English planning and resources

Planning and Resources

School -

Year group (s) – 5

Teacher –

Text - Mama Miti

Term – Spring 1

5p1	FUR 1 Kesponse to illustrations – what do we know / want to know / how will we find out	POR 2 research using books and online — model note taking — SPAG bullet points and consistency of punctuation credible sources — variation of handwriting for different tasks — each group take different aspect POR 12 — again	POR3 Model using PPT to present information for others to readily understand and use – create PPTs from research – POR16 dilemmas and	POR4 Children present PPTs and others take notes to gain full picture of research POR 24 Finish reading	POR 5 exploring language – character examination and comprehension SPAG – literal and symbolic language	Mama Mit: Wangari Maathai and the Trees of Kenya by Donna Jo Napoli and Kadir Nelson	Note taking PPT presentation of research Book of proverbs
SPE	- inference from pictures (not advice letter) SPAG recap direct speech - accurate punctuation	inference and SPAG speech – focus on speech giving information about the character	solutions POR 17 comparing and contrasting illustrations POR 23 Compare and contrast illustrations	book Tell me Response to full text	What are they Why are they used Identify features Symbolism and common expressions		
Sp3	Model text – learn with actions – sequence	Vocabulary focus – dictionary up to 3 letters – shared writing proverb for main aspect of story	Research of Kenyan proverbs Model presenting these with ICT to support understanding e.g. text alteration or images	Write own proverbs based on key aspect of lessons Create on IT same as Kenyan Collate in class book	Edit, improve, review Share proverbs with peers and discuss meanings and language selected.		
Sp4	POR 27 Speech – listen to speech Respond – comprehension questions – learn speech with actions	POR 28 look at speech – annotate with key features of text and language Give other speeches for children to annotate – learn and share with class	Shared write — speech for school council on how to direct change in school — SPAG formal language choice and degrees of possibility with modal verbs and adverbs	Independent speech to be written and then to film for local MP to direct change in local area	Listen to all speeches recorded – edit, improve, review – give feedback based on features analysed in previous lesson		Speech for change
Sp5	Model text – biography of Mama Mitj – learn with actions – give personal response to her life's work	Model using context to support understanding of unknown language — use of root words — similar sounding — background knowledge vocabulary exploration	Model finding text features of biography model text — identify in different text (one from the selected speech previously heard)	Model finding language features of biography model text – identify in different text (one from the selected speech previously heard)	SBW — look at needs of class and select appropriate group gap filling exercises May need to focus on SPAG of tenses here — depends on if current person alive they are writing about		Biography
Sp6	Model researching – selecting appropriate sources – looking for bias – double checking facts – Children to research chosen inspiration leader of change – model note taking and recapping use of bullet points (Blocks of 6 weeks allow	Model planning a biography using features from other biographies as success criteria. Children to plan biography with success criteria – use NC objectives alongside to show where these writing skills will also be demonstrated for most terms to have allongside to show where these writing skills will also be	Model write opening to biography – children to then write their biographies from plans	Model edit and reviewing work by rereading — SPAG using a thesaurus to raise language choices Children complete their biography	Edit, review and improve – share with other classes biographies written		



Writing outcomes and SPAG focus

Writing outcomes

- Note taking
- * Presentation of research
- Story with moral purpose
- Speech for change
- * Biography

SPAG focus

- * bullet points
- Literal v symbolic language
- Recap direct speech
- * Proverbs
- Degrees of probability
- * Tenses

NC objectives

Discussion Expectations Y5	National Curriculum Writing Expectations Y5		
Use addition conjunctions	Spell some words with 'silent' letters.		
Use contrast conjunctions	Distinguish between homophones by their spelling.		
Use conclusion conjunctions	Identify my audience and write with them in mind.		
Use generalisers, such as 'people', 'everybody'	Draft my work developing initial ideas and researching where necessary.		
Use words to introduce opinions	Select and use the correct grammar to enhance meaning.		
Paragraph 1 - What is being discussed and why	Use the correct tense throughout.		
does it matter?	Ensure subject and verb agreement. Check for spelling and punctuation errors.		
Paragraph 2 - Reasons for			
Paragraph 3 - Reasons against	Write cursive text legibly.		
Paragraph 4 - State what you think is right and	Punctuate direct and indirect speech.		
give reasons	Use passive verbs.		
give reasons	Use the perfect form of verbs.		
	Use expanded noun phrases.		
	Use modal verbs or adverbs.		
	Use relative clauses.		
	Use commas, brackets, and dashes for parenthes Use a colon to introduce a list. Use a semi-colon to separate a more detailed lis		
	Punctuate bullet points.		

Genre objectives

Report Expectations Y5	
Use generalisers, such as 'people', 'everybody'	
Use addition conjunctions	
Use subject specific and technical vocabulary	
Use present tense	
Use third person	
Use detail and description with comparisons	
Vary sentence openers	
Use formal language	
Paragraph 1 - Introduce the topic	8
Paragraph 2 - Describe what it looks like	
Paragraph 3 - Describe where it is found	
Paragraph 4 - Describe what it is best known for	
Paragraph 5 - Final amazing fact	

Imagery / Narrative / Non-sense / Free verse / Classic / Performance

Poetry Expectations Year 5

Discuss poet's possible viewpoint, explain and justify own response and interpretation

Explain the use of unusual or surprising language choices and effects, such as onomatopoeia and metaphor

Comment on how this influences meaning

Explore imagery including metaphor and personification

Compare different forms and describe impact

Vary pitch, pace, volume, expression and use pauses to create impact

Use actions, sound effects, musical patterns, images and dramatic interpretation

Invent nonsense words and situations and experiment with unexpected word combinations

Use carefully observed details and apt images to bring subject matter alive; avoid cliché in own writing

Attempt different forms, including rhyme for humour

Reading poetry (subject matter and theme / language use / style / pattern)

Performing poetry (use of voice / presentation)

Creating poetry (original playfulness with language and ideas / detailed recreation of closely observed experience / using different patterns)

Please read the POR unit plan in full

- * Link below
- * https://clpe.org.uk/system/files/Mama%20Miti%20Core books%20TS o.pdf

Week 1 Monday

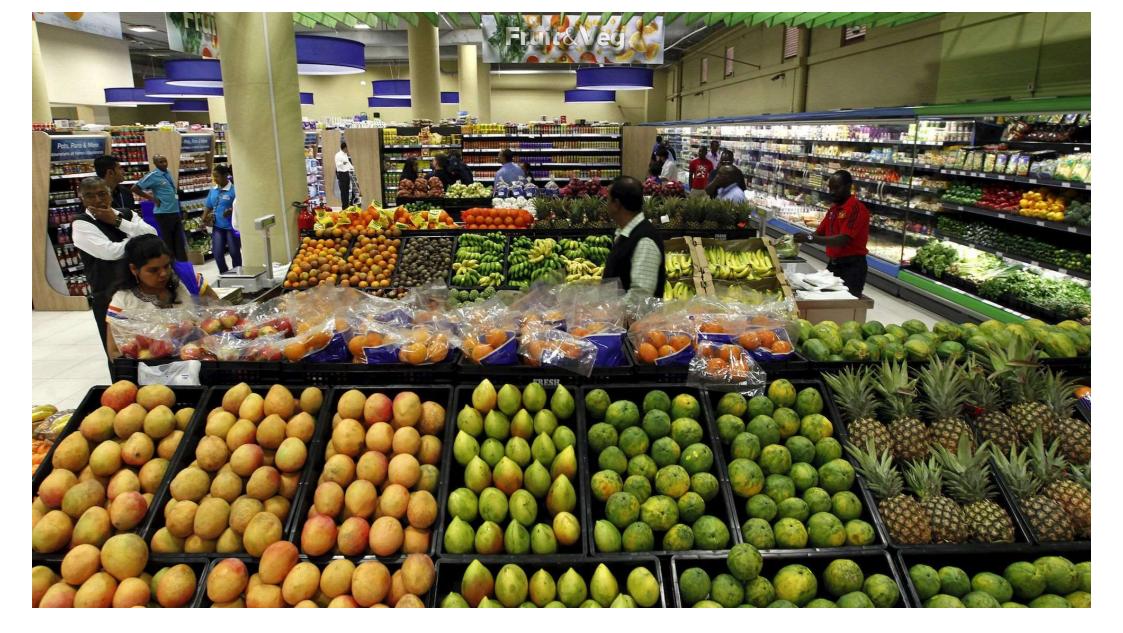
- * Learning Outcome / Objective
- * I can give a personal response to illustrations with justifications.
- * I can pose questions for further learning.

Hook – look at these pictures and discuss your ideas from them with a partner

- * For each picture, think about the clues each image provides about the setting of the story you are about to embark upon.
- * Consider the following questions:
- Where do you think it might be set?
- Why do you think this?

