

**GET US OUT
OF HERE!**

Information Pack (Group 4)





The Escape from captivity!

Documents in this pack:

1. Background Sheet

How have you got here in the first place – and what is it like? These are vital details that you will need in order to plan your escape.

2. Group Orders

Each member of the group must read this very carefully – these are your top secret instructions.

3. Task Sheet

Everyone in the group will have several jobs to do. You need to agree who is doing what.

4. Resource Bank

This is at the end of this booklet and gives you a wealth of resources that will help you to do the tasks.

How will you escape
from the dragon?



School Visit

Your group was on a school visit to **DragonApps Software** – a computer software company specialising in making apps for phones aimed at the teenage market. Mulberry Hawk is becoming very powerful as it is estimated that 96% of the 15 – 24 yrs age group own and use regularly a mobile phone.

Informative and fascinating

The visit was wonderfully informative and very interesting. All morning members of the group were able to try out the new apps and were then asked to complete a form on which they were able to say what they thought of the apps and how they could be improved.



Mr Mulberry Hawk - Owner of DragonApps.

Is he a mad genius?

Hospitality

Lunch was wonderful, food like you had never seen – the owner of the firm, Mulberry Hawk - introduced himself to you all and explained quite clearly and precisely the nature of the business and how he intended the apps he was making to be in every phone in the world by the middle of 2015.

New technology

The afternoon was as fascinating as the morning and more secrets of the company were revealed to you including a new mobile phone that had everyone gasping because of its capabilities.

..and then ...

The clock soon said it was nearly time for the tour to finish. You are all shown into a small room with refreshments and cakes laid out. But as the hands of the clock reached the exact hour a noise could be heard throughout the building – unmistakably it was locks sliding shut and doors being automatically bolted. You were being imprisoned by this madman.

Secrets ... and your task.

- What secrets did you discover that Mulberry Hawk didn't want you to know about?
 - How are you going to escape and warn the world?
 - Will you be in time?
 - Is there anyone that you can call on to help?
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'SMAUG' the evil app developed by Dragon Apps

Definition:

Apps is an abbreviation for application. An app is a piece of software. It can run on the Internet, on your computer, or on your phone or other electronic device.



SMAUG - the Evil App

Like all software apps can be bad as well as good!

- You have stumbled upon the fact that SMAUG, one of Mulberry Hawk's inventions, carries a dangerous virus.
 - This computer virus can do two things:
 1. It can transmit to Mulberry Hawk's main computer all the names and numbers on any phone it becomes installed on.
 2. It can then take control of the phone – making it useless for the user.
 - If this plan succeeds he will have the names and numbers and details of millions of people across the world and will be able to control their phones.
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Sinister Note

There was a strange scuffling noise outside the door and a scrawled note was slipped under the door which said..... (find out in the Resource Bank on page 8)

Dragon Apps



Document 2 Group Orders

- ❖ Each member of the group must read this very carefully – these are your top secret instructions for the group tasks.

Part 1

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| 1.1 | Briefing. All members of the group must look very carefully at all the documents in the pack and make sure they are familiar with all the details. |
| 1.2 | Use LVT boards to plan the escape. For this task you will be trained in the use of the LVT boards. The boards will help you to make the plan of escape. You then write out your plan of escape. This is an agreed piece of group writing. It is detailed and will help to plan all the other work that follows. It should be done on a large sheet of paper. |
| 1.3 | Build the Team. Look at the task sheet - decide and agree who is going to do what. There are a number of different jobs on the job sheet and all these must be carried out brilliantly. Everyone in the group has a different and very important role to play. |

Part 2

This could be used as a checklist so that you can keep track of your progress.

2.1	Writing the Journal - All members of the group complete an individual journal.		
2.2	Writing – Complete the two writing tasks.	Imagine	
		Inform	
2.3	Art work – Complete all the art work that the group has decided to do to tell the story visually as well as in words.		
2.4	Video - Script and shoot the video.	Script	
		Rehearse	
		Shoot	
2.5	Poster - Complete poster and prepare the presentation that you will be giving to the other group.		





Task	Description	Name(s)
Writer 1 Short story	Writing to imagine and explore. Feelings and ideas, focusing on creative uses of language and how to interest the reader. LVT boards and mini LVT boards are available for planning this writing task.	
Writer 2 Wikipedia entry	Writing to inform and explain. Focusing on the subject matter and how to convey it in sufficient detail for the reader. LVT boards and mini LVT boards are available for planning this writing task.	
Poster Manager	The poster manager is in charge of the design and construction of the poster. All members of the group should have a contribution on the poster and all should have helped to design it.	
Video team • Camera • Script • Actors	Use the Flip Video cameras to make a video diary OR script and film an interview with one or other of the team about the experiences of successfully escaping.	
Artist	Make clear, informative drawings (or paintings) to illustrate the process of escaping: include the characters that you met, the events that happened and the places where you found yourselves. This will help those who read the poster to visualise what you went through. The Artist could work together with the Writers to illustrate their work.	
Presenter	As the poster is being finished the presenter devises a short presentation that will be given to the Escape Group in the other class to show how the group succeeded in the task.	

You are now trapped in
a prison.
Make the most of the food
There might be something
Useful under the



It seems that someone (or something) is trying to help, but what does the note actually mean?



The factory was mind-bogglingly big

