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In the paragraph beginning ‘A big greyish rounded bulk...’, the narrator uses comparisons to help describe the creature.

How do these comparisons help the reader understand what the creature looks like?

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In the paragraph beginning ‘Two large dark-coloured eyes...’, the writer describes the creature’s mouth like this:

the lipless brim ... quivered and panted, and dropped saliva.

a) What is the effect of this choice of words?

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b) Find and copy another example of language from the same paragraph that has a similar effect.

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In the paragraph starting ‘Those who have never seen a living Martian...’, what details suggest that the creature is not suited to living on earth?

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