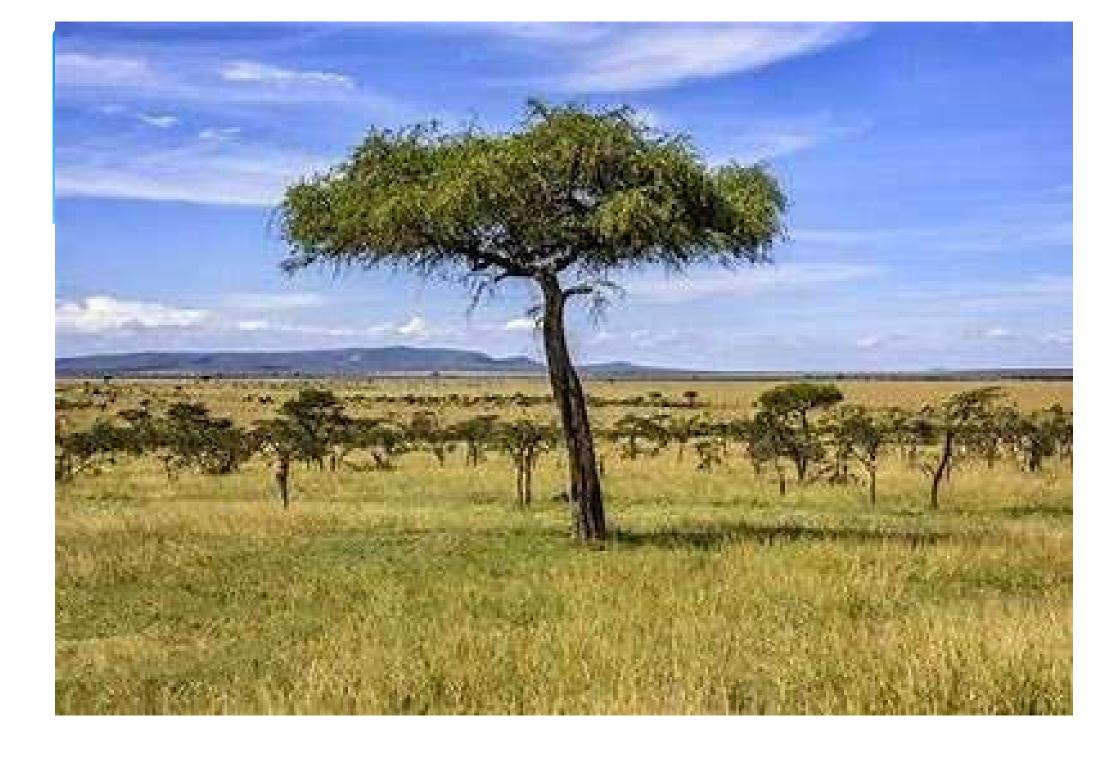




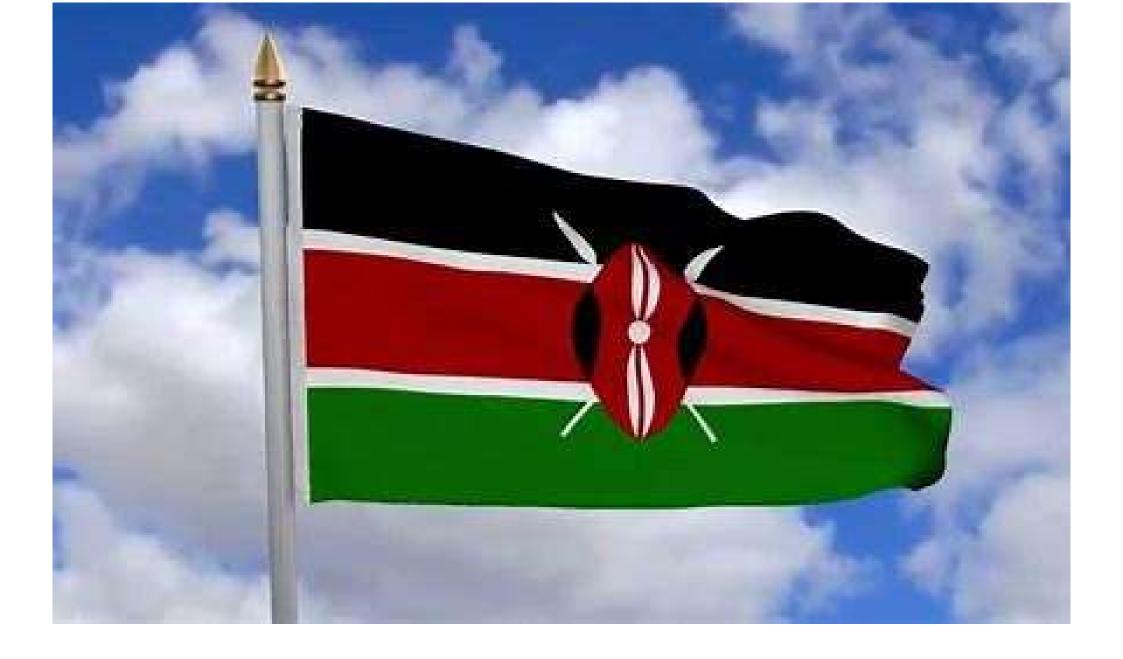










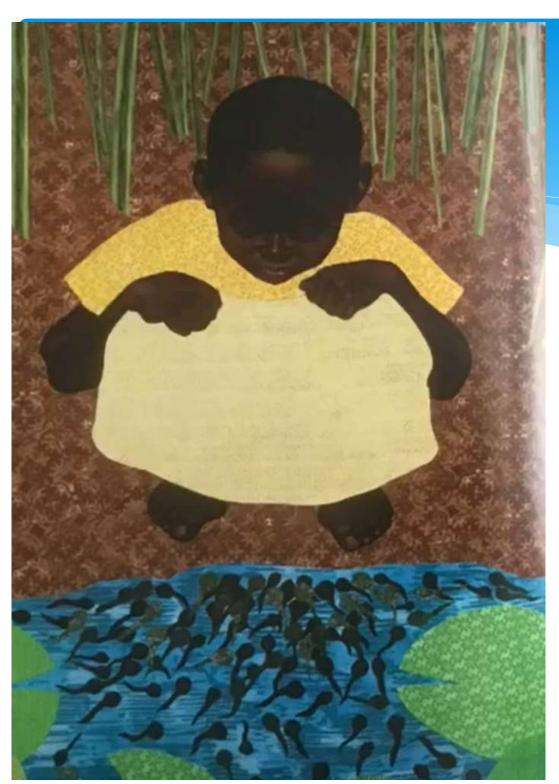


Questions...

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What clues do you have?

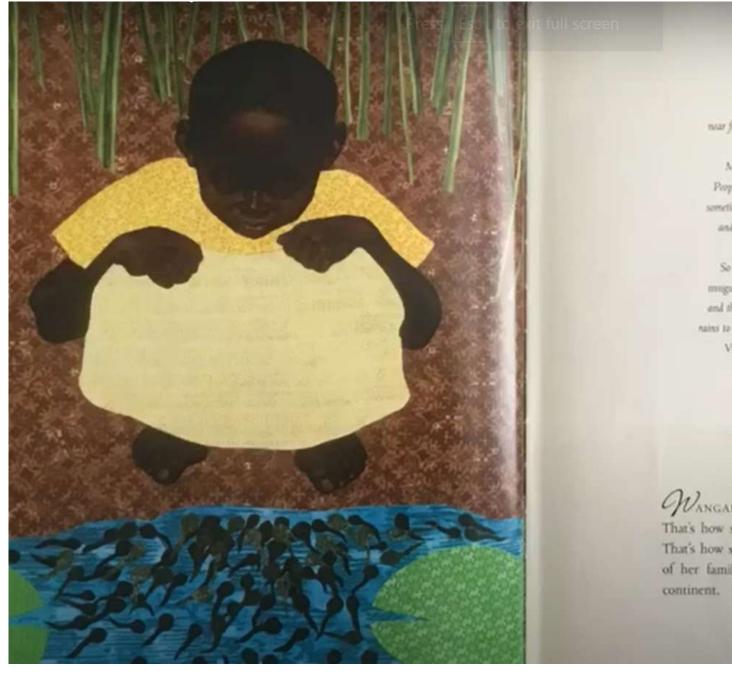




What do the further details in the illustration tell us?

How does the illustrator use colour to convey meaning?

What can we infer about the story based on the illustration?



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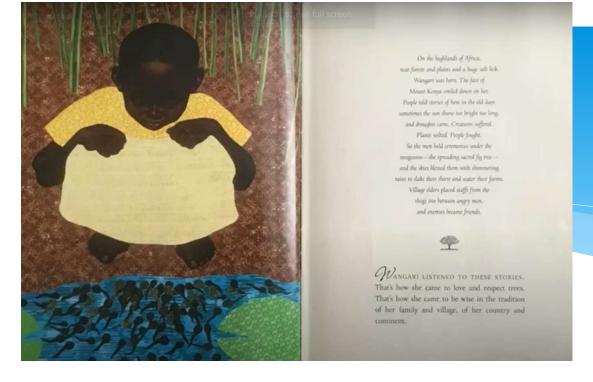
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Thinking and discussion points...

What are the challenges in this community?

What are the strengths of this community?

What role does nature play in the lives of the people of this community?

Why might village elders placing a staff between two quarrelling individuals help resolve the argument?

What does this suggest about the connection the people have with the trees?

What significance might this have for the story?

Week 1 Tuesday

- * Learning Outcome / Objective
- * I can research information and select information that is of significance and relevance.
- * I can use note taking to collect research information.
- * I can use bullet points with consistent punctuation.

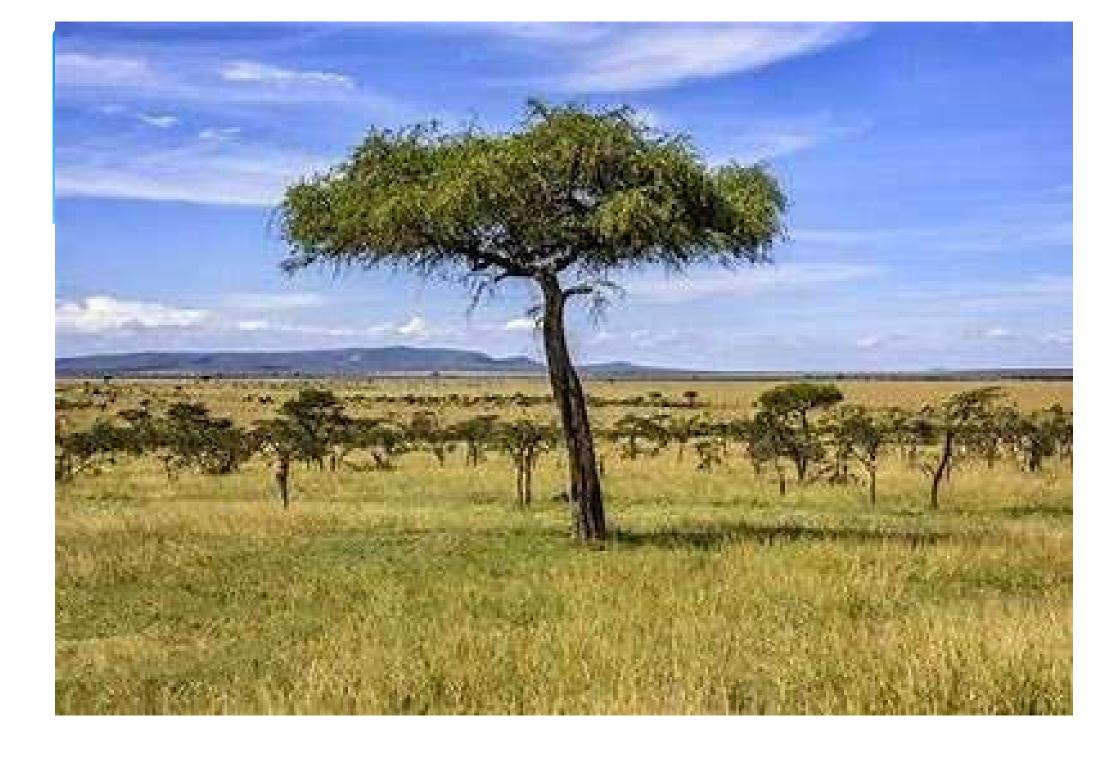




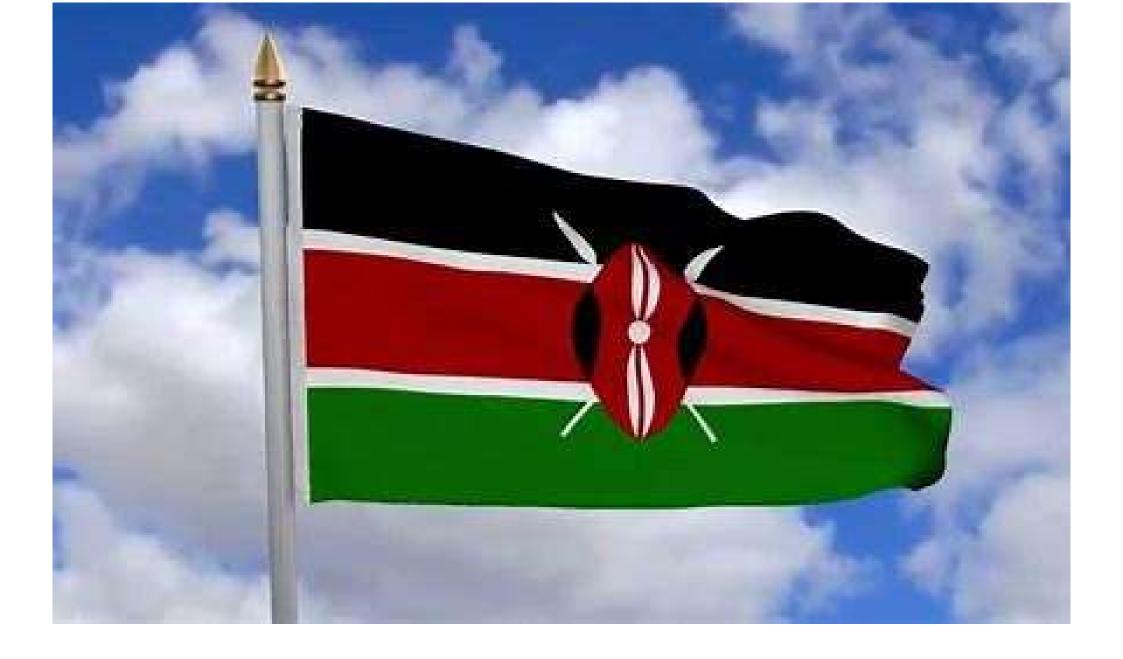












Questions...

