# **The Truth Machine**

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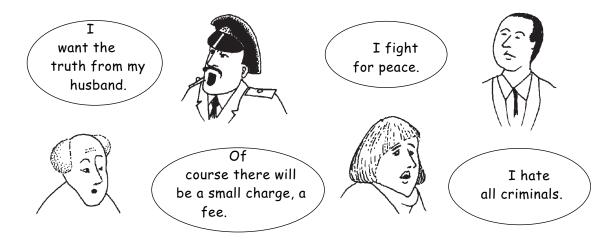
Α	Before	Reading

1 This story is about a machine that makes people tell the truth. What do you think? Is a truth machine:

evil?	good?	useful?	
frightenin	g?	wonderful?	
Tick ( $\checkmark$ ) the words that you agree with.			

#### **B** While Reading

- 3 Read Chapter 1. Look at the four pictures on page 7. Choose one sentence from page 6 that tells you about each picture.
  - a) Top left: *He was on the television*.
  - b) Top right:
  - c) Bottom left:
  - d) Bottom right:
- 4 Read Chapter 2. Who said these things? Draw a line from the bubble to the correct speaker.



5 Read Chapter 3. Mrs Seeker, Inspector Sack and Dr Simple learned the truth. a) Did the truth help: Mrs Seeker?

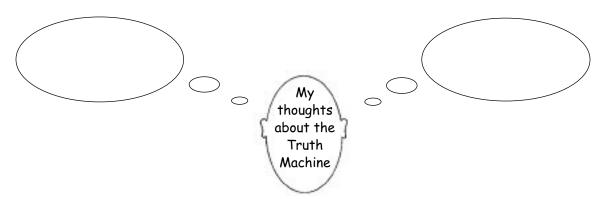
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#### C After Reading

- 6 You have read the book now. Look at your answer to question 1. Did you tick the correct words?
- 7 What do you think about this book? Was it interesting? Did you enjoy it? Write your ideas and questions in the bubbles.



8 You invent a strange machine. What does your machine do?

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