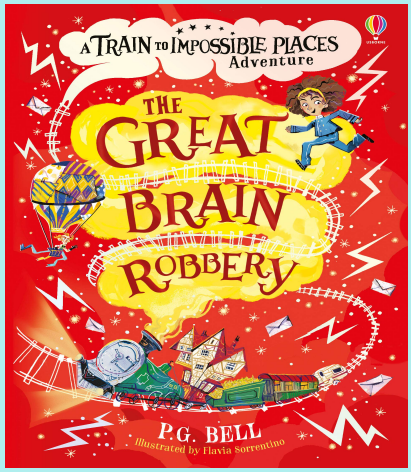
Monday 4th January 2021

LO: To read the story

Brief outline:

Suzy can't wait to return to the Union of Impossible Places on the Impossible Postal Express. But when she arrives, she overhears a dastardly plan to destroy Trollville from a shadowy and unexpected villain. Suzy and her friends must race from magical cloud-worlds to secret caverns to catch the culprit, before Trollville comes crashing down...



Glossary:

Contents - the things inside

Scarred - mark with a scar

Embossed - decorated with a design

Correspondence - communicate through letters

Elaborate - detailed design

Cordially - warm and friendly way

Inauguration - ceremony to mark the beginning of something

Brocade - woven fabric with a raised pattern

Dec 17-13:52

Follow along as a read.

Now read with your partner - look for the key words in the Glossary.

Dec 17-14:01

Discussion questions:

Who gave Suzy the book 'The knowledge: An instructional Handbook for Impossible postal operatives'? What is this book about?

What did she find inside the book?
What is a postal service?
What is different about the postal service that Wilmot works for?

Dec 17-20:59

Tuesday 5th January 2021

LO: To retrieve key information from the text to answer questions

Read in pairs

Reread as a class

I DO: After reading the letter, where is Suzy going?

WE DO: Who is Wilmot?

WE DO: What is Suzy looking for in her wardrobe?
YOU DO: Who comes to take Suzy?

Dec 17-21:02

Wednesday 6th January 2021

LO: Give my opinion using evidence from the text.

Read in pairs

Reread as a class

Dec 17-21:03

I DO: Why do you think Suzy smiled at the words in the letter?

WE DO: Why do you think the uniform is on the 'secret hanger she had suspended from a nail right at the back' of her wardrobe?

YOU DO: Do you think Suzy works for the postal service? Discuss and find evidence from the text.

Thursday 7th December 2021

LO: Contrast the characters and story to other stories you know.

Read with partner

Discuss the three characters we have been introduced to.

Who are they?

What are their jobs?

What is happening in the story?

Dec 17-21:06

Discussion:

Do these characters remind you of other characters to have read about?
Does the story remind you have other stories?

Dec 17-21:06

Friday 8th January 2021

LO: To summaries the first chapter of the text in a paragraph.

Write a summary of the first paragraph for this story in 30 words.

Dec 17-21:07