

The Knight Bus Driving (video script)

"Welcome to the Knight Bus...
...emergency transport
for the **stranded witch or wizard**.
My name is Stan Shunpike, and I will be
your conductor for this evening."

What you doing down there?

- I **fell over**.

- **What you fall over for?**

- I didn't do it **on purpose**.

- Well, come on, then.

Let's not wait for the grass to grow.

- What you looking at?

- Nothing.

Well, **come on**, then. In.

No, no, no. I'll get this.

You **get in**.

Come on.

Come on. Move on, move on.

- **Take her away**, Ern.

- Yeah, take it away, Ernie.

It's going to be **a bumpy ride**.

- What did you say your name was?

- I didn't.

- Whereabouts are you
headed?

- The Leaky Cauldron.

That's in London.

You hear that? "The Leaky
Cauldron.

That's in London."

The Leaky Cauldron.

If you have pea soup...

...make sure you

eat it

before it eats you.

- But the Muggles.

Can't they see us?

- Muggles?

They don't see nothing,
do they?

No, but if you jab them with a fork,
they feel.

Ernie, little old lady at 12 o'clock!

Ten, nine, eight.....seven, six, five...

...four, three, three and a half...

...two, one and three quarters.

Yes!

Who is that?

That man.

Who is that?

Who is...?

That is Sirius Black, that is.

Don't tell me **you've never
been hearing of Sirius Black**.

He's a murderer.

Got himself locked up
in Azkaban for it.

- How did he escape?

- Well, that's the question, isn't it?

He's the first one that done it.

He was a big **supporter** of...

...You-Know-Who.

I **reckon** you've heard of him.

Yeah.

Him I've heard of.

Ernie, two double-deckers
at 12 o'clock.

They're getting closer, Ernie.

Ernie, they're right on top of
us!

Mind your head.

Hey, guys? Guys?

Why the long faces?

Yeah, yeah. Nearly there.

Nearly there.

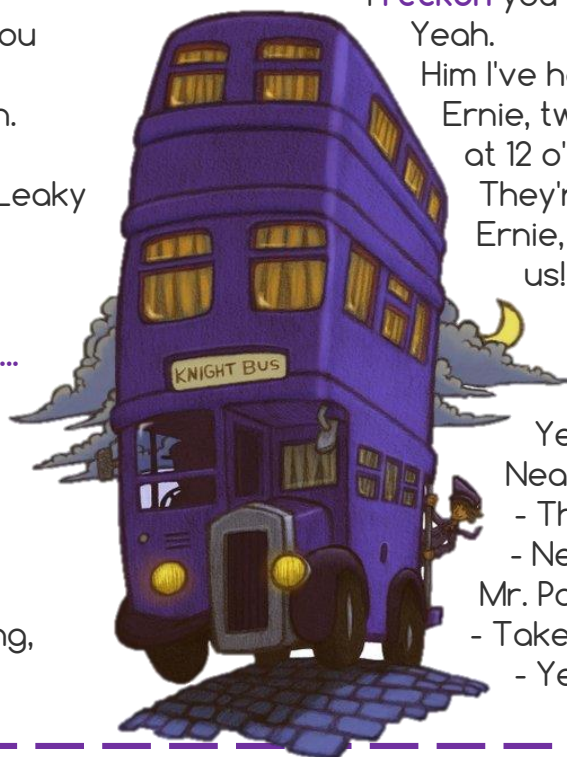
- The Leaky Cauldron.

- Next stop, Knockturn Alley.

Mr. Potter, at last.

- Take it away, Ern.

- Yeah, take it away, Ernie!