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Selecting information and recapping bullet point punctuation

How to research:

- * Think of your question;
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- Read through all the information;
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Question 'Who is Wangari Maathai?'

Website - Unesco

Key information:

- * 1940-2011;
- Kenyan scholar and environmental activist;
- * Founded the pioneering Green Belt Movement in 1977;
- * Encouraged people, particularly women, to plant trees to combat environmental degradation.

Select your questions from ideas in yesterday's lesson.

E.g.

What is Kenya like?

How do flower markets work in Africa?

How are beaded necklaces made?

What is a beach resort like in Malindi?

How was the Nabiyotum crater in lake Turkana formed?

Where do the Thigi trees grow?

Week 1 Wednesday

- * Learning Outcome / Objective
- * I can present information with clarity and confidence.
- * I can organise information for coherence.

Think about yesterday's notes from each group...

- * Do you recall all the information?
- * How clear were people speaking?
- * Could you see any information?

* What would have helped you understand the information fully?

Here are two presentations from your teacher...

- * They both have the same information to share.
- * Think about each and decide what was working well and what could be made even better.









- * Wangari Maathai (1940–2011), the first woman to obtain a PhD in East and Central Africa, was a scholar, and an environmental and human rights activist.
- * In 1977, she founded the Green Belt Movement, a non-governmental organization, which encourages women to plant trees to combat deforestation and environmental degradation. To date, the Green Belt Movement has planted over 50 million trees.
- * In the face of regular opposition, she succeeded in deepening and expanding her engagement with local communities through an impressive network of regional and international alliances, which made the Green Belt Movement a model women's organization.
- * Increasingly aware that the environment was directly linked to issues of governance, peace and human rights,
- * Maathai began to use her organization as a springboard in the struggle against abuses of power, such as landgrabbing or the illegal detention of political opponents.
- * She was eventually elected as a Member of Parliament upon Kenya's effective return to multiparty democracy in 2002, also serving as assistant Minister in the Ministry for Environmental and Natural Resources.
- * In 2004, she was the first African woman to be awarded the Nobel Peace Prize.

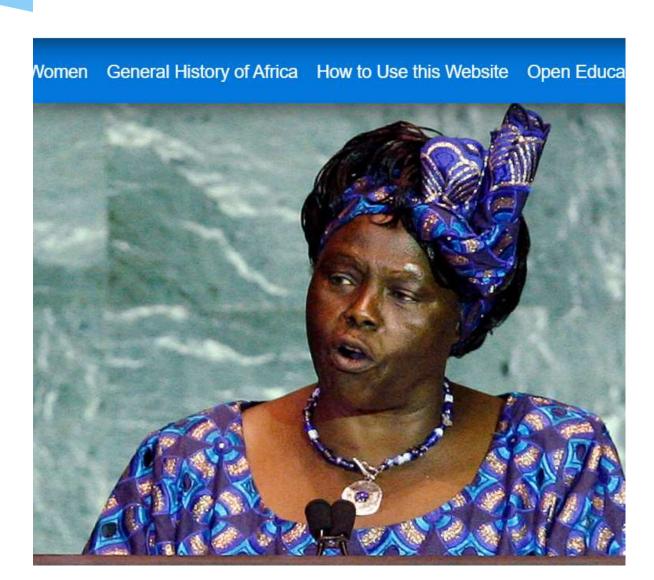
She was a Kenyan scholar and environmental activist.



Women in African History

She was born in Africa in 1940 and died in 2011.

During her life she did great things.



One of the great things she did was found the pioneering Green Belt Movement in 1977.



Official logo of the Green Belt Movement



She encouraged people, particularly women, to plant trees to combat environmental degradation.



Presentation 1

* Strengths

* Areas to develop

Presentation 2

* Strengths

* Areas to develop

Make some notes about what makes a good presentation.

* Write them as a success criteria using bullet points.

Presenting information...

To present information in the best way, you need to:

- * Use a slow, clear and confident voice;
- * Look at your audience;
- * Organise your information so it is easy to follow and links from one slide to another;
- * Select appropriate pictures to help support understanding;
- * Have words that are the key bits of information in a large and clear font.

Work as a group to present your information from your research.

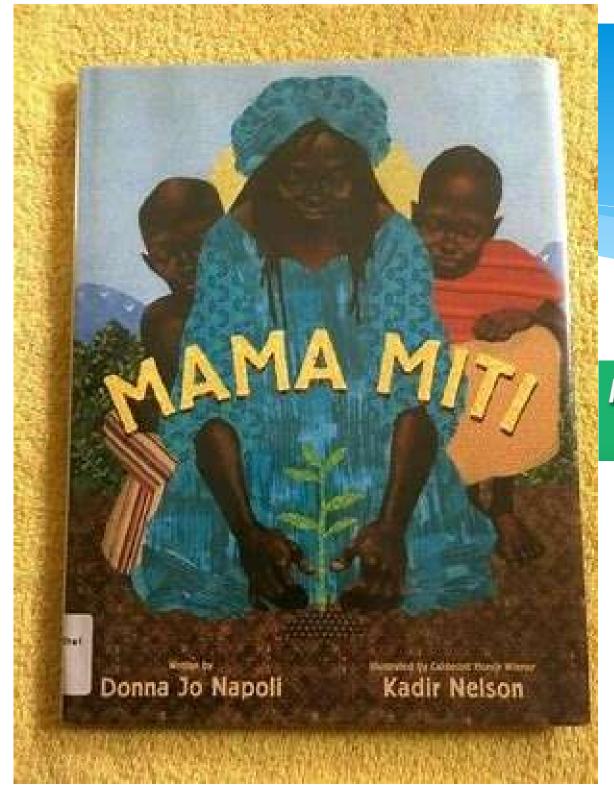
- * Present your information as a group, so decide who will say what and when.
- * Practice your presentations.
- * Once you are ready, give your presentations and then use your success criteria to give feedback to the other groups on their strengths and areas they could develop.

Week 1 Thursday

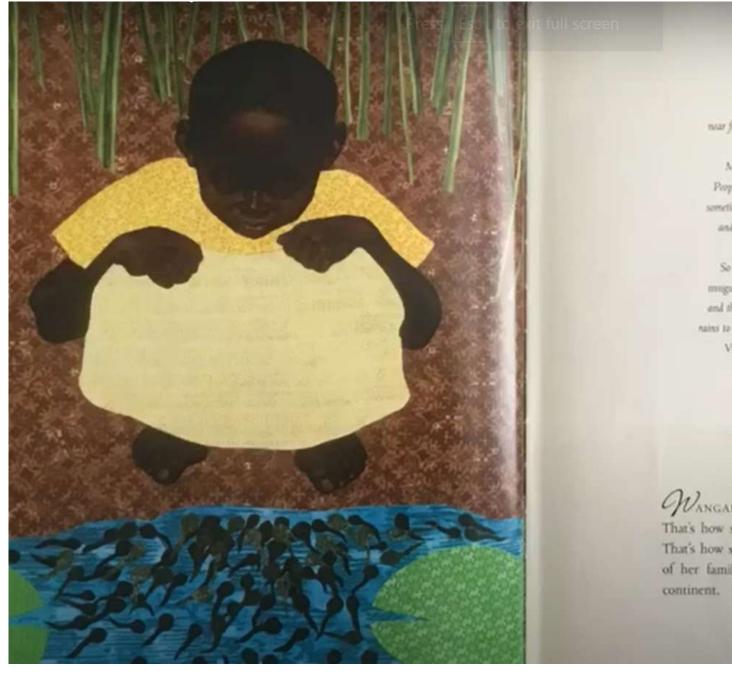
- * Learning Outcome / Objective
- * I can respond to a text giving my personal opinions and justifying these.



A story about a great woman



Mama Miti: Wangari Maathai and the Trees of Kenya



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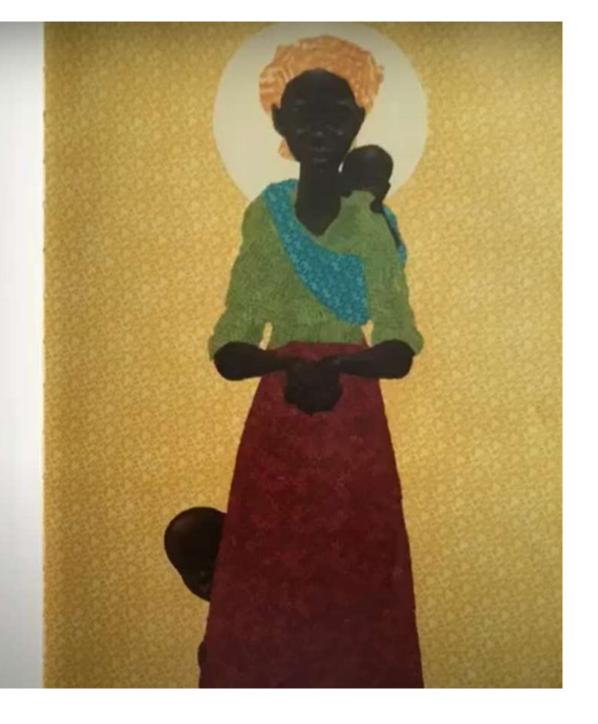
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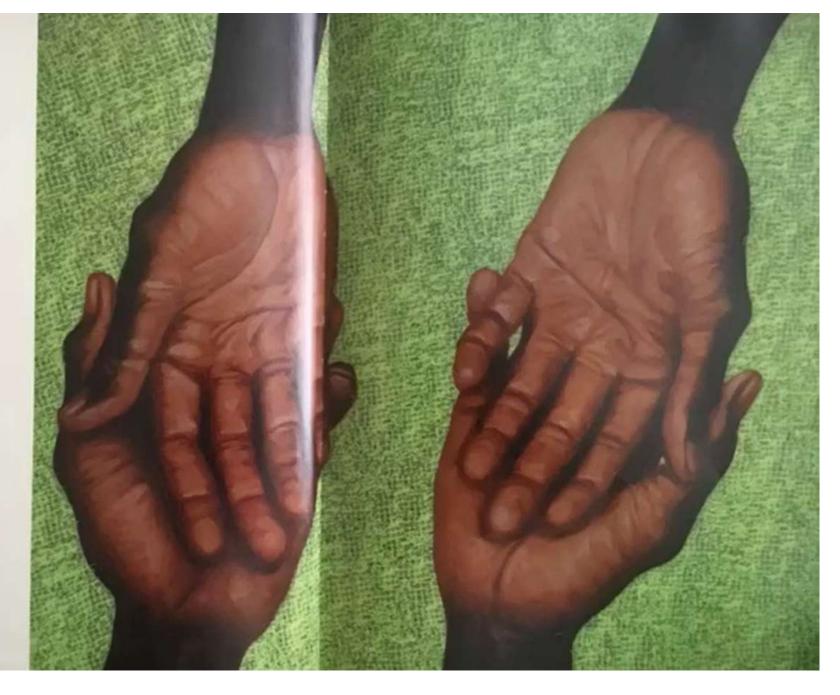
When Wangari grew up, she worked in the city, but she always remembered her roots. She planted trees in her backyard and sat under them to refresh her body and spirit.

