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LO: To create characters, settings and plots

Today you are going to write the introduction to your adventure story and introduce your main character. Use your storyboard and brainstorm to help you.

Introduction to the character.

The main character finds an Egyptian artefact.

The artefact transports them back to Ancient Egypt.

The main character encounters a problem.

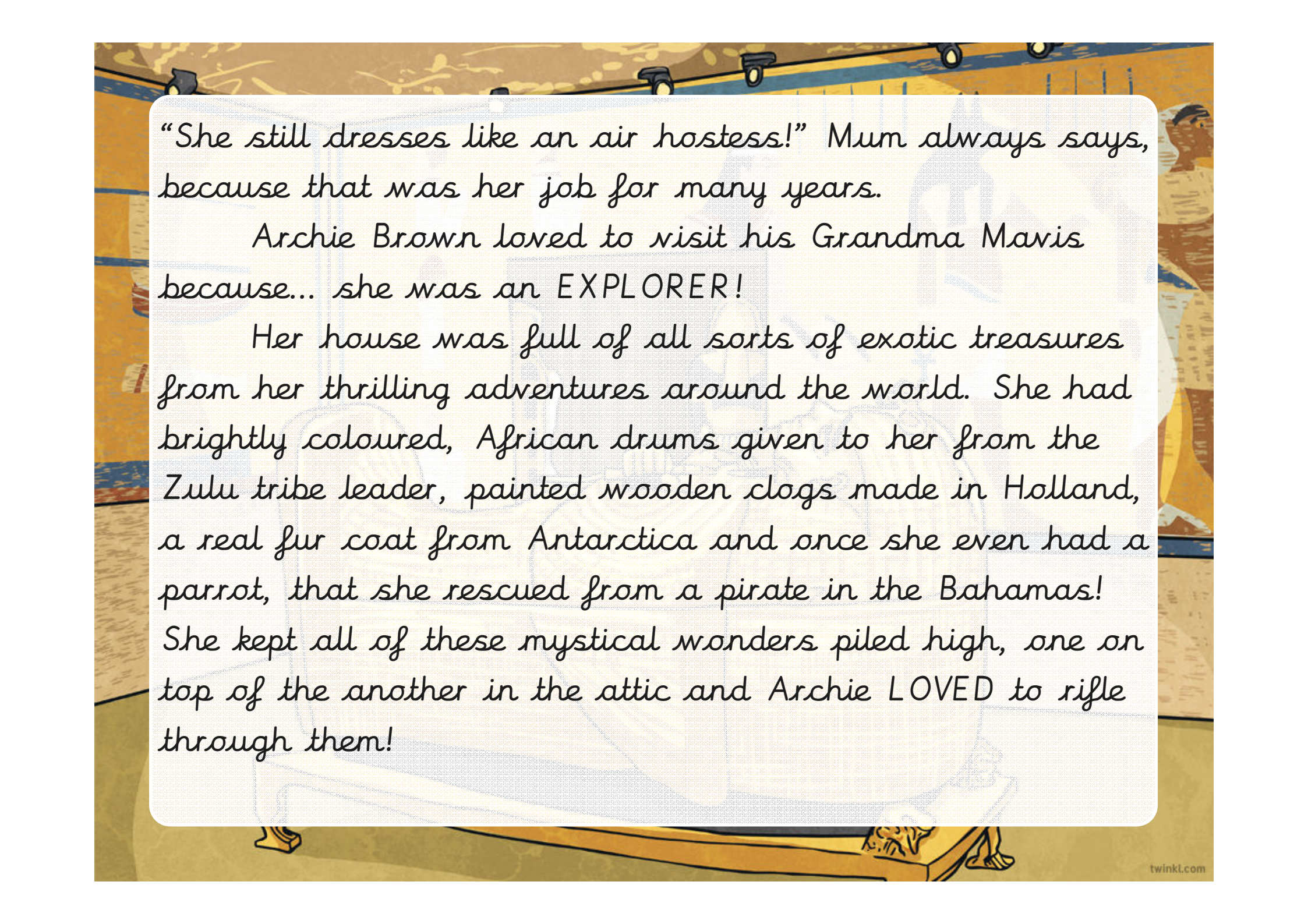
The main character finds a solution to the problem.

The main character travels back to 2021.

WAGOLL

Archie Brown was like any other 9 year old. He loved playing football with his best friend Josh and found pleasure annoying his younger sister, May. He had curly, brown hair and shiny, blue eyes, as blue as the deepest ocean. Archie loved going to school and especially loved history. At the moment, his class were learning about the Ancient Egyptians. He could reel off ten facts about mummification in a heartbeat!

Archie was incredibly close to his Grandma Mavis and would often visit her every weekend. Grandma Mavis wasn't a typical grandma. She didn't knit woollen jumpers and she was an awful cook! In fact, whenever Archie visited his grandma, they would often have beans on toast or a Chinese takeaway if she had ran out of bread. She never cleaned the kitchen and always forgot to buy toilet rolls. She did however, always remember to accurately apply her bright red lipstick, tie her hair into a slick, tight bun on the top of her head and wear a light blue and green patterned, silk neck chief.



“She still dresses like an air hostess!” Mum always says, because that was her job for many years.

Archie Brown loved to visit his Grandma Mavis because... she was an EXPLORER!

Her house was full of all sorts of exotic treasures from her thrilling adventures around the world. She had brightly coloured, African drums given to her from the Zulu tribe leader, painted wooden clogs made in Holland, a real fur coat from Antarctica and once she even had a parrot, that she rescued from a pirate in the Bahamas! She kept all of these mystical wonders piled high, one on top of the another in the attic and Archie LOVED to rifle through them!

Super Sentence

Write a 2A simile sentence describing your main character.

Archie had curly, brown hair and shiny, blue eyes, as blue as the deepest ocean.

CHALLENGE: Can you add a simile?

Rules of Speech

Use speech marks around spoken words “”

Capital letters at the start of the speech

End punctuation ,.!? at the end of the speech

New line for a new speaker.

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Mum always says, because that was
her job for many years.

Can you identify the speech punctuation?

Main Task

In your draft and edit books, write a description of your main character. Use your brainstorm to help you. Remember to describe:

- What the main character looks like (hair, eyes, height, clothing)
- Family (Does your character have any brothers/sisters/pets?)
- The main character's hobbies and interests

Archie Brown was like any other 9 year old. He had..... He enjoyed.....

Story Writing Features

Third person (he, she, her, him, the name of the character)

Similes and metaphors

Fronted Adverbials

Conjunctions

Adjectives

5 senses

Super sentences - 2A, Double LY, Emotion

Paragraphs- New paragraph for a new subject, start the line below with a finger space

Speech- Use speech marks around spoken words ""
capital letters and end punctuation ,.! ? New line for a new speaker.

