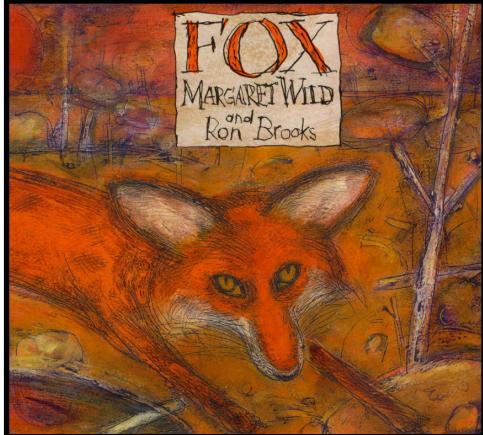


## Vocabulary

charred	badly burnt and black	clamped	fasten, secure, clinch
stringybarks	a type of tree, 10-40 metres tall	rejoices	to be happy or joyful
exults	joy, delight, triumph	scarcely	barely or rarely happening
triumph	a great success or achievement	adrift	not tied to anyone/anything
oblivious	unaware, ignorant, unconscious	furtively	secretively
stealthily	in a secretive or hidden way	deviously	in a scheming or sly way
treacherous	dangerous, tricky, risky	deceitful	dishonest
scarcer	insufficient, in short supply	abruptly	unexpectedly, suddenly
malignant	false and unpleasant things said	iridescent	brightly-coloured and shimmering



## -ly Suffix

**furtively** **stealthily** **silently** **nervously** **deviously** The suffix -ly is added to an adjective to form an adverb. The suffix -ly starts with a consonant so can be added straight on to most root words.

## List of Prepositions

over	under	beneath	behind
below	above	beyond	inside
ahead	around	in	on

## Focus Writing

Fable Narrative	A short story, usually written about animals, that tells a moral or lesson.
Persuasion	To convince an organisation/individual to accept our interest or perspective.

## Grammar, Punctuation and Language Features

similes	a comparison between two things using 'like' or 'as' <i>as cunning as a fox</i>
past tense	writing about something that has already happened <i>The fox walked</i> for hours.
present perfect tense	a verb tense used to describe actions that took place at a non-specific time, or that started in the past but continue to the present - has, had <i>The fox had walked</i> for hours.
noun phrases	determiner, adjective(s), noun <i>The deceitful fox.</i>
prepositions	tell you where a noun is in relation to another noun
prepositional phrases	a group of words containing a preposition and noun it refers to - <i>beneath the trees</i>
coordinating conjunctions	FANBOYS <i>for, and, nor, but, or, yet, so</i>
subordinating conjunctions	I SAW A WABUB <i>if, since, as, when, although, while, after, before, until, because</i>
rhetorical question	a question used to make a point or address the reader - it does not require an answer <i>How did I get here? Have you ever wondered?</i>

## Fable Animals

unpleasant	snake stoat eagle tiger leopard crocodile wolf rat
vulnerable	mouse bird lamb koala deer butterfly dove panda

