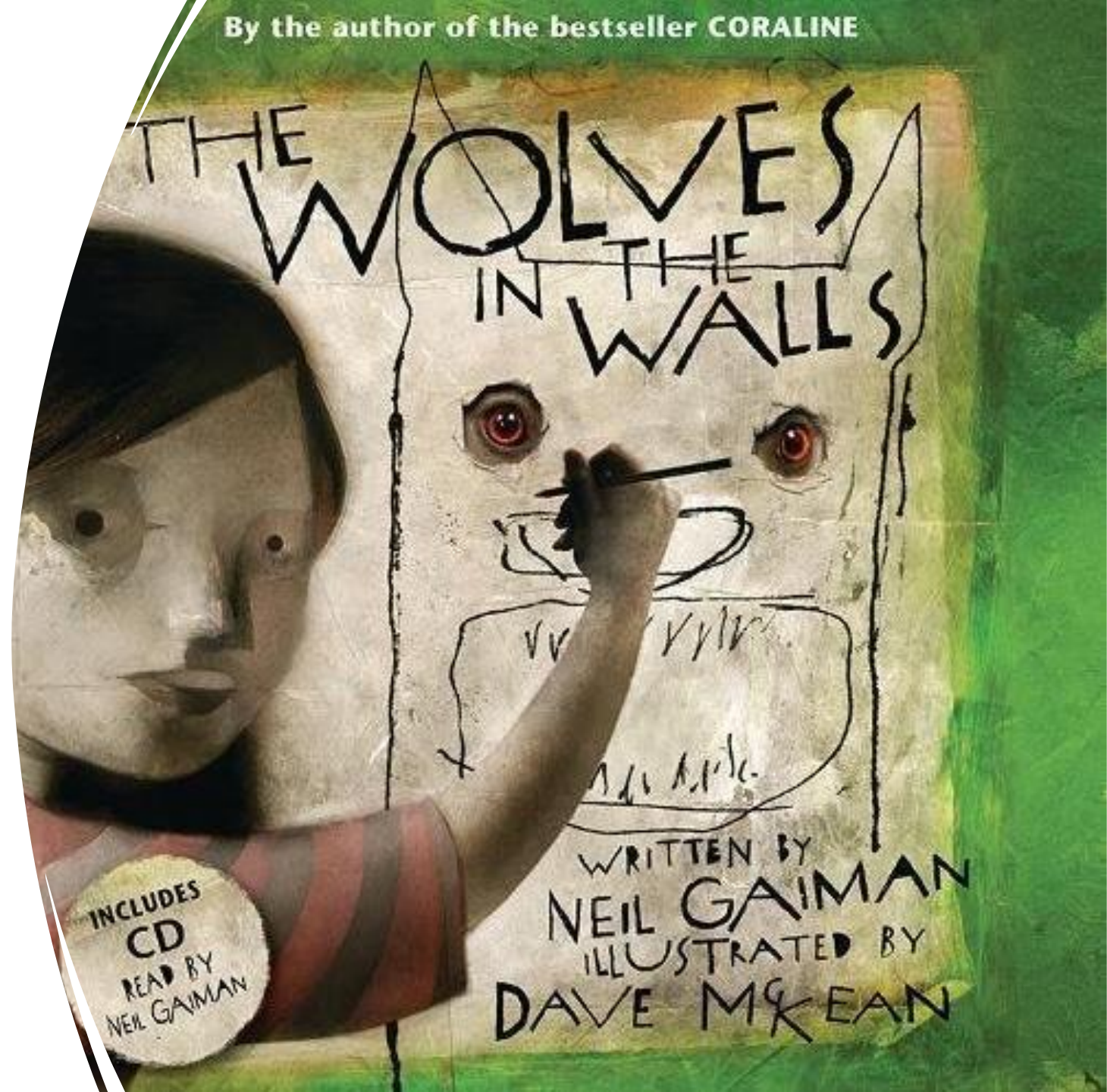


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The Wolves in the Walls

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- Watch carefully and if you don't understand anything, jot down some questions to ask when it's finished.

Event – Lucy at home

Shoulders slumped, Lucy wandered around the house in her spotty, giraffe pyjamas. She had a love of all animals but giraffes were her favourite. Her hair was tangled: she had not left the house all day so felt no need to comb it. Deep, sunken eyes were the most noticeable feature on her otherwise pale face. An indication that she hadn't been sleeping well.

Emotions –

Bored Agitated
Tired Restless

Speech –

"Mum, something is making noises at night and it's keeping me up!" Lucy moaned.

Actions (verbs and adverbs) -

Trudging around the house.
Pestering her brother.
Complaining to her parents.



Event – Wolves coming out

With her shrieks filling the air, Lucy trembled in fear. Her heart pounded in her chest as she panicked about what to do next. A feeling of dread filled her body that froze her where she stood.

Emotions –

Petrified
Bewildered

Speech –

Lucy screamed, "Everybody! Run! It's happened! The walls have come out of the wolves... I mean the wolves have come out of the walls!"

Actions (verbs and adverbs) -

Sprinting down the stairs.
Gripping Piglet tight.
Running out of the house.

Event – Family hiding in the garden

Lucy sighed a forceful sigh in frustration at what was going on. The cold and the dark sky was depressing her mood. Wrapping her gown around her shivering body tightly, a plan sparked to life in her angry mind.

Emotions –

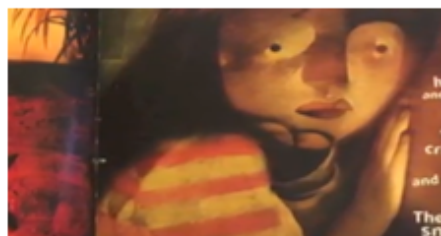
Determined Frustrated

Speech –

"This is not fair Dad. Why should we be forced out? This is our home and we must get it back!"

Actions (verbs and adverbs)

Dithering in the cold.
Gritting her teeth in frustration.



Event – Lucy's family scaring away the wolves

Fists clinched and with a determined frown sprawled across her forehead, she roared a wild battle cry. She snarled at the wolves. Lucy, who was running around the house like a sheepdog rounding up its flock, forced the wolves towards the door.

Verbs and adverbs

Ferociously Bellowed
Swung

Speech –

"Get out, get out, GET OUT!" Lucy commanded with a determined growl. "This is my house and you're not welcome here!"

Actions (verbs and adverbs) -

Beating her chest.
Screaming wildly.

