**E3: Understanding the plot:**

For **each** of these chapters you must complete **one** of these activities. Please ensure that you complete these evenly (eg. Don’t complete A for all of them, make sure you do each one at least twice.) Chapter one is completed for you.

A) **Write** 1-2 sentences that sum up the events that occurred in the novel. Chapter 1 is completed for you so that you can see what is required.
B) **Draw** an image that represents what happens in the chapter.
C) **Explain** the title of the chapter and the relevance it has to the plot.
D) **Discuss** what Vithy learns in this chapter about himself, the world around him or the people around him. Don’t be literal, try to read between the lines and think about what the author Baillie is trying to say.
E) **Link** the events of what is happening to real historical events that took place during this civil war.
F) **Write** a personal reflection about how this chapter made you feel, was the events expected? What did you enjoy? What did you not understand?
G) **Find** 6 new words that you were unsure of and find their definitions.

1. Escape: *Vithy and his brother, Mang escape from the Khmer Rouge (A communist group that rules Cambodia). In the haste of the escape, Vithy loses Mang, and finds himself alone in the Cambodian jungle.*

2. The Forest:
3. The Road:
4. King of the city:
5. River of Gold:
6. The Truck:
7. The Bicycle:
8. Dream City:
9.Thief:
10. The Cart:
11. The Border:
12. 007:
13. The Hospital:
14. The Bus:
15. Night of the Soldiers:
16. The Killer:

17. The Luckiest Boy:
18. Mang?:
19. Home: