Journalistic writing

I am learning to plan the quote paragraph of a newspaper report.

In this lesson, you will need:

Exercise book or paper

Pen or pencil

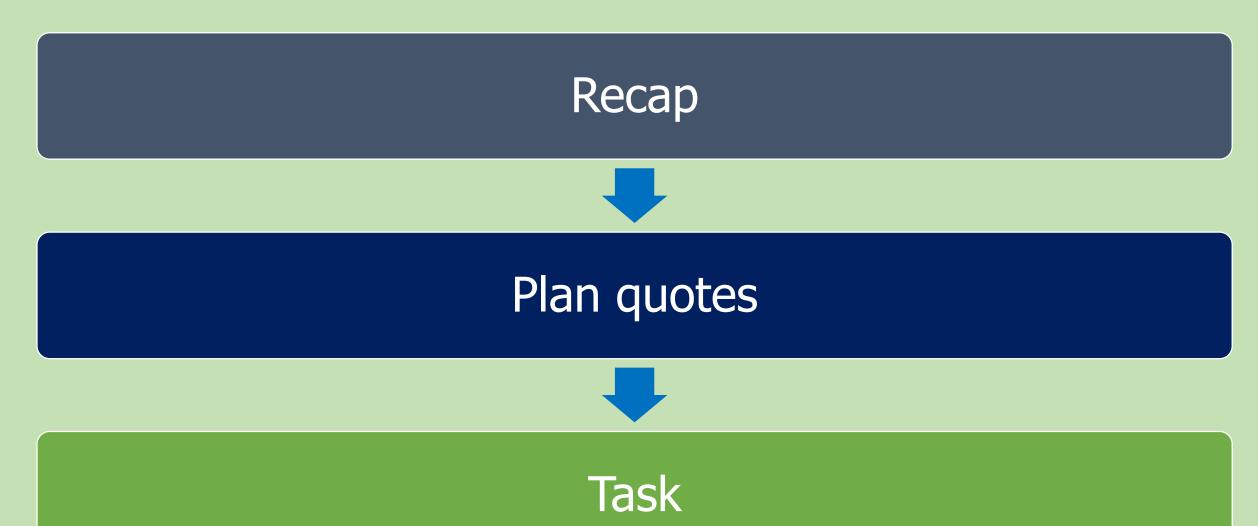
Witness note



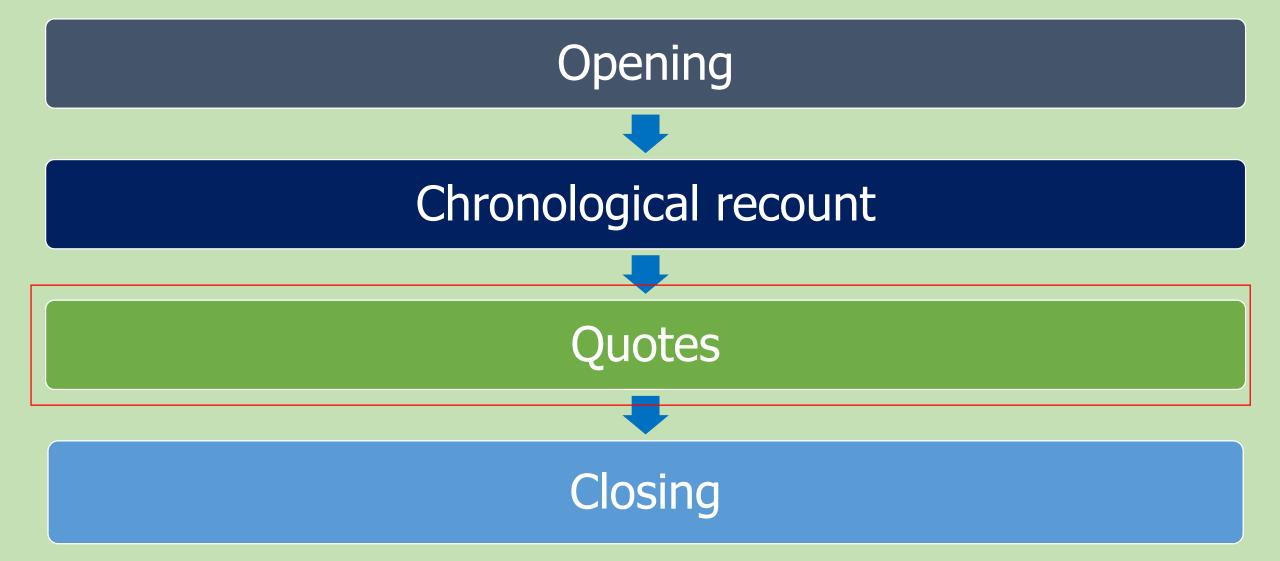




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Newspaper Report Structure



Discovery of Tutankhamun's Tomb



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Discovery of Tutankhamun's Tomb



1) Lord Carnarvon offered to pay Howard Carter and his team to search for a hidden tomb.

2) Lord Carnarvon said that he would stop paying Howard Carter if he didn't find anything

3) The water-boy found the an unusual stone.

