

Arctic Journey



Story starter!

The journey had gone well so far. The huskies barked encouragement to each other, pulling together, straining against the weight behind them. The edge of the lake was in sight, one hundred metres away. He muttered a prayer to himself, begging for the ice to take the weight of the sled. Ninety metres. He shivered as the icy wind whipped against his red-raw cheeks and snow-encrusted beard. Eighty metres. They would reach the land soon.

It was then that he heard it. CRACK...The sled shuddered. Seventy metres.

CRACK... He could see the water through the ice. CRACK... The ground beneath him started to shatter...

Can you continue the story of the journey across the Arctic? Will the team make it across the lake?;

Your task:

Using the story starter above, your task is to finish the story. Where you take it and what happens is up to you.

You don't need to copy out the starter again, just begin your story from where the starter ends.

Grammar focus:

Look at how you can use commas in your writing. If you are unsure then this week's grammar powerpoint and worksheets will help you.

Remember the 5 senses:

Sight, sound, feel, taste, smell

Use the 5 W's:

Who? What? Why? Where? When?