LO: To gather information from the text to answer questions.

Recap: what text were we reading?

Brief outline of the text:

In extract from Flat Stanley – the great Egyptian Grave Robbery. Written by Jeff Brown. In the story, Stanley gets an important letter that asked him to travel to Egypt to help with an archaeologist dig.

Glossary:

Aroma - pleasant smell

broadening - expand your knowledge

Bulletin board - a notice board for public messages

enviously - jealous

Exotic - unusual, from a different place

Keenly - eager and enthusiastic

souvenirs - gifts from a holiday

urgent - needs to be done immediately.

Questions:

1. Why do you think Stanley is 'world-famous'?
2. Why do you think Stanley sighed when he said 'I am only half an inch thick'?
3. 'What I meant was, it rounds out one's education, oh my, that didn't come out quite right'……what does Stanley's mum mean here?
4. Why do you think Stanley is needed in Egypt?