# Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> February 2021

Male Emperor Penguin Recount

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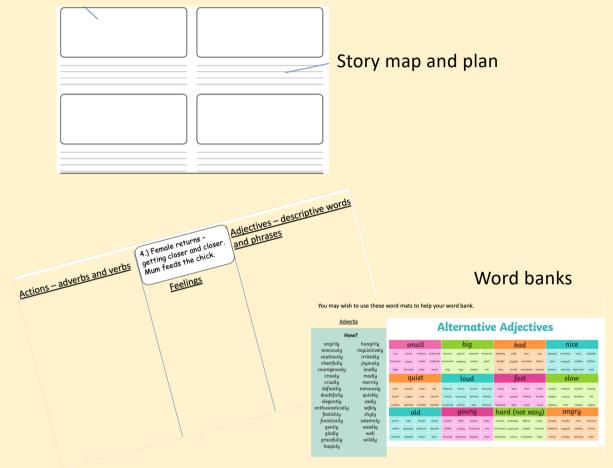
Accept any suitable preposition, e.g. under, within, below.

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### Task (approx. 40 minutes)

Today, please begin writing paragraph 3 of your recount.



Once my mate had laid the egg,

As soon as she waddled off to the sea,

Slowly,

Luckily,

Most of the time,

Before long,

This morning,

Carefully,

What's more,

Fortunately,

To make it fair,

Can you use the sentence starters to write your own sentences?

Once we reached the bottom,

Sliding down the hill,

As fast as lightning,

Once things had quietened down,

Delighted,

Quietly,

Loudly,

Delighted, Quietly, Loudly,
After what felt like forever, As quick as a flash,

Sentences

Have you got these to help you to begin writing?

This task is a little trickier....

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.

Today, please only focus on the parts of the recount circled in red.

My mate went to sea to hunt.

I was left on the ice with the egg.

I joined the huddle.

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

I heard a noise.

The egg hatched.

I had to keep it warm and feed it.

Mum arrived and fed the chick.

#### **WAGOLL**

Our next piece of writing will be to recount when you, the male Emperor penguin, had to look after your chick and keep it safe.

As I woke up, I noticed a black dot on the horizon, getting closer and closer. I recognised who it was...it was my mate! At last, the wait was finally over! After what felt like forever, she was back. Feeling overjoyed, I trumpeted to her as loudly as I could so I could show her how pleased I was that she was back! Even the chick joined in, whistling and calling with me. Quickly, Mum fed the chick with fish that she had caught in the depths of the ocean and stored in her stomach. Hungrily, it gobbled down the lot. Finally, it is my turn for some food. Leaving my mate to look after the chick, I am going to set off on the long journey to the sea for a well-earned meal. About time too!

## Spellings (10 minutes)

### Apples / Oranges / Pears

Please spend some time practising your spellings today.

I have uploaded a PowerPoint to the online learning page if you would like to play a game to guess the spelling word.

### <u>Pineapples</u>

Please have a go at the spellings activity uploaded on the online learning page and on Seesaw.