One day a poor woman came from the western valley to see the wise Wangari. Her children peeked out from behind her at the smiling woman in bright blue cloth with squiggles all through it, like tadpoles squirming in a pool. "I have too little food to feed my family," said the poor woman. "There is no longer a job for me in the timber mill. And I have no other skills. What can I do?"



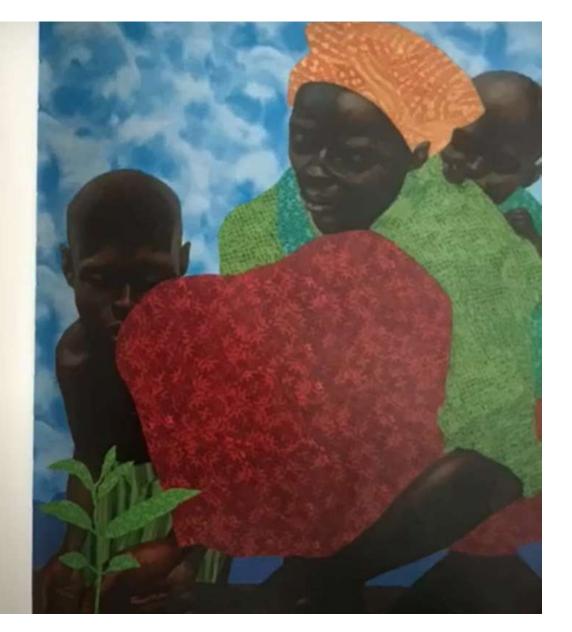
Wangari took the woman's hands and turned them over. She took the children's hands, one by one. "These are strong hands. Here are seedlings of the mubiru muiru tree. Plant them. Plant as many as you can. Eat the berries."

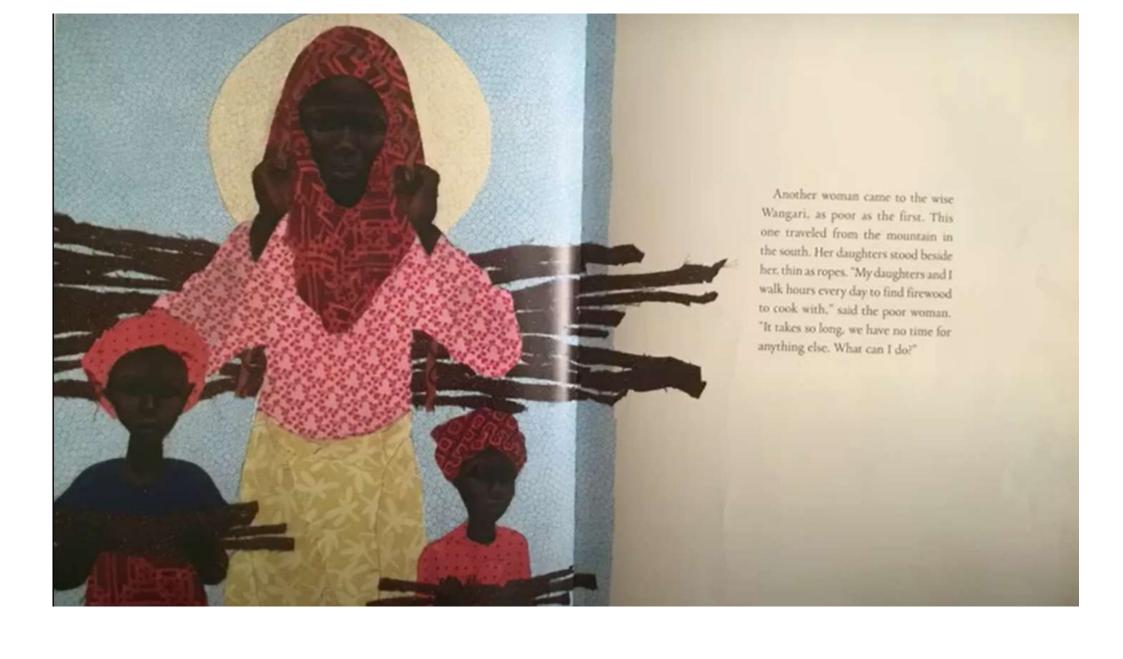
Thayu nyumba— Peace, my people





The woman and her children returned home and planted trees with their strong hands, one by one. In the years to come, when flowering season was over, the family are the shiny round fruits. They shared with their neighbors, who carried home the seeds, planted them, and grew their own mubiru muiru trees.

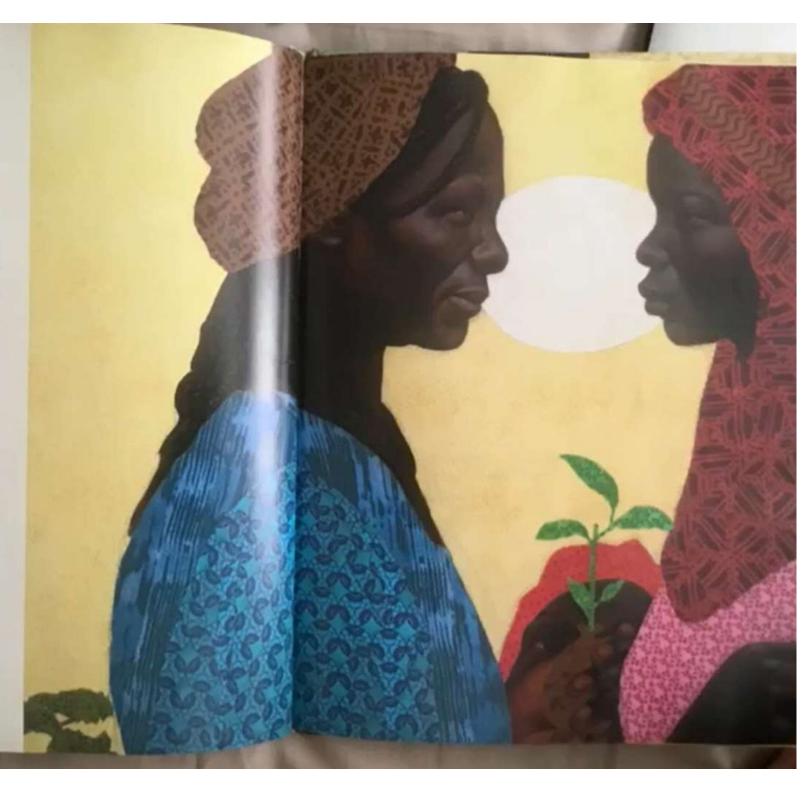






Wangari took the woman by the arms. "These arms are strong," she said. "Plant a tree. Here are seedlings of the makinduri. This tree makes good firewood. Plant as many as you can."

Thayu nyumba— Peace, my people





Word passed from woman to woman, until all over Kenya women knew about the wise Wangari. They came to her from every direction, one after another, as the years went by.



"Our goats are starving," said a woman from near the northern desert. "I have barely enough food to feed my family, how can my husband feed the animals, too?"

*Plant a tree. A muheregendi. The leaves are good animal fodder. Plant as many as you can."

Thayu nyumba— Peace, my people

"My cows are sick," said another, from the savanna. "I have no money to buy medicine for them."

"Plant a tree. A muthalwa wa athi. The leaves cure gall sickness in cattle."

Thayu nyumba— Peace, my people

"Wild animals come in the night and steal my chickens," said a woman from a fishing village. She shook her head in worry. "Plant a tree. A makawa. Its thorns will keep out predators."

Thayu nyumba - Peace, my people

"My home fell apart" came the cry of another woman, who had come all the way from the coast. "We have no shelter."

"Plant a tree. A muluhakuha. The timber makes good building poles."

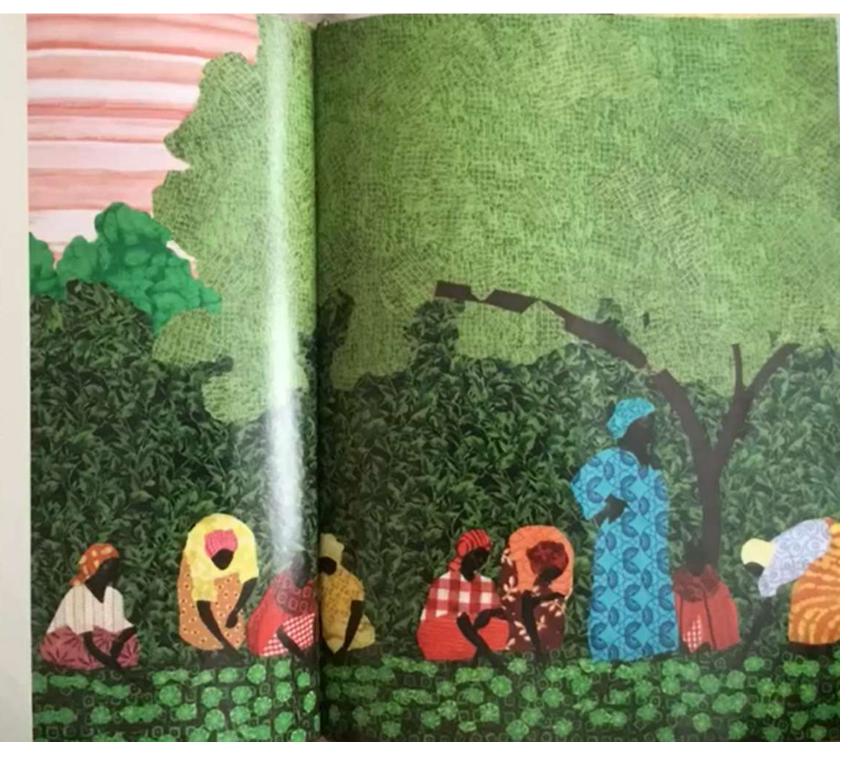
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Wangari told women to plant sturigono, whose branches make good stakes for training yam vines.

