

4. Now describe Jess at the end of the story. How has she changed? Can you identify key moments in the story that caused her to change or showed her reacting differently to a situation than she would have at the beginning of 'The Stink'? 5. Thinking about every character in 'Alex Sparrow and the Really Big Stink', which one do you think changes the most through the story? Did you like them more at the start or the end of the story? Why? 6. Why do you think it is important for characters to develop as a story progresses?