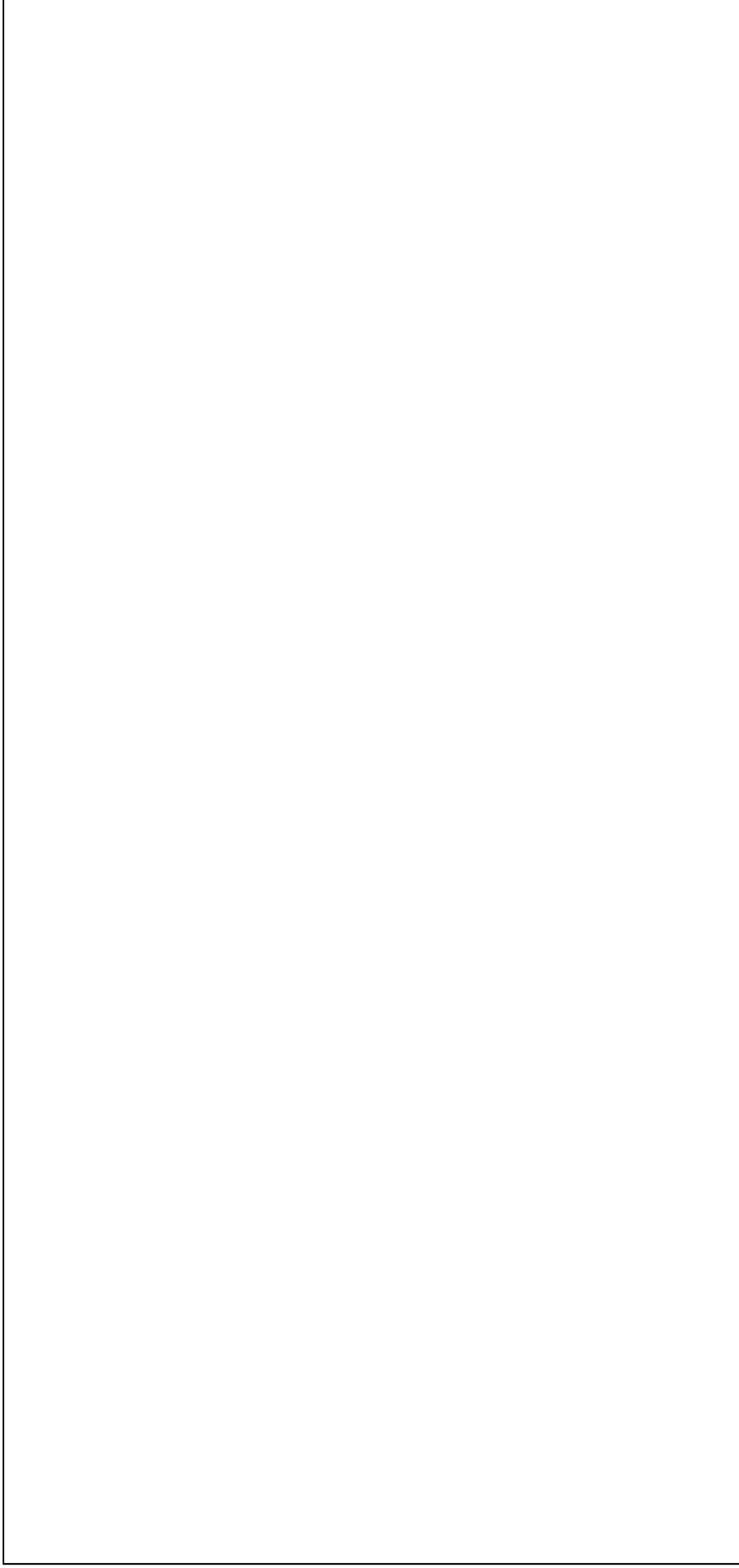




**Where did the Iron Man come from?**



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Underline the verb.

Write what tense it is.

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**Now try to change the tense of the verb.**

- Be able to find missing words in a sentence

Write out the sentence and put in the missing word.  
Underline the word.

1. The Iron Man came to the top of the \_\_\_\_\_.
2. The Iron Man was taller than a \_\_\_\_\_.
3. The Iron Man's \_\_\_\_\_ was shaped like a dustbin.
4. The Iron Man could \_\_\_\_\_ the sea.
5. The strong \_\_\_\_\_ pressed against his back.
6. The Iron Man's \_\_\_\_\_ was enormous.
7. The Iron Man \_\_\_\_\_ forward off the cliff.

