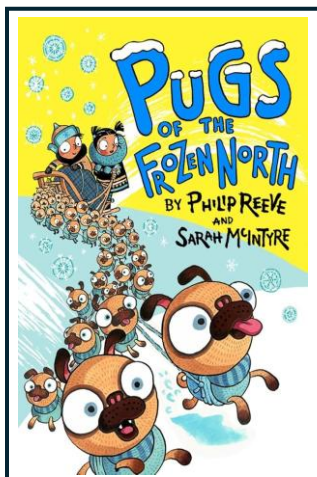


**By the end of this unit I will have written ...**

- A diary entry
- A formal and an informal letter
- A recount of key events in the format of a newspaper article

In this piece of writing, I will include ...

- Recalling key events from the text (using past tense verbs)
- Having a good understanding of characters and settings explored in our text.
- Comparing main characters lives and experiences.

Key Vocabulary from the text

Word	Definition
weathered	something has been changed or worn down by the wind, water, sun, and other forces of nature over time.
rigging	ropes, chains, and cables on a ship that help the sails and masts stay up and move.
cruising	to travel at the same speed for a while.
cargo	goods that a ship, plane, or truck is carrying from one place to another.
fjord	a long, deep, and narrow arm of the sea that reaches far inland.

Ambitious Vocabulary to use

motionless	without moving at all.
shipwrecked	your boat gets destroyed at sea and you survive but are left stranded.
headland	a part of the land, like a tall cliff, that sticks out into the sea.

Grammar and Punctuation to be used in my writing

Device	Example
fronted adverbial	As we approached the forest , Sika shared with me the legend of the Kraken.
past tense verbs	You wouldn't believe what happened today!
inverted commas (speech marks)	"I am routing for latecomers Shen and Sika to win!"