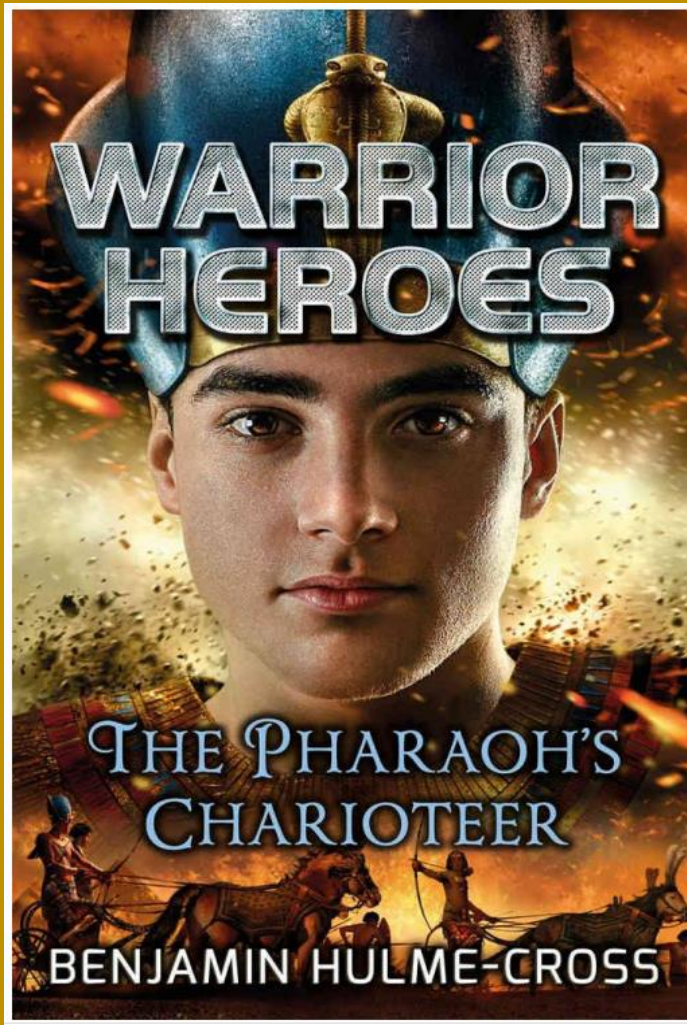


What has happened so far?



Tell someone what you know...





Our target
this half term
is...





Today, you will be
continuing to
develop your
fluency.

1. Echo read an extract
of chapter 5 with me

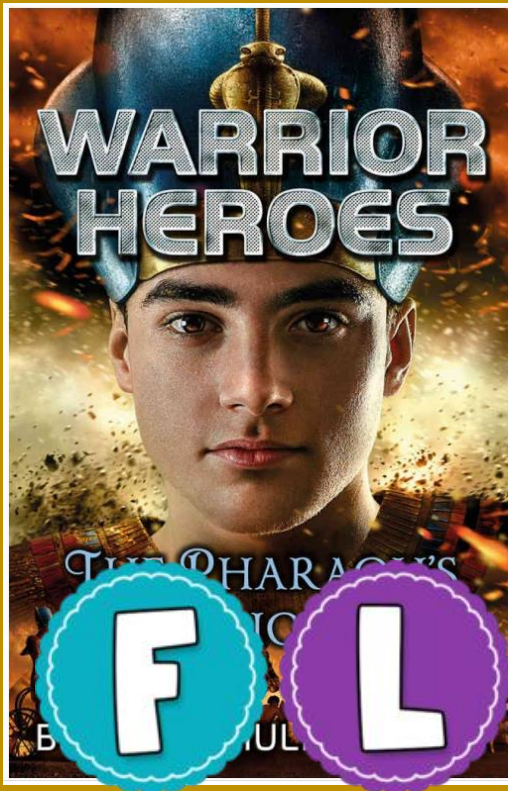
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part of the chapter then perform.

3. Use your knowledge of the chapter
to make inferences.





1. Listen to me read.



Remember, to follow
the text with your
finger as I read and
keep up.

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x3

Practise
and think
about...



Pacing

Work on your pacing by reading the passage three times.

- Decode unfamiliar words.
- Ask questions to clarify the meaning of the story.
- Read the words correctly.
- Improve your pace each time.

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It's time to perform!

Perform the extract to someone or to the class.
Remember to use the strategies we have been thinking about over the last two weeks.

