

LO: to answer AF2 questions.

SC- I can read, scan and interpret a text to find relevant information.

-I can annotate and highlight key parts of the text to help me.

-I can ensure my answer is based on actual information from the text, and written in full.

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Northern Lights by Phillip Pullman

"You're not taking this seriously," whispered her daemon. "Behave yourself." Her daemon's name was Pantalaimon, and he was currently in the form of a moth, a dark brown one so not to show up in the darkness of the Hall.

"They're making too much noise to hear from the kitchen," Lyra whispered back. "And the steward doesn't come in till the first bell. Stop fussing"

But she put her palm over the ringing crystal anyway and Pantalaimon fluttered ahead and through the slightly open door of the Retiring Room at the other end of the stage. After a moment he appeared again.

"There's no one there," he whispered. "But we must be quick."

Crouching behind the high table, Lyra darted along and through the door into the retiring Room, where she stood up and looked around. The only light in here came from the fire place, where a bright blaze of logs settled slightly as she looked, sending a fountain of sparks up into the chimney. She had lived most of her life in the College, but had never seen the Retiring room before: only scholars and their guests were allowed in here, and never females. Even the maidservants didn't clean in here. That was the Butler's job alone.

Pantalaimon settled on her shoulder.

"Happy now? Can we go?" he whispered.

"Don't be silly! I want to look around!"

1. *She had lived most of her life in the College... Find two pieces of evidence in the paragraph that tells us that Lyra and Pantalaimon are at the college? (1 mark)*
2. *What two verbs are used to show Pantalaimon's movements? Why are they chosen? (2marks)*
3. *What does Lyra say to demonstrate her bold personality? (1 mark)*
4. *True or False? Lyra is more cautious than Pantalaimon? Explain.... (2 marks)*
5. *Why do you think Lyra wanted to see the Retiring Room? (1mark)*
6. *Write down 3 pieces of information about The Retiring Room. (1 mark)*