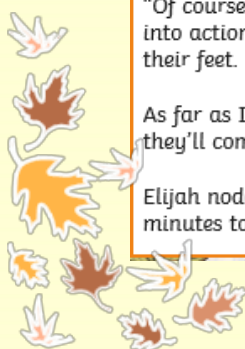


Tuesday 3rd November 2020

English: The Lost Thing

Starter: Fix all of the speech punctuation errors in the text below. Re-write in your morning books or on your whiteboards.



The two children had been working for what seemed like hours. Wiping the sweat from their brows, they stood back and admired their handiwork.

Do you think it will work? asked Elijah, the older and more sensible of the two.

"Of course"! replied Yui – feeling immensely excited at the idea of putting her plan into action. For a moment, silence fell as they inspected the large pile of leaves at their feet.

As far as I know continued Yui they're due back at 5 o'clock. When they arrive, they'll come straight into the garden to look for us.

Elijah nodded and checked his watch before exclaiming "That only gives us five minutes to bury ourselves in the pile! We'd better get started

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The Lost Thing by Shaun Tan

LO: To identify adjectives within a sentence and discuss alternative choices.

To identify appropriate synonyms.



Watch up to 3:45 of The Lost Thing.



Read up to 'there was no denying the unhappy truth, it was lost.'

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What is an adjective?

Where do they normally fit into the sentence?

An adjective is a word which describes the noun. It tells us more information about the noun EG: It was a terrible book.

Adjectives usually go in front of the noun, although sometimes they can be used after the noun with the use of a link verb such as 'be', 'like' or 'feel'.



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Underline all of the adjectives.

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Think of some alternatives for the adjectives you have underlined.

You can use a thesaurus to help you.



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Which synonyms could we use instead of the word 'lost'?

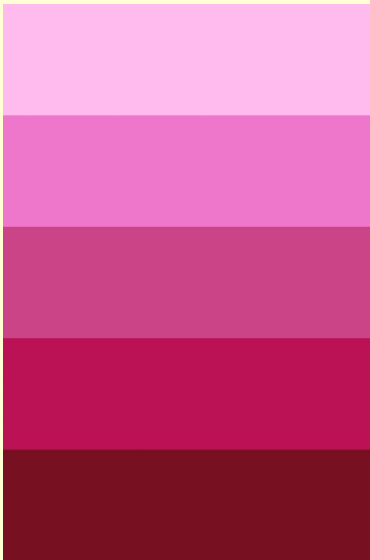
Discuss in pairs. Use the thesaurus to help you.

WHITEBOARDS: Write your synonym in the sentence: There was no denying the unhappy truth, it was _____.



Use a colour chart to order the synonyms from the least to the most intense.

Re-write the sentence 'There was no denying the ____ truth, it was ____.

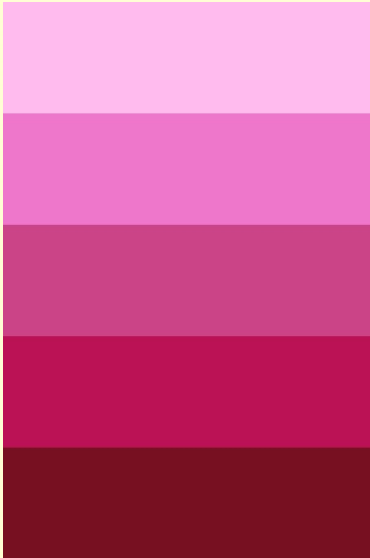


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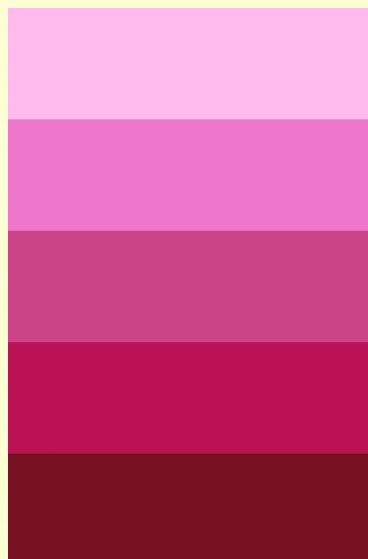
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Stick completed colour chart in your books.

Write your sentence using synonyms next to your colour chart.

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