

# Jekyll and Hyde

## Chapter-by-Chapter Questions

‘This, as I take it, was because all human beings, as we meet them, are commingled out of good and evil: and Edward Hyde, alone in the ranks of mankind, was pure evil.’



1. Which character narrates the 'Story of the Door'?

**Answer:** Enfield

**Extension:** Enfield's nocturnal wanderings hint at his own 'double life'

2. Which character witnesses Hyde trample on a young girl?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

3. In which city is the novel set?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

4. Which character is compared to a 'damned Juggernaut'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

5. What does the word 'apocryphal' mean?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

6. What does a 'sawbones' do?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

7. How much money does Hyde pay the girl and her family?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

8. Which character banks at Coutts?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

9. What does Utterson call 'that place with the door'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

10. Which character says that Hyde 'must be deformed somewhere'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

1. What is the title of chapter two?

**Answer:** The Search for Mr Hyde

**Extension:** Hyde is a secretive and elusive character associated with darkness

2. Which important document is kept in Utterson's safe?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

3. Where does Lanyon live?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

4. Which character is 'too fanciful' for Lanyon?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

5. What does the word 'protégé' mean?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

6. What does Utterson hear before he eventually sees Hyde for the first time?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

7. Who is the 'common friend' shared by Utterson and Hyde?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

8. What is the name of Jekyll's lawyer?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

9. Which character 'never dines' at Jekyll's house?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

10. Why does Utterson fear for Jekyll's safety?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

1. How much time has passed between the end of chapter two and the beginning of chapter three?

**Answer:** Two weeks

**Extension:** Utterson's curiosity and concerns about Hyde have grown over time

2. What are 'cronies'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

3. How old is Jekyll?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

4. Which character does Jekyll describe as a 'hide-bound pedant'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

5. What is the 'matter' that Jekyll thought Utterson had 'agreed to drop'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

6. How does Jekyll describe his 'position'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

7. Who does Jekyll claim to trust 'before any man alive'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

8. Who does Jekyll say he 'can be rid' of at any moment of his choosing?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

9. What 'point' does Jekyll want Utterson to understand?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

10. What promise does Utterson make at the end of the chapter?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

1. In which month does the action of chapter four take place?

**Answer:** October

**Extension:** As time passes (nearly a year later), Hyde's behaviour becomes more extreme

2. In which month does the action of chapter four take place?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

3. Which character witnesses the murder of Sir Danvers Carew?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

4. Which character witnesses the murder of Sir Danvers Carew?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

5. What object is broken into two pieces as a result of the murder?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

6. What objects are found upon the body of Sir Danvers Carew?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

7. In which area of London does Hyde live?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

8. Which character has 'excellent' manners?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

9. Which character's 'habits' are described as 'irregular'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

10. What drink is stocked in Hyde's closet?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

1. Are Jekyll's tastes 'chemical' or 'anatomical'?

**Answer:** 'Chemical'

**Extension:** The laboratory is a strange, unnatural and oppressive building

2. What colour is the door to Jekyll's cabinet?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

3. What is the name of Jekyll's butler?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

4. What news is being 'cried' in the streets?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

5. What does Jekyll claim to have received from Hyde?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

6. What is the name of Utterson's head clerk?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

7. What does Utterson claim is a 'sad business'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

8. What does Utterson receive from Jekyll towards the end of the chapter?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

9. What conclusion does Guest arrive at?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

10. What makes Utterson's blood run 'cold in his veins'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

1. How much money is offered in reward for information about the location of Hyde?

**Answer:** Thousands of pounds

**Extension:** The vast sum reflects the severity of the crime Hyde committed

2. Which character is said to have had 'strange associates'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

3. How does Jekyll initially behave in Hyde's absence?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

4. On what date is Jekyll's door 'shut against' Utterson?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

5. Who does Utterson anxiously visit to enquire about Jekyll?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

6. Which character declares himself a 'doomed man'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

7. Which character does Utterson write to towards the end of the chapter?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

8. Which character has a funeral?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

9. What document does Utterson deposit in his private safe?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

10. Which character has 'no very pleasant news to communicate'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

1. On what day does the chapter take place?

**Answer:** Sunday

**Extension:** Jekyll's withdrawal on what is typically a day of leisure emphasises his decline

2. Is it late morning or early evening?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

3. Which character accompanies Utterson on his walk?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

4. How many windows are visible on the building?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

5. Which character is described as a 'disconsolate prisoner'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

6. Which character says, 'I trust you are better'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

7. Which character says, 'I am very glad to see you'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

8. Which character has a look of 'such abject terror' in his face?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

9. Which characters feel like their blood has frozen?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

10. Which character says, 'God forgive us'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**



1. Which character visits Utterson at the beginning of the chapter?

**Answer:** Poole

**Extension:** The unexpected visit highlights the extraordinary nature of the situation

2. In which month does the chapter take place?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

3. What are the weather conditions like?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

4. Which characters are 'huddled together like a flock of sheep'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

5. What does Poole say made the hairs on his head stand 'like quills'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

6. Which character breaks down the door to Jekyll's cabinet with an axe?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

7. What colour is the door?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

8. Whose body does Utterson discover inside the cabinet?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

9. What does Poole find on 'the desk among the neat array of papers'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

10. Which character says, 'he was alive and here this day'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

1. Which character wrote a letter to Lanyon?

**Answer:** Jekyll

**Extension:** The tone of the letter grows increasingly desperate

2. In which month was the letter written?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

3. At which time is Lanyon directed to admit a stranger into his house?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

4. What does the 'press marked E' contain?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

5. What is notable about the clothes worn by the stranger?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

6. Which character says, 'Compose yourself'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

7. What is the initial colour of the potion?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

8. What is the final colour of the potion?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

9. Into which character does the stranger transform?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

10. Which character screams, 'Oh God!'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

1. What does Jekyll describe as one of his 'worst' faults?

**Answer:** 'impatient gaiety'

**Extension:** Jekyll uses a euphemism to describe his tendency to behave irresponsibly

2. What is the 'truth' that Jekyll discovers?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

3. What makes Jekyll experience the most 'racking pangs'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

4. Is Hyde taller, shorter or the same height as Jekyll?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

5. Does Jekyll feel threefold or tenfold more wicked as Hyde?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

6. Is Hyde 'comingled out of good and evil' or is he 'pure evil'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

7. How does Jekyll describe the 'pleasures' he indulges in as Hyde?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

8. In which area of London does Jekyll keep 'a little room'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

9. Who does Hyde say he 'smote' in the face before she 'fled'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**

10. What does Jekyll come to believe was 'impure'?

**Answer:**

**Extension:**