4) On 4th November 1922, Howard Carter found the sealed entrance of a tomb.

5) The first room was filled with rubble and broken jars and pots.

6) Howard carter found a second sealed doorway inside the first chamber

7) Howard Carter made a small hole in the doorway and claimed he saw 'Wonderful things... Wonderful things'.

8) Howard Carter worked for nine more years to ensure that each golden object was carefully documented

Witnesses







Egyptian officials

Water-boy

Lord Carnarvon

Quotes paragraph

Many witness have provided further information about the incident. A water-boy, who was working on the excavation site at the time, heard the seals of the doors being released. The water-boy reported, "I was just getting on with my daily routines of collecting water for the workers, when I was distracted by the commotion of Mr Carter trying to get into the tomb." Furthermore, an Egyptian Official who was overseeing the project of finding Tutankhamun tomb stated that Mr Carter had ordered his workers to refill the staircase so that Lord Carnarvon could witness the discovery. Lord Carnarvon released a statement before setting off for Egypt, "we are excited about the prospect of the tomb being filled with great treasures and history to enrich our knowledge of the Ancient Egyptians."

What is the purpose of the quotes paragraph?

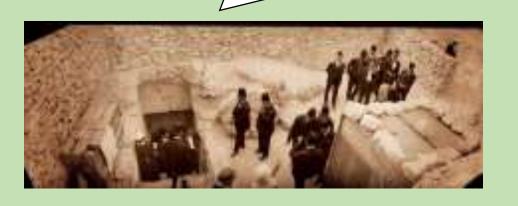
- Provides additional information about the event.
- Gives different perspectives on the event.

"The first doorway was filled with rubble and broken pieces of jars and pots. But last Sunday they found a second sealed doorway inside the first chamber."



Water-boy

"We were informed that the tomb had four chambers, each filled with a huge range of objects including gold jewellery, chariots, model boats, a tiny thrown and paintings.



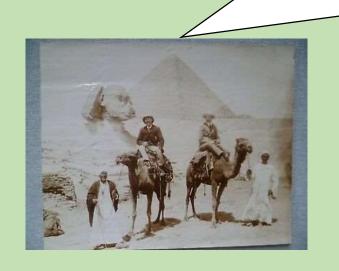
Egyptian Officials

"A few days later, I received some fantastic news that on the 4th November, they had found the stairway that led to the unopened tomb of Tutankhamun."



Lord Carnarvon

"I wish that these archaeologists would not come and disturb the dead in the Valley of Kings, there is a rumour that if anyone disturbed the young pharaoh death was decreed on them."



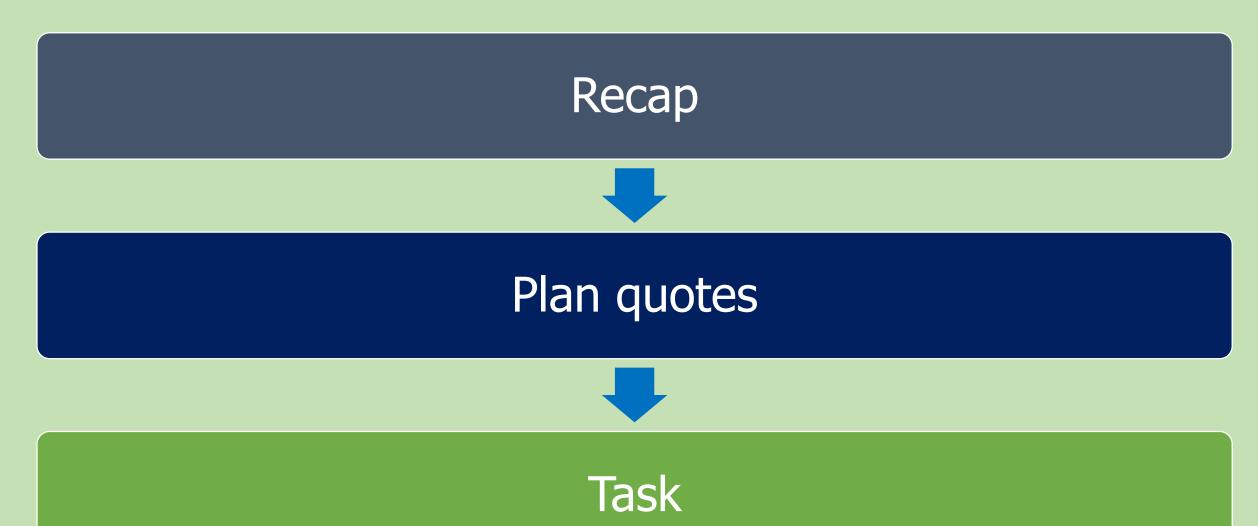
Local residents

Task

Write 4 speech bubbles to use in your quotes paragraph.

You could use witnesses, police or anyone else relevant.

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Congratulations!

You have completed your lesson!



If you would like to, please share your work with your parent or carer.

Remember each week your class teacher would like to see one piece of work you are most proud of. Could it be this learning?