Activity 1: Underline the words / phrases which have been repeated to create cohesion:

Jasper looked up at the sky and a sense of panic began to set in. It would soon be dark and he was not home. The streetlamps flickered above his head, threatening to light; the darkness was looming menacingly.

Only yesterday he had promised to avoid the blackness of night. Only yesterday he had promised to never get caught. Yet here he was, out in the street with the blackness poised ready to envelop him.

It arrived. The promise was broken and Jasper felt the changes begin...

Describe how the repetition creates cohesion.

Activity 2: Underline the adverbials which have been used to create cohesion.

In the beginning, Jasper did not worry about being seen. In fact, he actually wanted to be. It made him laugh to see the shock on people's faces, but things were different now...

As a consequence of his own recklessness none of his kind were permitted to change in the open. They had to be back by nightfall.

Describe how the adverbials create cohesion.

Activity 3: Underline where ellipses have been used to create cohesion.

It was not that he had intended to be reckless. His instinct had just taken over - it was so strong. He had narrowly avoided the first group of people as he charged but the second were not so fortunate and...

Describe how the ellipses create cohesion.