She told them to plant multati as a living fence around their animal yards.

She told them to plant muigoya, whose leaves could be wrapped around bananas to ripen them.

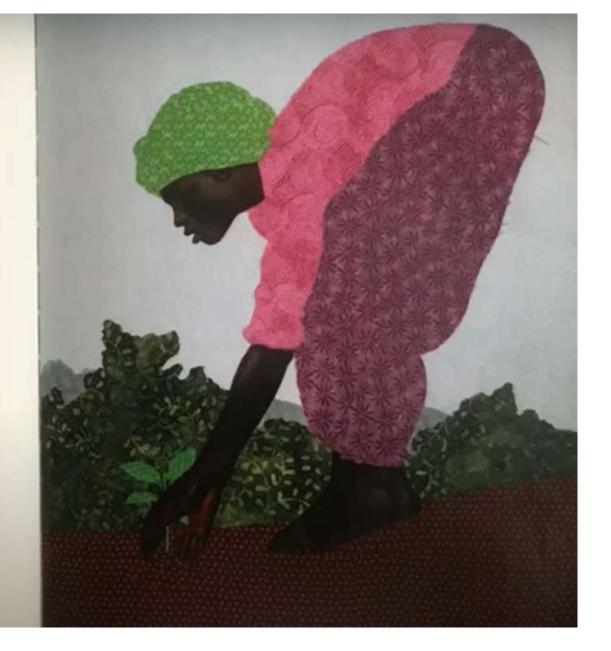
She told them to plant muringa for the pure joy of their white flowers.

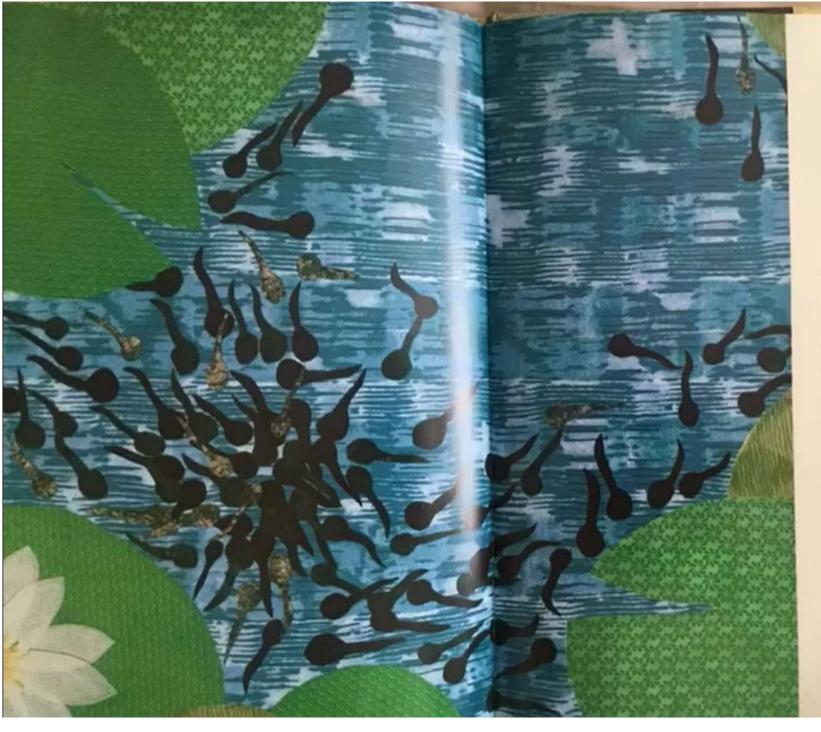




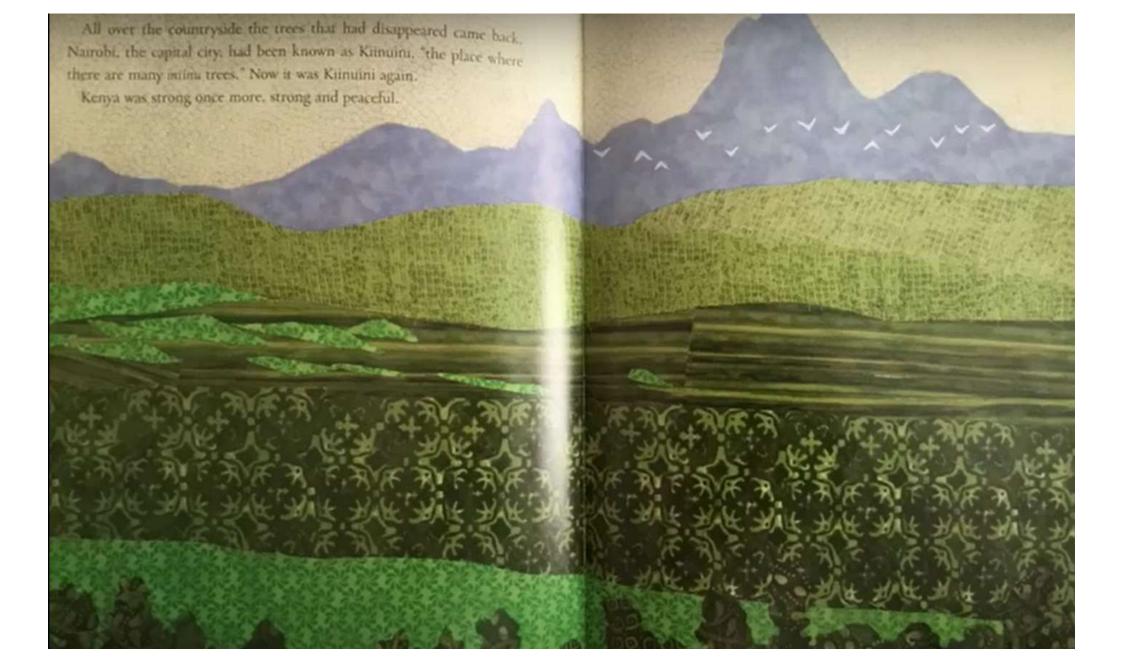
And when a woman from her own village came, lamenting that the water in her stream was too dirty to drink. Wangari told her to plant mukuyu, the giant sacred fig. the drinker of water, which acts as nature's filter to clean streams.

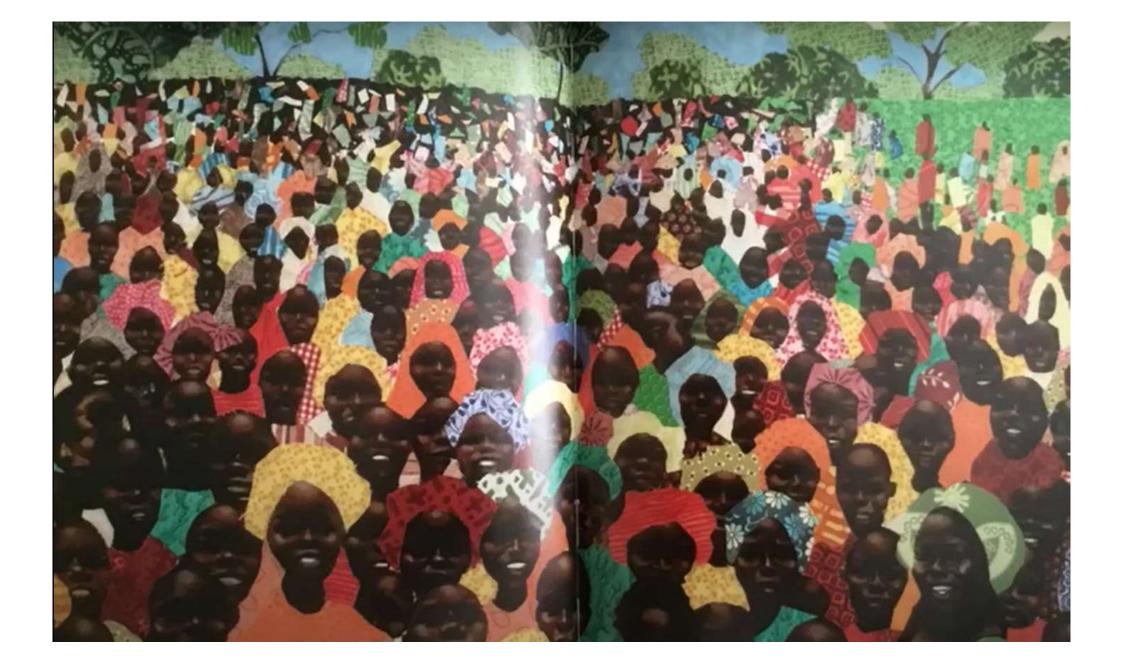
Thaya nyumba—
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Soon cool, clear waters teemed with black wriggling tadpoles, like the ones on Wangari's clothes—like the ones Wangari marveled at in the waters when she was small, when Kenya was covered with trees and animals, when people lived in peace with nature.

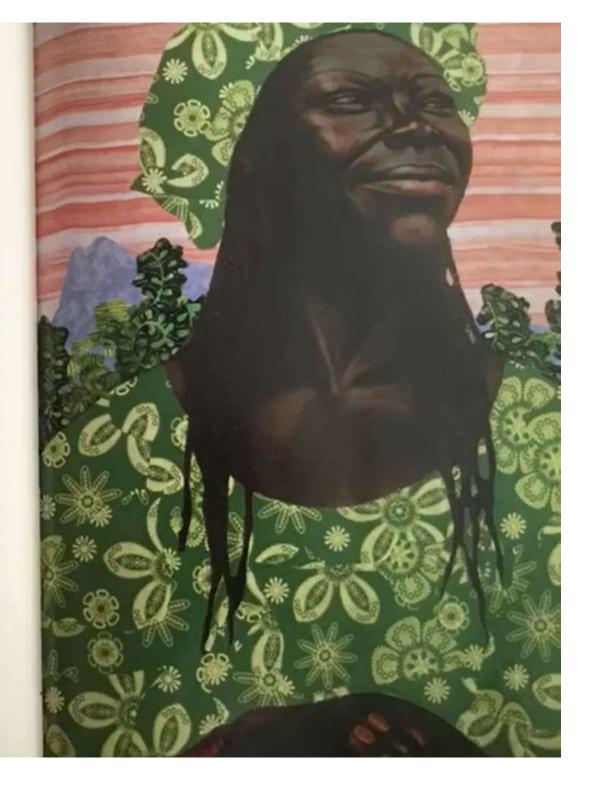






Wangari changed a country, tree by tree. She taught her people the ancient wisdom of peace with nature. And now she is teaching the rest of the world. She is known these days as Mama Miti—the mother of trees. A green belt of peace started with one good woman offering something we can all do: "Plant a tree."