- Be able to answer questions about The Iron Man

Use the beginning of the story to help you answer the questions.

Write out the question and the answer.

1. What does Ted Hughes use in the first paragraph?
2. What words tell us that the Iron Man is bigger than a person?
3. What are the Iron Man's eyes like?
4. What word tells us that it is night time?
5. How does the Iron Man's head move?
6. What did the Iron Man step into?
7. Why do think the Iron Man stepped off the cliff?

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Use the beginning of the story to help you answer the questions.

Write out the answer in a full sentence.

1. Why does Ted Hughes use questions in the first paragraph?

Ted Hughes uses questions because.....

2. What does Ted Hughes compare the Iron Man's eyes to?

Ted Hughes compares the Iron Man's eyes to.....

3. What do you think the word 'brink' means?

I think that the word 'brink' means.....

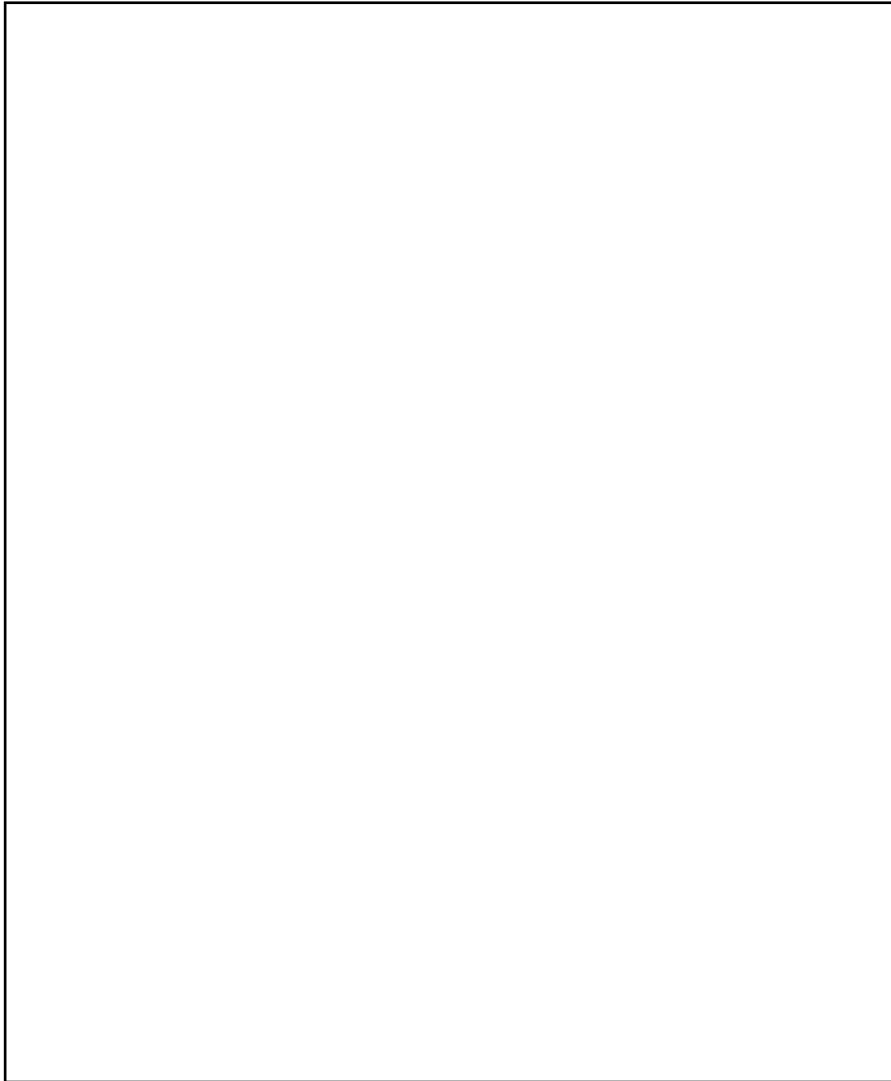
4. How do we know that the Iron Man is bigger than a person?

5. Why do you think the Iron Man had never seen the sea before?

6. Why do you think the Iron Man stepped off the cliff?



# The Space-Bat-Angel-Dragon



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