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How do
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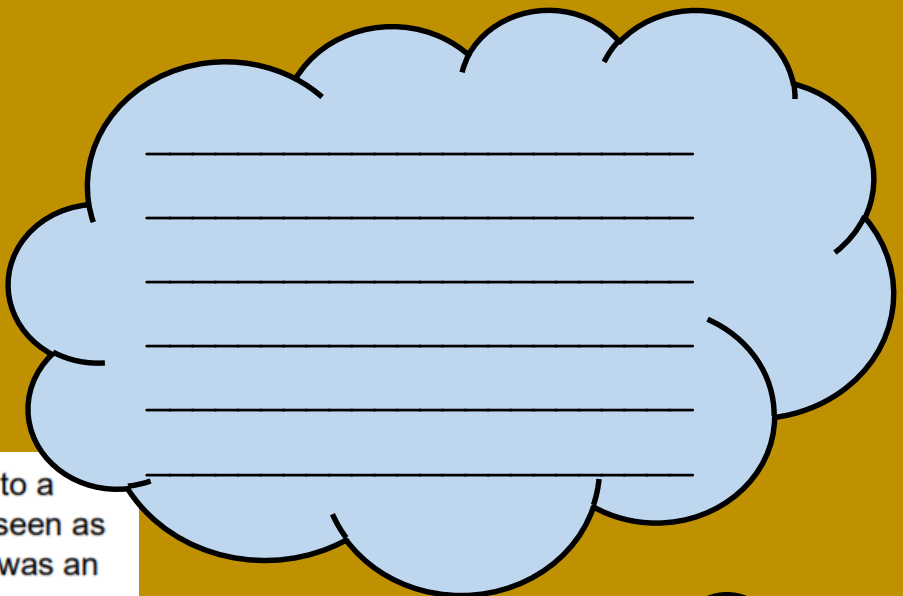
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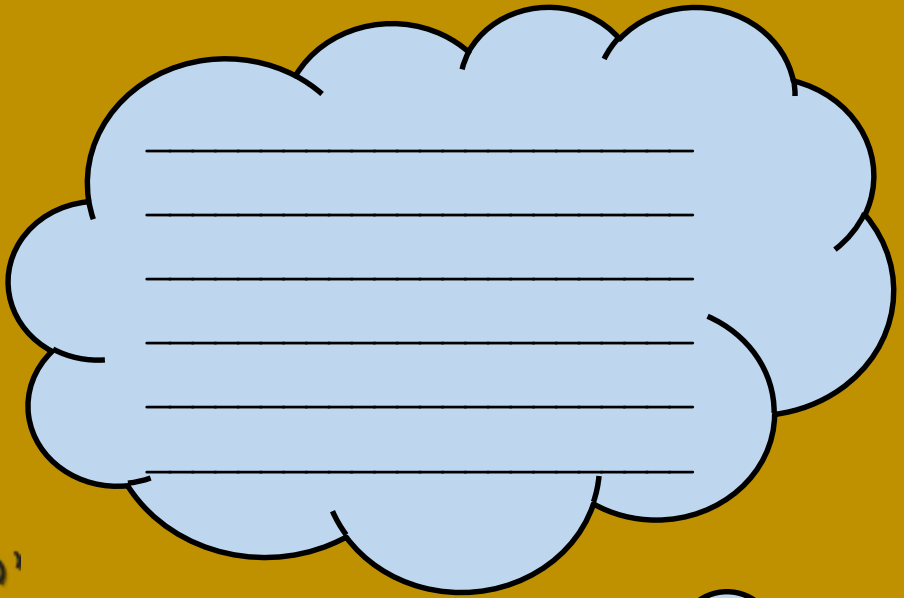
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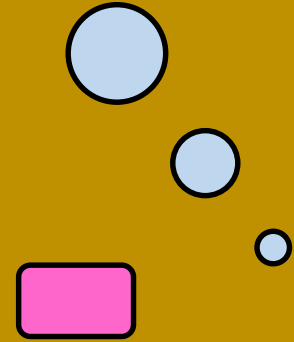
RESPOND

L.O. I am learning to make inferences.

What is Arthur thinking at this point in the story?



White-hot daylight stung his eyes and he cowered back from it, groaning. He was totally confused, having switched from night to day in an instant, and he began to panic, his breath coming in rapid, ragged gasps and his torso convulsing against the ropes that still bound his hands.



With me