Personal Narrative - Year 3

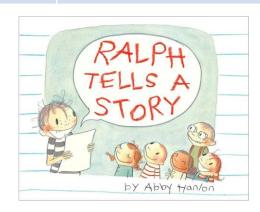
The Proudest Blue

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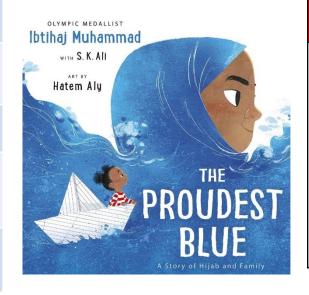
ESSENTIAL VOCABULARY/WORD BANK

Simile	A simile describes something by comparing it to something else, using like or as.
Hijab	A head covering worn in public by some Muslim women.
Resilience	The capacity to withstand or recover quickly from difficulties; toughness.
First person	a type of narrative in which the <u>protagonist</u> relates their story using the first person, i.e. using the pronoun 'l'.
Narrative	a spoken or written account of connected events; a story.



Final Outcome

To independently write own personal narrative (memoir) based on lived experiences.



Non-negotiables for this piece of work

- I have used a variety of sentence types.
- I have used included the character's inner thoughts within the text.
- I have used similes within my writing.
- I have used a range of tenses in speech.
- I have used dialogue within my work.

I have proofread my work for spelling and punctuation errors!

Similes

A simile describes something by comparing it to something else, using like or as. For example:

As cold as ice
As light as a feather

In The Proudest Blue, Faizah says that Asiya's hijab is 'like the sky on a sunny day'.

Simple sentence, compound sentence or complex sentence?

Simple: The tortoise moved slowly.

Compound: Some of the animals laughed at that so the Hare said, 'Alright then, Tortoise.'.

Complex: Next Morning, the animals watched the Tortoise do his 'training'.

The Power of Three

- **Lists**: List of three items or an elaborate list in threes.
- Same start: The author begins with the same word or phrase in three separate, consecutive sentences for emphasis.
- **Same word repeated**: Used for emphasis (e.g. down, down, down).
- **Setting details**: Often revealed with three vivid adjectives or three vivid phrases that describe setting.

'As a family we live, love, learn and celebrate with Jesus