Thayu nyumba— Peace, my people



Tell me...

Likes What did you like about the book/ story / picture?	Dislikes Was there anything you disliked about it?
Puzzles Was there anything that puzzled you?	Connections / Patterns Does it remind you of anything? Did you notice any pattern?

Discuss and then write down your answers...

What do you find most inspiring about this story?

What would you say were the strengths of the community portrayed?

What would you say were the strengths of Wangari's guidance?



WANGARI MAATHAI

VISIONARY, ENVIRONMENTAL LEADER, POLITICAL ACTIVIST

NAMULUNDAH FLORENCE

Week 1 Friday

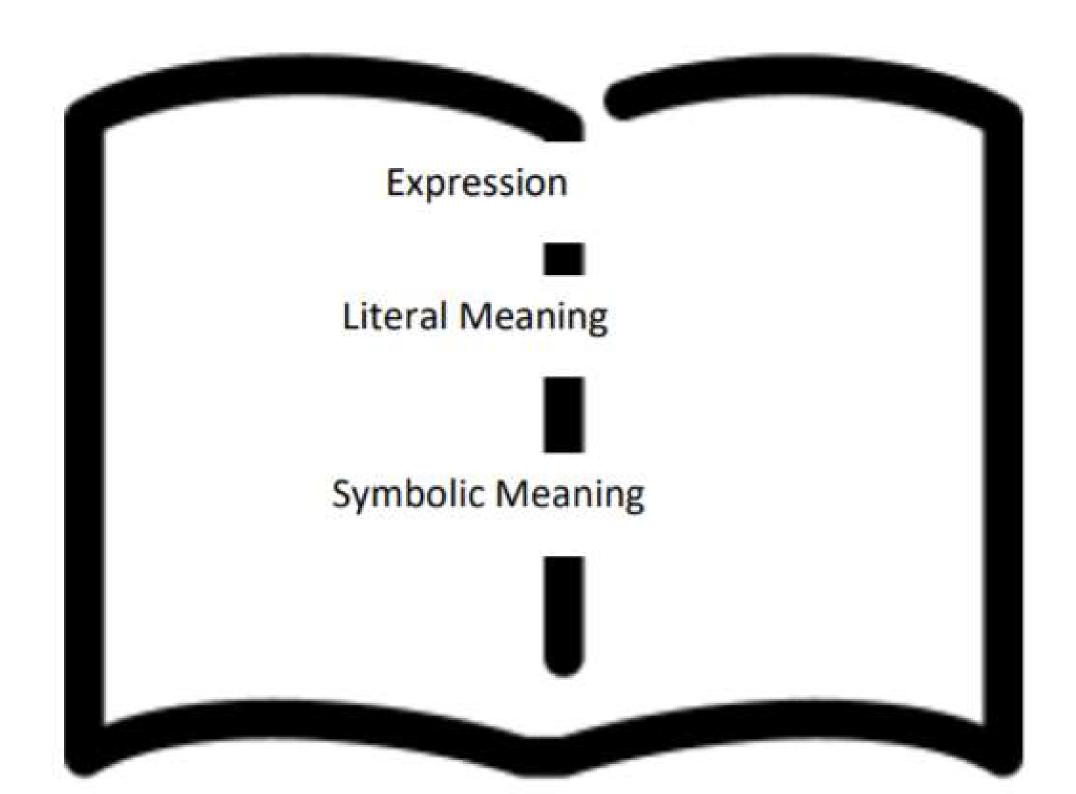
- * Learning Outcome / Objective
- * I can recognise literal and symbolic language.
- * I can understand how expressions are used and why.

When Wangari grew up, she worked in the city, but she always remembered her roots. She planted trees in her backyard and sat under them to refresh her body and spirit.

- * What does this paragraph tell us...
- What do we know about Wangari?
- What does the expression 'remember her roots' mean?
- Why might she find the trees refreshing?
- What special significance might these phrases have and what might they suggest about her and the story?

Common expressions...

- * 'They keep me grounded.'
- * 'He's my rock.'
- * 'She was overflowing with joy.'
- * 'They were beaming with pride.'
- * 'The performance blew me away.'



Week 2 Monday

- * Learning Outcome / Objective
- * I can infer characters' understanding and thoughts from images.
- * I can learn retell a story using prosody and fluency.

Mama Miti

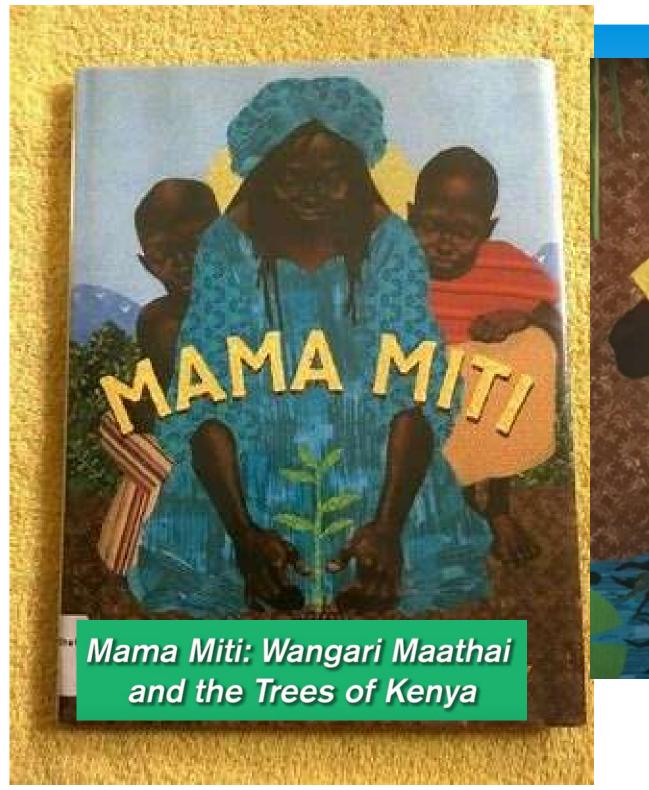
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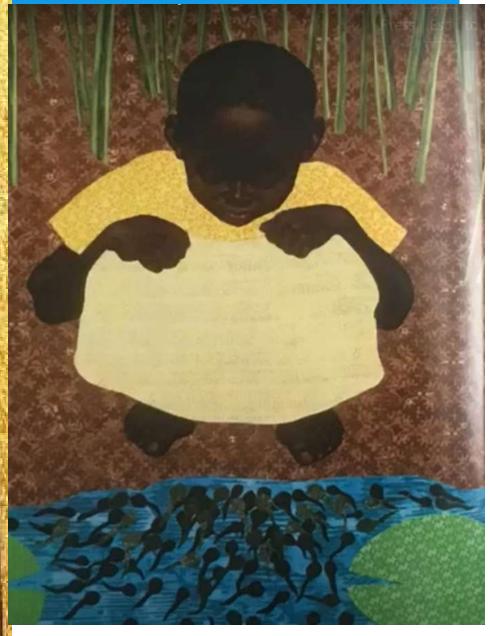
As a little girl, Wangari grew up listening to the sacred stories of the mugumo tree. She loved and respected trees, so when she moved to the city for work, she planted trees in her back garden to refresh her body and spirit. All around her she noticed that trees were becoming sparce as land was being used more and more for other things.

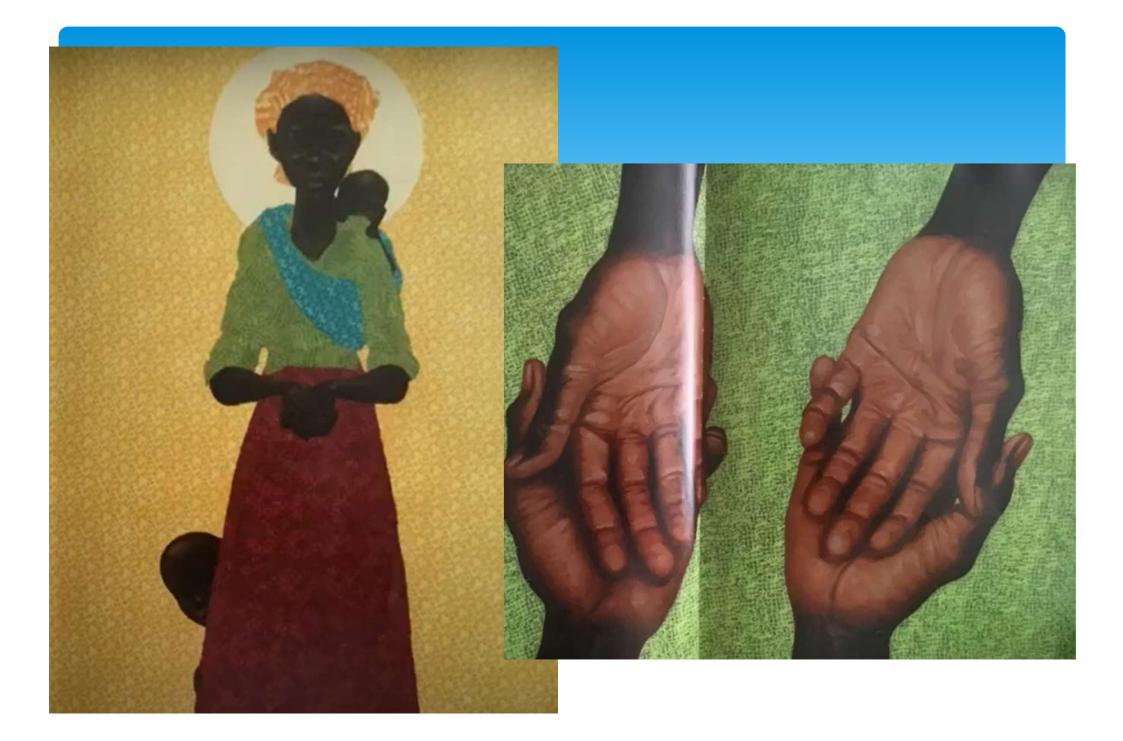
One day, a poor woman came to Wangari and spoke of her family being poor. She said she did not have food to feed her family, so Wangari offered her mubiru muiru seeds. "These seeds will grow and the trees will give you plenty of berries to eat, peace my people." Next came another woman, as poor as the first. She said had no firewood to cook with, so Wangari offered her mukinduri seeds. "These seeds will grow and the trees will give you plenty of firewood to cook with, peace my people." Before long, woman after woman came to Wangari for support and each was offered the seeds of a tree to help a family survive and flourish. With every handful of seeds, Wangari offered peace and gave her own strength.

