Writing

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Monday 18th January 2021

17. To plan writing

Using the summary of chapter 7 in Fridays lesson, you will write up one day as a diary entry. We know that our characters were on the ship for 11 to 12 days, and we know what conversations were held. We also know how the weather turned. These need to feature in your day on board!

How will you begin your writing? Will you say Dear Diary, or just begin to write?

Remember to write in the first person. The tone should be chatty, after all the audience is only the person who writes the diary!

Audience	Purpose
Just the writer	To jot down thoughts, feelings and actions of what happened that day
Diary	Style Informal with colloquial language

Examples: How will we achieve this? What will our success criteria be? Intended effect: Diary: a personal place to write thoughts, feelings and actions

Example...

Dear Diary,

What a day! I didn't get chance to pen my thoughts yesterday, I was far too busy with dealing with everything that happened.

First, something dreadful, I fell on the slippery deck and sprained my ankle. I couldn't get over it! My poor ankle has turned the most awful shade of purple. It's hideous! I wanted to throw up the first time I saw it. Then, as I was resting, I overheard a conversation. I wasn't meant to hear it, but I was sat down minding my own business when the door opened. I found out that...

I've made this one up. You need to look at your work from Friday and use that to inspire you. You can make up some of the details.