1. Watch (<https://smitkithp.weebly.com/knight-bus.html>), listen and find 6 mistakes.

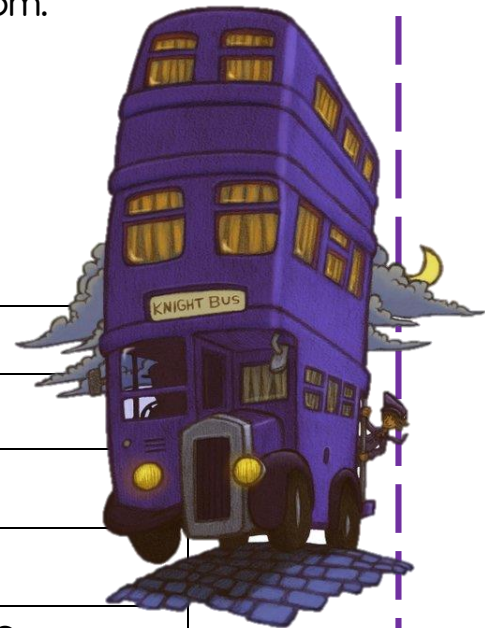
1. My name is Stan Shunpike, and I will be your conductor this evening."
2. Well, come on, then.
3. It's going to be a boring ride.
4. If you have pea soup.....make sure you eat it before it eat you.
5. Don't tell me you've never been hearing for Sirius Black.
6. I reckon you've heard of him.
7. How does he escape?
8. Yeah, yeah. Near there.

2. Find English equivalents for the following phrases in Russian.

- 1) Берегите голову
- 2) Находящиеся в затруднительном положении волшебники
- 3) Давай не будем ждть у моря погоды.
- 4) Если уколоть их вилкой, они это чувствуют.
- 5) Они прямо перед нами.
- 6) Почти приехали.
- 7) Трогай, Эрни!

3. Match the following synonyms.

especially	get in
think	fall over
ensure	come on
enter	make sure
hurry up	on purpose
fall down	reckon





4. Watch once again and answer the following questions.

1. What does the driver look like?
2. Does Ernie Prang drive the bus carefully?
3. Does he follow road signs?
4. Does he talk much to passengers on the Night Bus or prefer to concentrate on his driving?
5. What was Harry impressed with?
6. Are there any speed limits for the Knight Bus? Do you think this is too high or too low?
7. In the driver's side window of the Knight Bus, in front of the steering wheel there is a hanging shrunken head, isn't it? Where's the steering wheel in the bus?
8. What is inside the bus?
9. Does the driver use the accelerator (gas pedal)?
10. Does anybody in the bus wear front seat belts?
11. How are the gear and the handbrake (parking brake) operated with? (left or right hand)
12. How much did it cost to ride on the Knight Bus?
13. Would you like to ride the Knight Bus? Why?

5. Read the text in original

(<https://madbook.org/view?book=102&page=32>) and answer the following questions.

1. What is the Knight Bus and how did it know where to find Harry?
2. Why does Harry say his name is "Neville Longbottom" when he boards the Knight Bus?
3. Where's Ernie sitting?
4. How much did Harry have to pay for the ticket to have a cup of hot chocolate?
5. There was another passenger aboard the Knight Bus at the same time as Harry, what was her name? ()
6. "Stan came back downstairs, followed by a faintly green witch wrapped in a traveling cloak." Why did Madam Marsh have to get off?





Keys

1. Watch, listen and find 6 mistakes.

1. My name is Stan Shunpike, and I will be your conductor for this evening."
2. Well, come on, then. In.
3. It's going to be a **bumpy** ride.
4. If you have pea soup.....make sure you eat it before it **eats** you.
5. Don't tell me you've never been hearing of Sirius Black.
6. I reckon you've heard of him.
7. How **did** he escape?
8. Yeah, yeah. **Nearly** there.

2. Find English equivalents for the following phrases in Russian.

- 1) Mind your head.
- 2) Stranded witch or wizard
- 3) If you jab them with a fork, they feel.
- 4) They're right on top of us!
- 5) Nearly there.
- 6) Take it away, Ernie!

3. Find in the script synonyms to the following words.

especially	on purpose
think	reckon
ensure	make sure
enter	get in
hurry up	come on
fall down	fall over