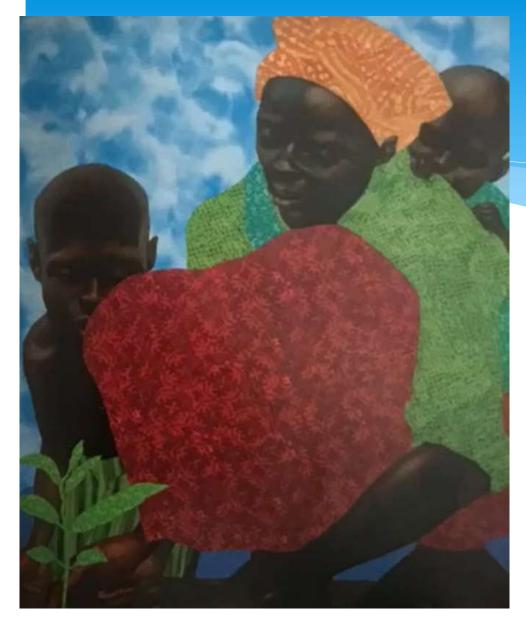
In time, every woman, and their daughters, planted the trees. They grew strong and wide with branches. Each tree then gave birth to new seedlings, that in the spirit of Wangari, were spread far and wide to woman all over Africa to plant.

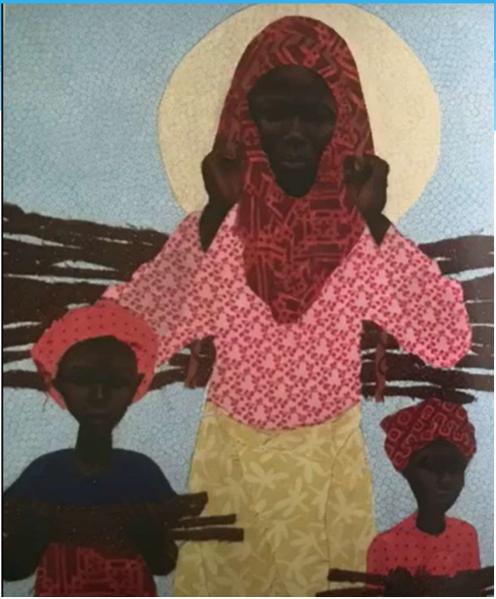
Over time, trees were restored to the land creating what had once been: clear waters teeming with tadpoles and trees providing food, shelter and life. Wangari moved back to the highlands, and as she went to shut her eyes for the last time, she saw Mount Kenya smiling down on her once again.

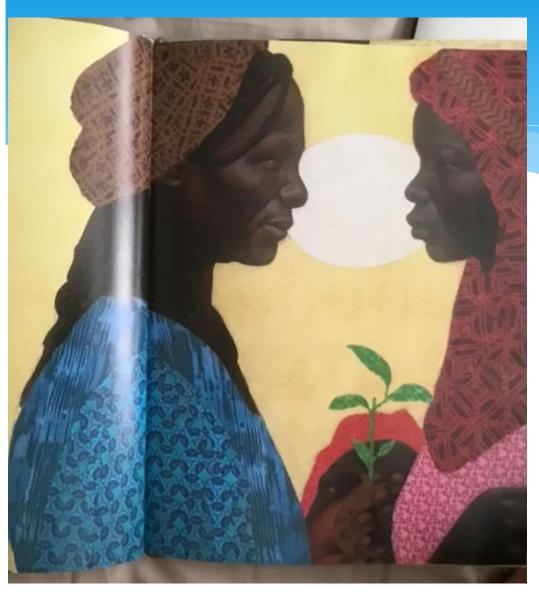


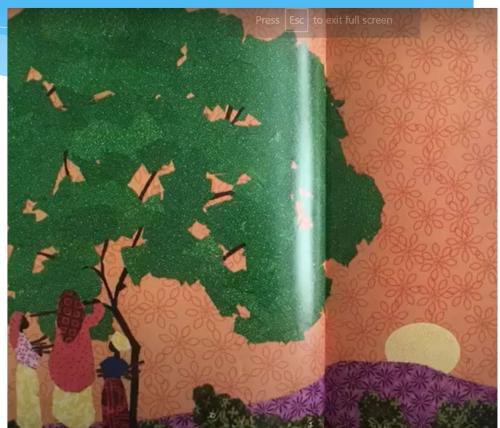


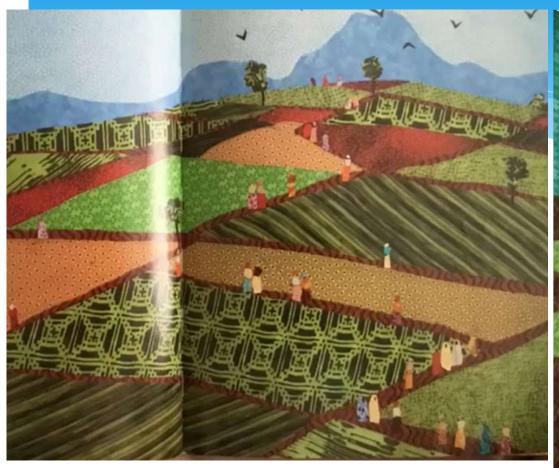




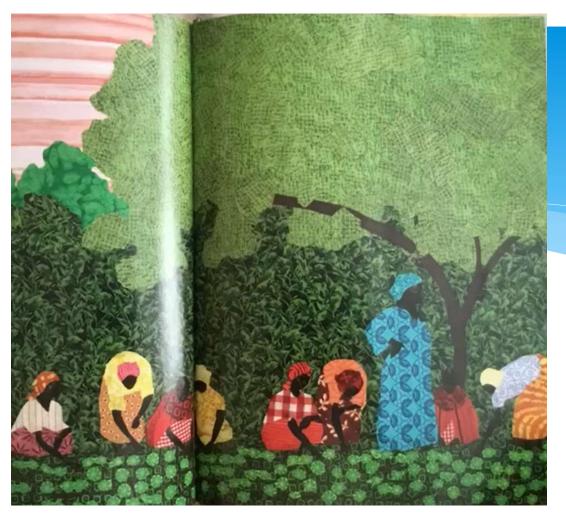


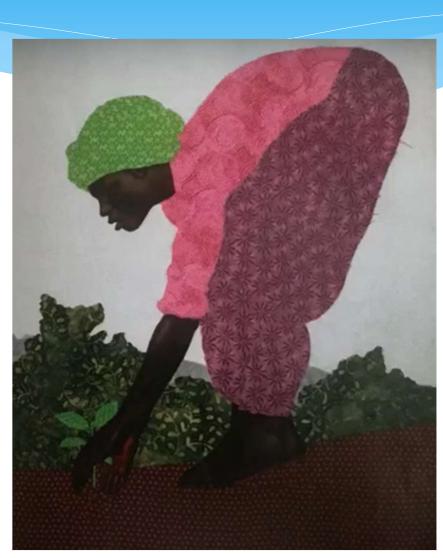


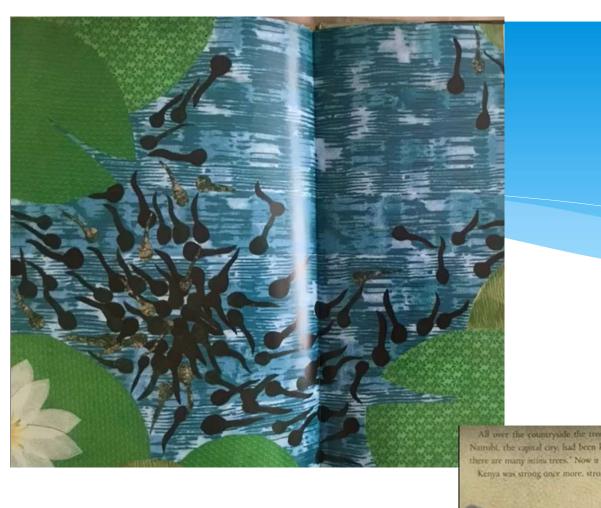




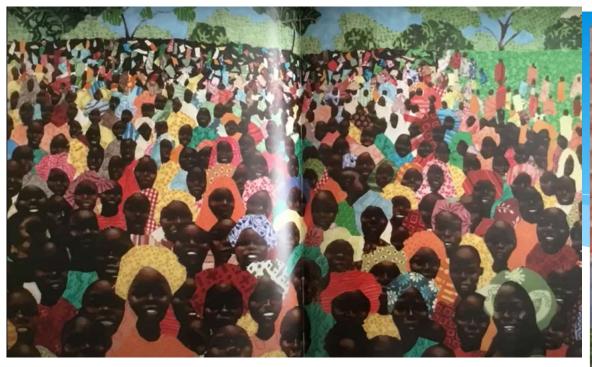


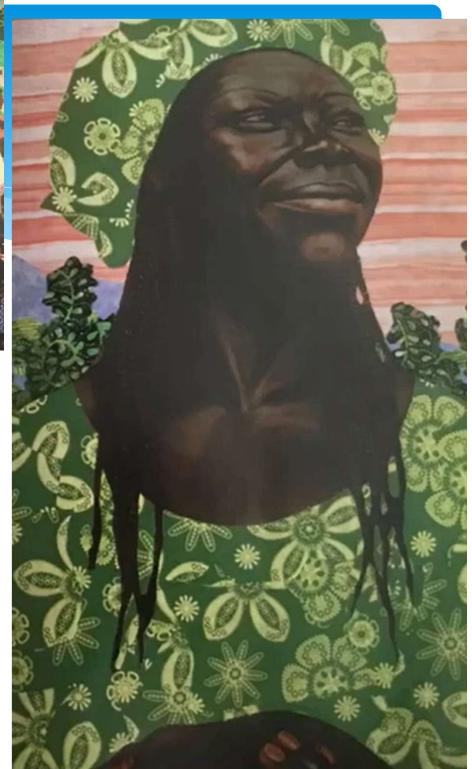




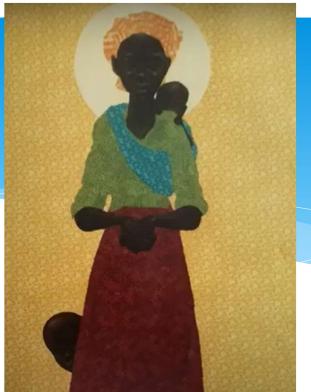


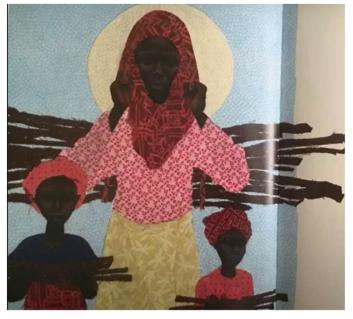






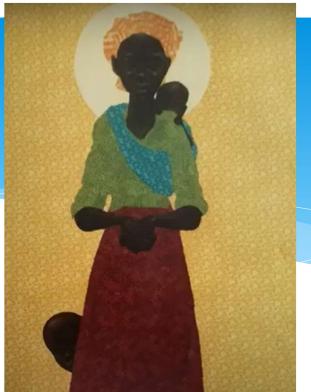


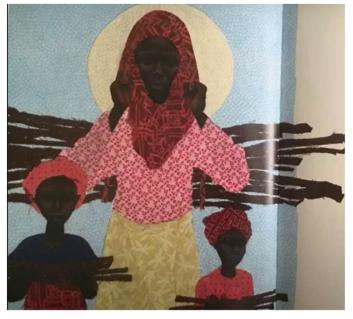














Speech

What did children say as the characters.

