

Prompt sheet to write the beginning of your version of Beowulf

<p><b>When did it happen?</b></p>	<p><i>A long, long time ago, in the 5<sup>th</sup> Century we need to travel to across the sea to the Norse lands we now know as Sweden, Norway and Denmark; to the Viking lands of the Danes and the Geats, the Angles and the Jutes.</i></p>
<p><b>Where did it happen?</b></p>	<p>This extraordinary, terrifying story begins in</p>
<p><b>Who became king of the Danes?</b></p>	<p>Lord Hrothgar had</p>
<p><b>What did he do?</b>  <b>What was he like?</b>          brave, ferocious          pillage, plunder, raid, steal          hoards          treasure          from across          share -generous          father          happy safe -because</p>	<p>He was          He would          On his return            Fortunately            Not only was he a good king but            The Danes were          The kingdom was</p>
<p><b>Describe Mead-Hall -the outside</b>          Mead-hall at Heorot          Largest          Most splendid          Best finest wood          carpenters</p>	<p>In celebration</p>
<p><b>What went on in the hall?...use your senses chart to describe the inside...</b>            Night after night          banquets          feast          harp music          poets          dancing</p>	<p>When the Danes entered the hall, they saw          Over to the          In the middle            Turning on a spit was          Hanging from            Laid out on the long          Mead flowed          Feasts          People would          It was</p>