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A final way the author explores the theme of homelessness is through the message that the book carries, which is injustice. "Yeah but like-justice was done, right? Was it, though? Shelter gets life, which means he gets a roof, a bed and three square meals a day. I don't" The author uses rhetorical questions to make the reader think about how unfair this resolution is. ~~The~~ Our government will treat a murderer better than someone who became homeless through no choice of their own. ~~Our~~ ~~government~~ The reader really considers how unfair this is and sympathises more with homeless people. The message of injustice helps the reader to explore the theme of homelessness.

In conclusion, Swindells successfully presents the theme of homelessness using various writing techniques including setting, characterisation, narrative structure, key incidents and the message that the book carries. Throughout the novel Swindells suggests that we shouldn't judge people who are homeless and shows us the difficulties they face which makes the reader sympathise.