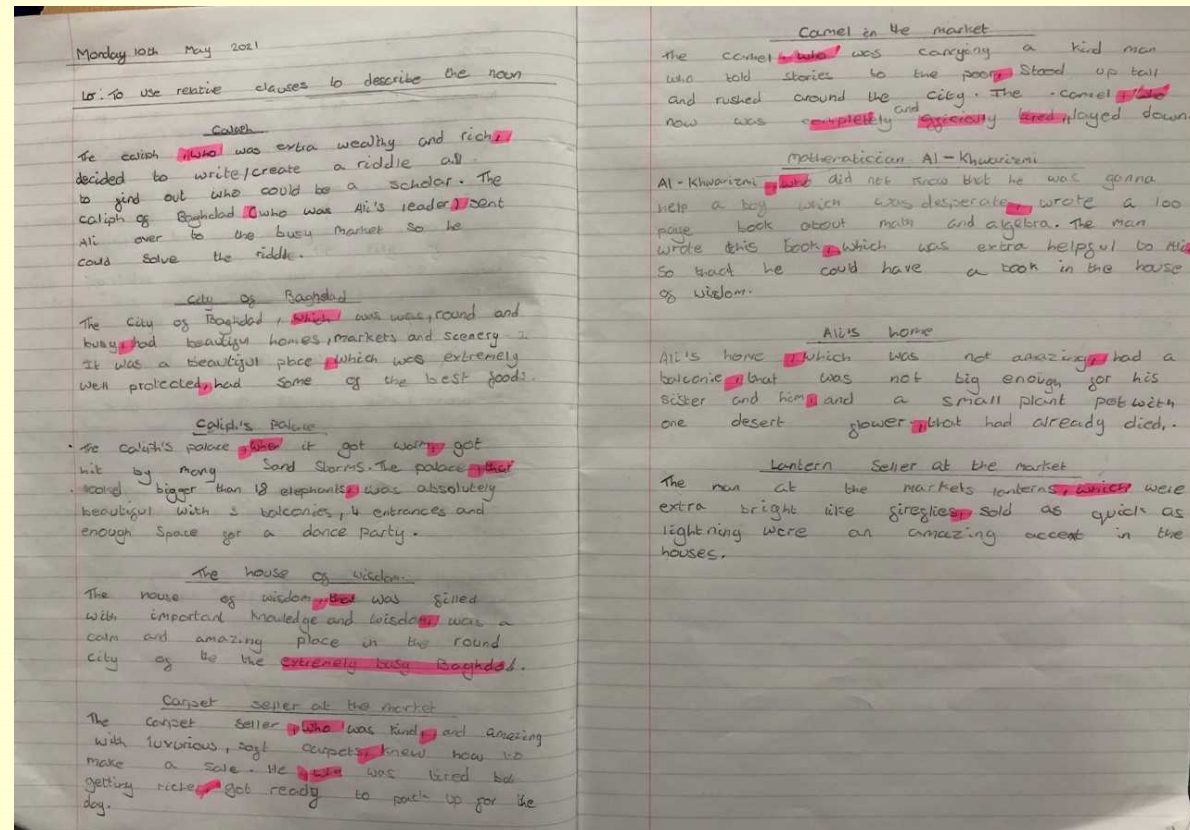
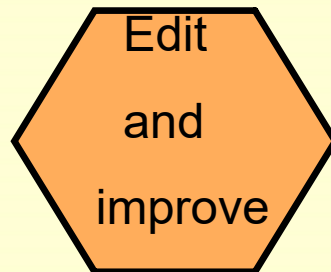


Tuesday 11th May 2021

LO: To use fronted adverbials



Purple Pen, look back to edit and improve (5 mins)

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What is a fronted adverbial?

A fronted adverbial is when the adverbial word or phrase is moved to the front of the sentence, before the verb.

Nervously, Ali walked into the crowded market

Nervously is describing the verb 'walked'. The sentence tells us that Ali was nervous when he reached the market.

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Types of Fronted adverbials

Fronted adverbials can be used to describe:

the time something happens,

Before sunrise, Ali sneaked into the Caliph's Palace.

the frequency (how often) something happens,

Every so often, Ali would imagine how it would be like to go inside the House of Wisdom.

the place something happens,

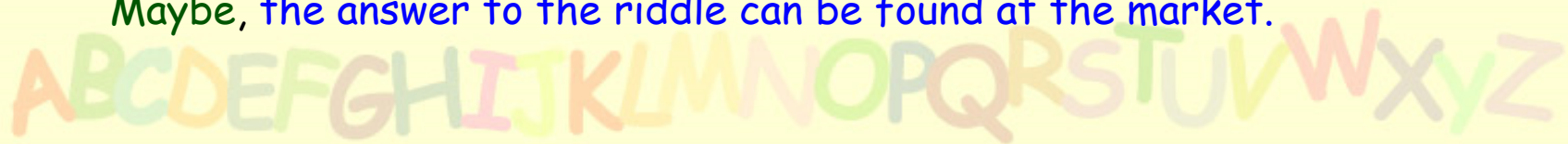
Behind the carpet shop, the camels were relaxing after a long journey.

the manner something happens,

As quick as a flash, Ali got through to the other side of the city.

the possibility (how likely) something will/has happen(ed),

Maybe, the answer to the riddle can be found at the market.



I Do

Improve the sentence by using a fronted adverbial

Ali looked around for clues.

Anxiously, Ali looked around for clues.



Challenge: Add more details using parenthesis and expanded noun phrase

Anxiously, Ali looked around for clues (he had no idea where to start). Just then, he spotted an old man who was selling carpets from the back of a camel cart.

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We do

Improve the sentence by using a fronted adverbial

He returned home without any answers.

Unwillingly, he returned home without any answers.



Challenge: Add more details using parenthesis and expanded noun phrase

Unwillingly, he returned home (listening to the call for prayer) without any answers. Later that day, he heard someone talking about al-Khwarizmi (the best mathematician in Baghdad) and decided to seek his help.

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You do****remember your punctuation****

Improve the sentence by using a fronted adverbial

- Ali stood outside al-Khwarizmi's house.
- al-Khwarizmi heard the puzzle.
- He used algebra to find the answer.
- Ali couldn't believe his luck.
- Ali went back to his house.
- Ali went to see the Caliph.
- Caliph was impressed by Ali's efforts.
- Caliph granted him access to House of Wisdom.



Challenge: Add more details using parenthesis and expanded noun phrase

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