsible for Luke's death? Was it **(A)** Drew, **(B)** Wolf, **(C)** Mark Conway or **(D)** Eightball?

The answer is **(A)**. Drew pulled the trigger, so he has to take the ultimate responsibility. But as it was Wolf who told him to do it, Mark Conway who spread the lie that Luke shot Tonka and Eightball who actually committed that crime, it could be argued that they all played a part in the lead-up to Luke's murder.

3. Why was Drew upset when he saw his little sister at his funeral? Was it because **(A)** he owed her £5.00, **(B)** she was clutching his old teddy bear, which he'd passed on to her, **(C)** he wouldn't get the chance to give her her birthday treat or **(D)** he thought she was too young to go to a funeral?

The answer is **(C)**. He wouldn't get the chance to give her her birthday treat. His little sister was called Louise and he had planned to take her to Alton Towers.

4. How did Eightball persuade Aldo to stash the cannabis? Did he **(A)** say he'd grass him up if he didn't take it, **(B)** give him some money, **(C)** say he could get his Terriers tattoo or **(D)** threaten to make Chelsea take it?

The answer is **(D)**: he threatened to make Chelsea take it. The promise of the Terriers tattoo came later. He uses Chelsea again later by threatening to shoot her when Aldo won't take the gun.

5. How did Eightball get his nickname? Was it because **(A)** he once ate a golf ball for a bet, **(B)** He used to play in the Number 8 shirt for his school football team, **(C)** he had a tattoo of a pool eightball on his shoulder, or **(D)** he used to keep a pool eightball in a sock and hit people over the head with it?

The answer is **(D)**: Luke told drew that when Eightball was a kid, "he kept an eightball off a pool table in a sock and used to whack kids across the head with it". Luke points out that Eightball always did this from behind and that both Drew and Tonka were shot in the back.

6. Who said that the leaders at the Youth Club would be able to help Aldo if he wanted to leave the Terriers? Was it **(A)** Chelsea, **(B)** Drew, **(C)** Luke or **(D)** Eve?

The answer is **(A)**: Chelsea. She realised how important it was to involve a responsible adult and also mentioned telling her dad.