

Tuesday 2nd February 2021

I can plan an Emperor penguin recount.

Task 1 (no more than 30 minutes)

Please work through the activities on the **First, Second and Third Person PowerPoint** uploaded on the online learning page.

Please complete the quiz questions and then try to change the paragraph from third person into first person. You do not need to write the paragraph out.

The rest of my WAGOLL is on the online learning page if you would like to have a look....

What a day I have had!

Once my mate had laid her egg, she turned and waddled off into the sea. Off she went to hunt, leaving me stuck on the ice on my own with the most important job. I had to keep our precious egg safe and make sure that it is away from the cold, dangerous ice and the strong, blustery winds. As soon as she waddled off to the sea, I tucked our little egg up under my tummy in my brood patch. I felt so worried about looking after our little egg. So, there I was, stuck on the snow-covered ice with an egg on my feet! Can you imagine that? Standing still in the freezing cold keeping such a delicate object off the ice. What's more, there was nothing whatsoever to eat! Not one little fish. Would you like to go without breakfast, lunch, tea and supper for months at a time? It's not like I could go waddling off to the sea to hunt either! I couldn't leave my egg behind or take it with me so not only was I stuck, but I was starving hungry as well. I felt miserable.

This morning, I joined the hundreds of other male penguins and snuggled up with them in a huge huddle. To make it fair, we had to take it in turns on the outside of the group where it was the coldest. Luckily, I had my thick feathers and layers of fat under my skin to help me to stay warm. Most of the time, we trundled very, very slowly together in our huddle across the frozen snow but today we reached a steep, slippery slope so we had to slide down on our tummies. Sliding quicker and quicker, I pushed myself along with my flippers. Feeling petrified that the little egg would slide out and be crushed, I tried to steady myself. I had to be so careful not to bump into any of the other penguins. Once we had made it to the bottom, all of a sudden, I heard a tiny sound. It was like nothing I had ever heard before. Quietly, it went, "Chip, chip, chip." What could it be? Looking down at my feet, I realised that my special little egg was beginning to hatch!

Task 2 (30 minutes)

Can you remember the sequence of events? If we were in the classroom we would put them up on the board in order. If you need to, keep coming back to this to check the order of your recount.

1.

My mate
went to sea
to hunt.

2.

I was left on
the ice with
the egg.

3.

I joined the
huddle.

4.

We had to slide
down a steep hill
on our bellies.

4.

I heard a
noise.

5.

The egg
hatched.

6.

I had to keep it
warm and
feed it.

7.

Mum arrived
and fed the
chick.

Today we are going to map out our story. Use the template and the sequence of the story to create your own.



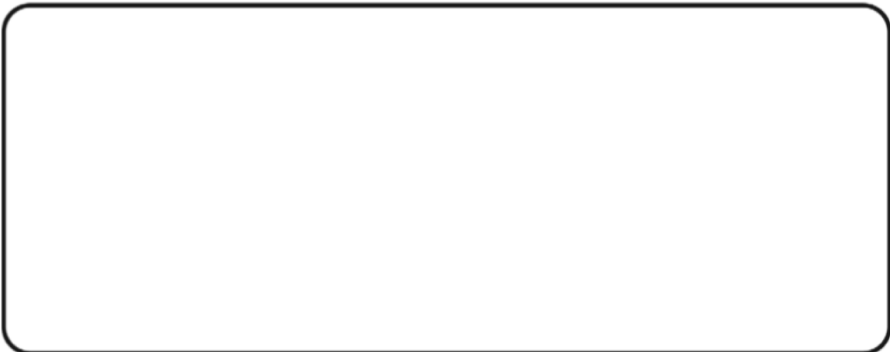
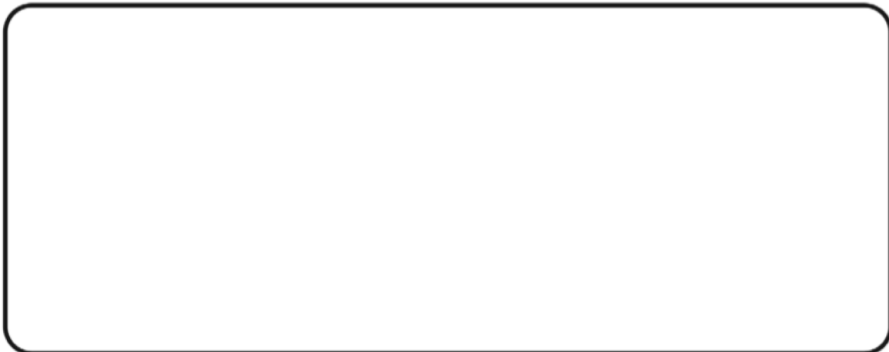
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You may want to add pictures to your story map to remind you of the sequence of events.

	
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Write words or short sentences, key words or phrases to plan our your ideas.
Try not to write the paragraphs but rather reminders of your ideas.