



1 Find and **copy** one word which means 'sailors'.

mariners

2 Look at this line from the text.
Bosun: (angrily) *I'll be calm when the sea is calm.*
Why do you think the word 'angrily' is in brackets?

Pupils' own responses, such as: I think the word in brackets tells us how the character who is saying that line is feeling. If the play script was being acted out it would tell the actors how to deliver the line.

3 Summarise what takes place in this extract in 30 words or fewer.

Pupils' own responses, such as: This play is about some sailors on a boat in a storm. The master and Bosun are trying to keep the ship safe but some of the passengers are interfering.

4 Where is this extract set?

This extract is set on a boat on a stormy sea.

5 'Just remember who you have aboard, good man'.
What is Gonzalo implying here?

Pupils' own responses, such as: I think Gonzalo is implying that the mariners need to be even more careful than usual because of the important people on the ship. He seems to be suggesting that the King being on board should affect the weather.