

Leon and the place between:
Reading comprehension MAT.

The text states 'At last a soft, blue glow lit the stage and the curtains twitched.'

What does '**twitched**' mean? Tick one.

moved		spoke	
disappeared		stayed still	

The text states 'Up jumped a barrel organ monkey, all made of wood and tiny hinges. He beckoned the moon to light the mechanical toys.'

What does '**beckoned**' mean?

In the final paragraph, Leon sat forward in his seat.
Why do you think Leon did this?

Look at the statements below and state whether they are true or false.

Statement:	True or false?
Tom does not believe in magic.	
Three jugglers tumbled onto the stage to the pounding beat of a drum.	
The handle began to turn on the barrel organ but there was no hand upon it.	