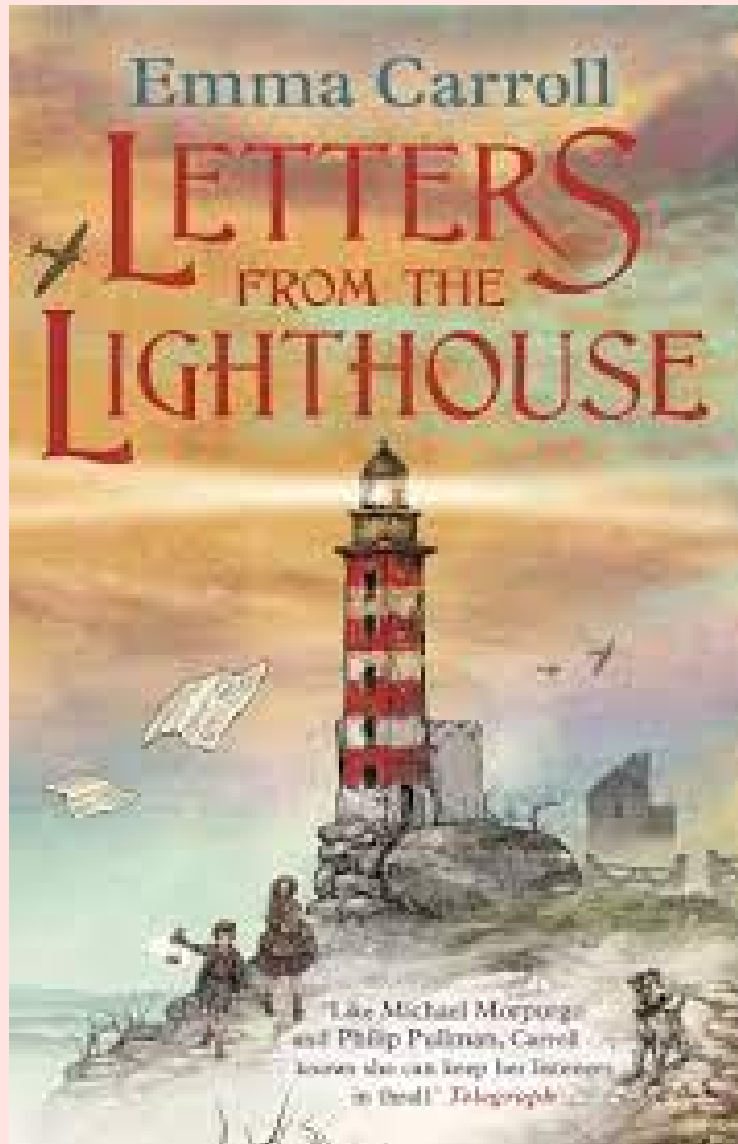




Can you remember the meaning of.....

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- blackout curtains
- penpal
- gas masks
- lav
- RAF
- air raid
- shelter



Glossary

Luftwaffe - the air force of Germany



measly - too small in size or amount, or not enough

the cat's pyjamas - something terrific, the best thing

blackout curtains - heavy curtains that prevented the escape of any glimmer of light that might aid enemy aircraft.

penpal - a friend known only through letter writing

gas mask - A gas mask is a kind of mask that fits over the face area and nose. It protects from poison gases and many other hazards in the air.



lav - short for lavatory, toilet

RAF - the air force of the United Kingdom

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air raid shelter - a building or structure designed to protect people from bombs dropped during air raids.

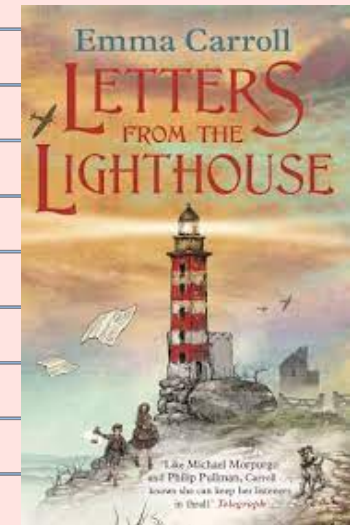
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2nd read: Exploring the structure

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- Re-read the text with your partner - take it in turns to read a sentence each.

Remember today we are focusing on the events of the story and the order they happen in.



Put the statements into chronological order.

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