**Slowly** and **powerfully**, the SBAD stretched out its wings. The spikes on its head glinted like knives in the moonlight. As the beast rose majestically, the earth trembled and shook. The knobbly scales over its back ran the full length of its body and created a layer of armour over its pitch black skin. The beast's golden yellow eyes darted **quickly around** its surroundings and its whip like tongue poised, ready to strike.