

# Netball Dreamz

## Free Activities Available!

### Vocabulary Scaffolding

Call on students to pair and share – that is to take turns reading a word to a partner and explaining what it means using the vocabulary list.

Play a game of Match Me! Increase the font size. Cut out the words and their meanings, shuffle, and then try to match them up again on the table. Check back to the original to ensure accuracy.

Use the word doc file to mix the vocab list on the left. Print out. Call on students to draw lines to match the correct word to its meaning. Encourage students to work with a partner and to use a dictionary.

### Comprehension Questions and Answers

Complete Novel Study Unit. These chapter questions can be given to students as a booklet that can be worked through as a complete unit of study.

Teachers can use the electronic copy to modify, then print out Chapter questions as appropriate for students to create a written response after reading each chapter.

Oral Comprehension work. Students can be allocated a question then called on to provide a response to a group or partner. A judge could use the answers to check their accuracy.

### 3 Level Guides

A series of statements, to which students respond, in a true or false manner. Literal answers can be drawn directly from the text. Interpretative answers require students to read between the lines and interpret the author's message. Applied is a higher order of comprehension capabilities that require students to use their understanding of the novel, the author's message and their own knowledge of the world to respond.

These 3 Level Guides can be provided to students as a booklet and can be completed at the conclusion of each chapter.

The 3 Level Guides can be used as a group activity where group members must discuss then reach consensus upon the truthfulness or falsity of each statement.

Answers provided can be used by the teacher or distributed to a group leader.

# Literature Circles

Use the planner to allocate meeting dates, team members and the roles students will take on as they read the novel, *Netball Dreamz* –

## Netball Dreamz Literature Circle Plan

Meeting date and chapters	Team Member	Role
		Discussion Director
		Connector
		Summariser
		Vocabulary Enricher
		Illustrator
		Literary Luminary
		Discussion Director
		Connector
		Summariser
		Vocabulary Enricher
		Illustrator
		Literary Luminary
		Discussion Director
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		Connector
		Summariser
		Vocabulary Enricher
		Illustrator
		Literary Luminary

Use the Charts provided to give to students so that they understand what is expected of them as they read the novel Netball Dreamz.

As tasks are completed, display around the room to encourage others to read the novel Netball Dreamz.

Use the submissions for evaluation purposes.

Finally, please use these activities freely to foster a love of reading in your students and to improve their reading capabilities! Equally as importantly to encourage students in their sporting pursuits!

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