

# Persuasion

Jane Austen

## Background Information

- 1 1775
- 2 twelve
- 3 Bath
- 4 *Sense and Sensibility*
- 5 her own name
- 6 after

## Multiple Choice

- 1 b
- 2 c
- 3 a
- 4 d
- 5 b
- 6 c
- 7 b

## Word Focus

- 1 kindness
- 2 truth
- 3 sadness
- 4 weakness
- 5 death
- 6 attachment
- 7 difficulty
- 8 warmth

Complete the sentences with the correct noun or adjective from the table.

- 1 weak
- 2 difficulty
- 3 sadness, death
- 4 attached
- 5 truth
- 6 warmth, kindness

## Vocabulary: Verbs in the story

- 1 inherit
- 2 forgive
- 3 make, change
- 4 admire
- 5 persuade, look after
- 6 pretend

## Grammar: Adjective or adverb?

- 1 polite, good
- 2 strongly, wrong, deeply
- 3 patiently
- 4 steep, safely
- 5 carefully, badly

## Grammar: Direct and indirect speech

- 1 'Is there a way we can/could spend less money?'
- 2 'Captain Wentworth is coming to stay at Kellynch Hall,'
- 3 'I will stay in Lyme and (I will) look after Louisa,'
- 4 'I wanted to forget you after you refused to marry me,'
- 5 'I have never loved anyone but you,'

## Grammar: Comparative sentences

- 1 The Miss Musgroves thought Captain Wentworth was nicer than the other men they knew.
- 2 The Musgroves had more money and land than the Hayters.
- 3 Mrs Harville's manners were not as perfect as Captain Harville's.
- 4 Captain Wentworth saw that Louisa's mind was not as fine as Anne's.
- 5 Captain Wentworth believed that beauty was less important than a strong mind.
- 6 Kellynch Hall was bigger than the Elliots' house in Bath.