## TODAY TO USE OUR IMAGINATION TO TRAVEL TO A NEW COUNTRY!

will know how to use inference and deduction. Read to page 13

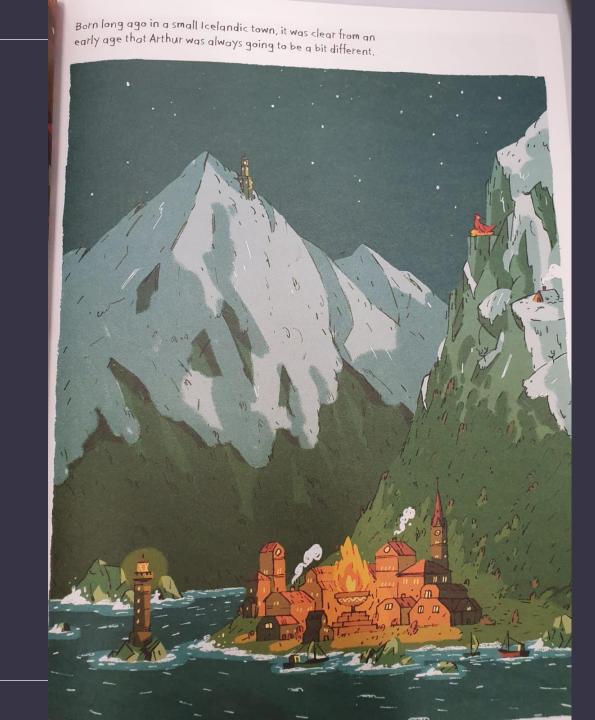


Time for a big think...

Can you remember what country Arthur is in?

What do you notice about Iceland in this picture?

Is there anything that you are surprised by or want to ask a question about?



### Lets go to Iceland!

- Close your eyes and don't open them until a teacher says to.
- Imagine you are travelling to Iceland. You might be travelling by plane or boat or car or bus.

Open your eyes.... And lets see where we have arrived!
 <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=e8QKBu-qAPA">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=e8QKBu-qAPA</a>

## Picture 1. Answer the questions about picture 1 on your sheet.





Share your biggest question about Iceland. Write it on a post it note and stick it to our working wall!



I will know what persuasive language is.

### GPAS

In teams on your table use the thesaurus to find 3 better words for:

GOOD and FUN

This is a race! The table with the words written in their books first will be the winners!

### You need to think of 5 reasons of why your friend should come with you to Iceland.

- This video may give you some ideas!
- https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLcw

### Tell me your reasons....

#### Step 1:

Write down 5
good reasons
why your friend
should come on
holiday with you
(sentences)



Step 2: Can you use the fact file to add two interesting facts to your reasons?

#### SPICY HOT CHALLENGE

Can you use an excellent persuasive opener to level up one of your sentences? This will help with tomorrows work!

# WRITE AN LETTER FOR OUR CLASS BROCHURE ABOUT ICELAND.

I will know how to use persuasive language.

### GPAS

- Talk to your partner and try to think of your own FANASTIC persuasive opener like the ones we used yesterday.
- Here's Miss Thompson's FANTASTIC persuasive opener
  - 'I can't think of anyone who wouldn't want to…'
- Can you beat Miss Thompson? Write the one you and your partner come up with on a white board.

## Today you are going to write a letter to your friend to convince them to come to Iceland with you!

Talk to your partner about the ideas you came up with yesterday! You will need to include these in your letter.

### Paragraph 1: What do you want to do?

Here is Miss Thompson's first paragraph- is there anything you want to add?

Dear Shontelle,

I have heard about this fantastic country! It might even be the best country on earth. When I discovered it I just knew that I had to go on holiday there. You should come with me! I know you may never have heard of this amazing country, its called Iceland. I have been doing lots of research so I can tell you all the reasons that we should definitely visit this incredible country.

You have 10 mins to write your first paragraph- you will need lots of persuasive language to convince your friend.

## Paragraph 2: Reasons why we need to go to Iceland

• Here is Miss Thompson's paragraph- is there anything you want to add?

Only a fool would think that Iceland is a country with only ice. Its known as the country of fire and ice! Do you know why? Its because they have lots of volcanos. We have learnt so much about volcanos at school so I cant think of anything more exciting than seeing a volcano in real life. Surely you must agree that would be very exciting. Iceland was discovered by the Vikings and everyone knows that they are so cool. Also there are so many things to see in Iceland such as the aroura lights and the blue lagoon.

You have 10 mins to write your paragraph- try to include 3 reasons and lots of persuasive language

## Paragraph 3: Stop their doubts before they begin.

• Here is Miss Thompson's paragraph- do you think this is a good idea...? Or do you have a better one?

Naturally, I understand that you might be unsure. You are probably thinking our parents would never allow us. So I've come up with a sensible idea to solve this problem. If we can't convince our parents we will simply have to sneak away from school. We wouldn't need to worry about the learning that we would be missing because this is an educational holiday! The fact is that we will learn more in Iceland. We could see a real volcano and then be the best at Geography in year 3. On top of that we may even meet a Viking and then we would be really cool.

You have 10 mins to write your paragraph - think about your friends reasons for not going and lots of persuasive language to convince them.

### Paragraph 4: finish your letter

 Here is Miss Thompson's paragraph- is there anything you want to add?

It is clear from the evidence that there is no reason why we shouldn't go to Iceland. Pack your bags and Reykjavik here we come.

See you soon, Miss Thompson

You have 5 mins to write your paragraph- use lots of persuasive language