***Beowulf* Webquest**

1. Go to the website <http://www.readwritethink.org/materials/beowulf/>

B. Answer the following questions based on the site:

1. What exactly is *Beowulf*?

2. In what language was it composed?

3. When was it composed, and what type of poem is it?

4. What is the story about?

5. Where do the events in the story take place geographically?

6. Briefly explain the story behind the **manuscript** of the poem.

7. Why is *Beowulf* important as a work of literature?

8. What is a scop?

9. What can be problematic about translating a poem like *Beowulf*?

10. Who wrote *Beowulf*?