

Year 4 Knowledge Organiser- English: The Loch Ness Monster

Important Information

Is it real? Who knows? Many people have said they have seen it, but very few have photographic evidence...



This photograph, taken by a London surgeon caused a sensation when first published in the Daily Mail.

Background

- The Great Glen in the Scottish highlands is a rift valley 60 miles long and contains three famous lochs; Lochy, Oich and Ness.
- The most famous of these is Loch Ness because of the monster said to 'lurk' in its deep waters.
- It is deeper than the North Sea and is very long and very, very narrow and has never been known to freeze.
- There have been numerous sightings of the monster, affectionately known as 'Nessie'.
- 1933 was the year when the first photograph was taken of the monster, or what is said to be the monster. It showed something with a long neck arched over a thick body.

Key word	Definition
article	a piece of text commonly used in a newspaper or magazine
fact	a fact is a thing that is known or proven to be true
fiction	something that is made up or untrue
Loch Ness	large deep, freshwater loch in Britain (Scotland)
monster	a large, ugly, frightening imaginary creature
myth	a traditional story passed down through generations

Quotes

JONATHAN BRIGHT: "Whatever is the truth, there is no denying that Nessie will continue to intrigue the world for years to come."

"Unseen infrared image of Loch Ness Monster Nessie to be revealed at Paranormal Festival."

PETER D. JEANS: "The Loch Ness Monster is the world-famous creature said to inhabit Loch Ness in northern Scotland. The search for the monster has probably consumed more money, time, and newspaper space than attempts to prove the existence or otherwise of UFOs."

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