

## Chapter- 2

## Chapter Name- We are not afraid to die

**Day-1**

1. Give a brief description of the narrator's boat. How was it equipped and tested?
2. How did Jonathan react to the desperate situation they found themselves in on 5th January?
3. How did the narrator respond to little John's words? What do his actions reveal about his character?
4. How did Sue try to enliven the gloomy atmosphere?
5. Why did the narrator search for an island so eagerly?

**Day-2**

6. Why do you think did the narrator call Ile Amsterdam, the most beautiful island in the world'?
7. What did the narrator think of on landing at Ile Amsterdam?
8. How can you say that Suzanne's injuries were serious? Describe the mental condition of the voyagers on 4th and 5th January.
9. Describe the shifts in the narration of the events as indicated in the three sections of the text. Give a subtitle to each section.
10. Discuss the following questions with your partner.

**Day-3**

11. What difference did you notice between the reaction of the children and the adults when faced with danger?
12. How does the story suggest that optimism helps to endure "the direst stress"?
13. What lessons do we learn from such hazardous experiences when we are face-to-face with death?
14. Why do you think people undertake such adventurous expeditions in spite of the risks involved?
15. What did the narrator plan to do? What preparations did they make?