As a group, write your freeze frame as speech between the characters.

Remember your speech punctuation.

Example...

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Look closely at the punctuation used...

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Speech success criteria...

Correct punctuation for speech includes:

- * Speech marks enclose what is spoken out loud;
- * Capital letters are used after opening speech marks;
- Closing punctuation is used before closing speech marks;
- * Lower case letters are used after closing speech marks.

Thinking deeper...

- * Why did the illustrator draw the characters facing the reader?
- * Why might the characters be positioned in the way that they are? What effect does this have?
- * What significance might the different colours have in relation to the story?
- * How might the shapes and colours correspond to nature?

Week 2 Tuesday

- * Learning Outcome / Objective
- * I can compare and contrast illustrations.

Mama Miti

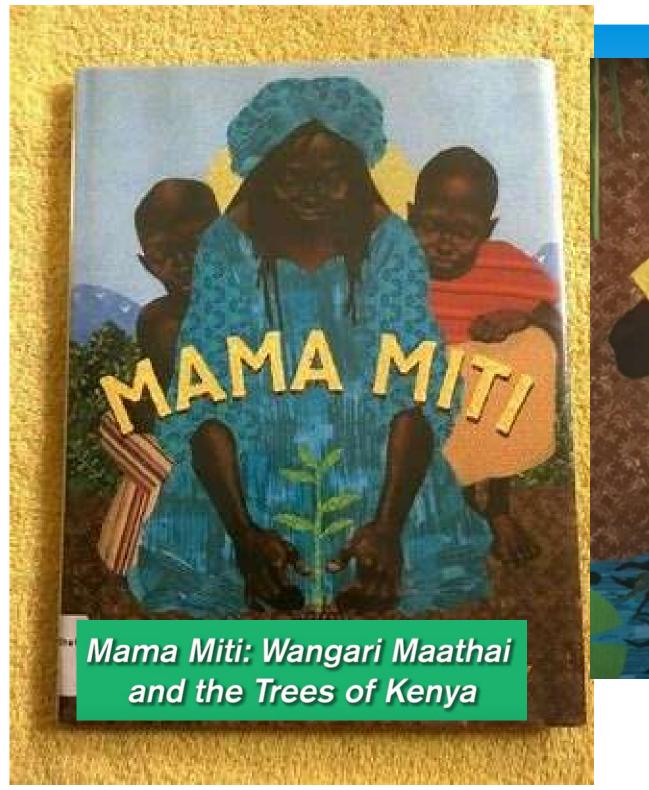
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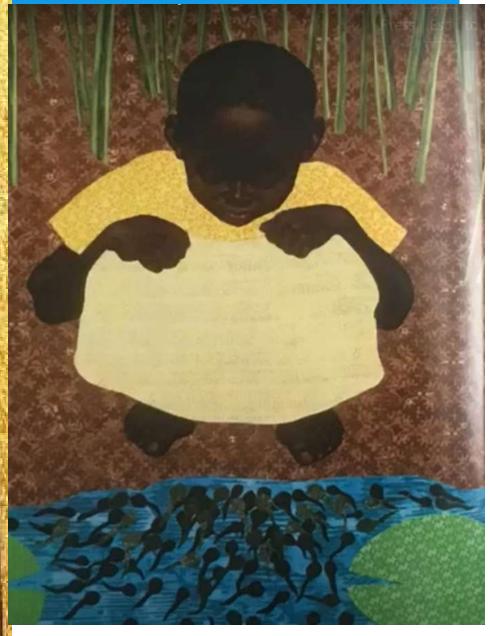
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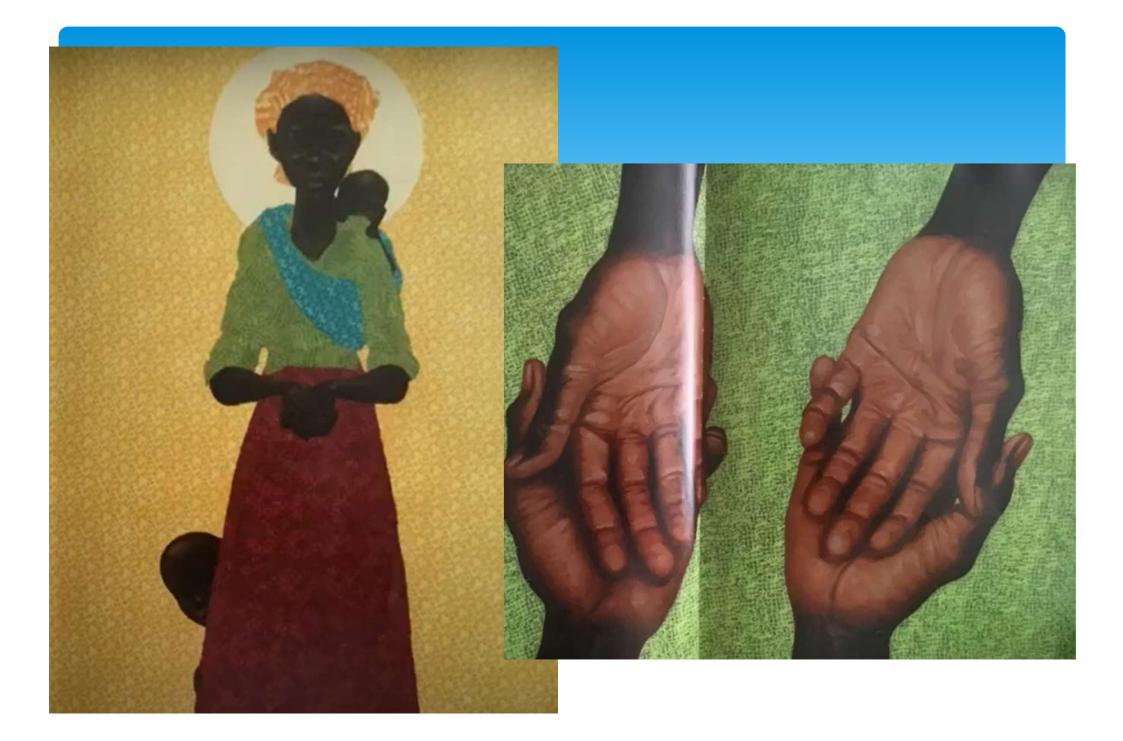
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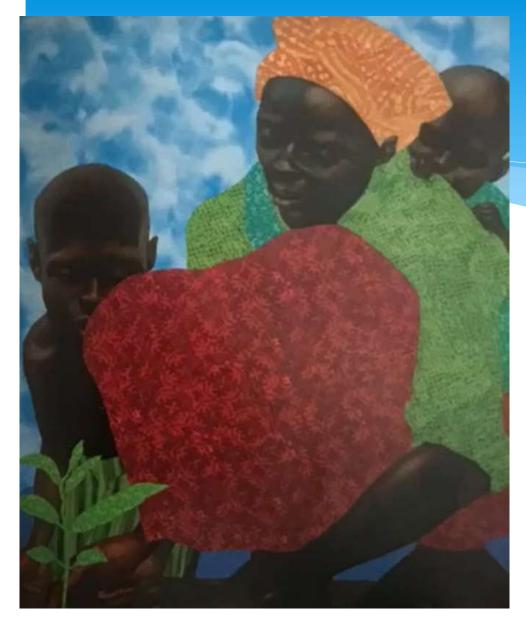
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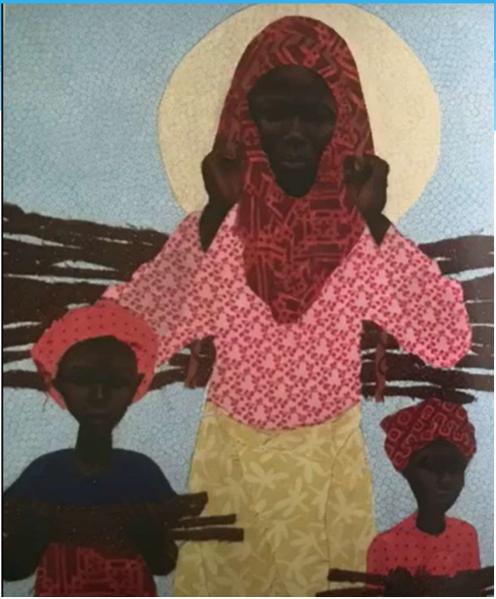
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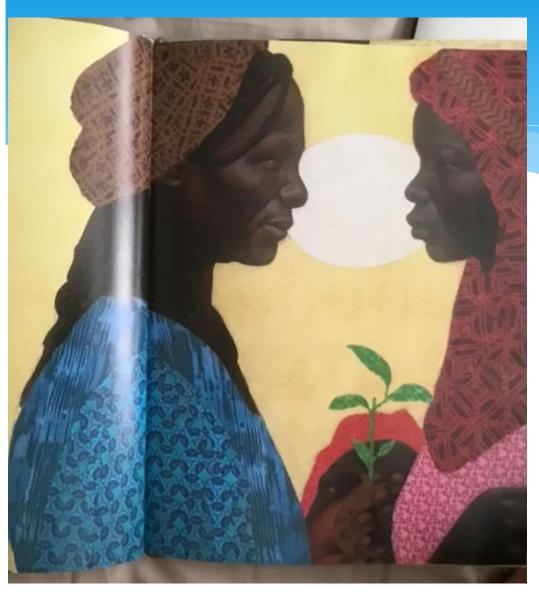


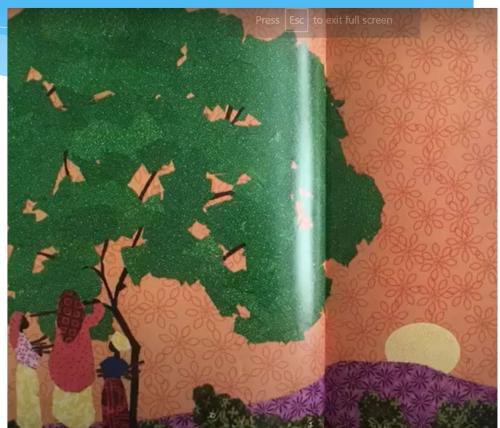


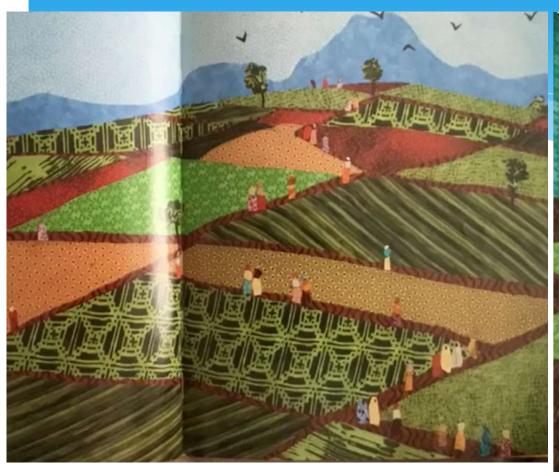


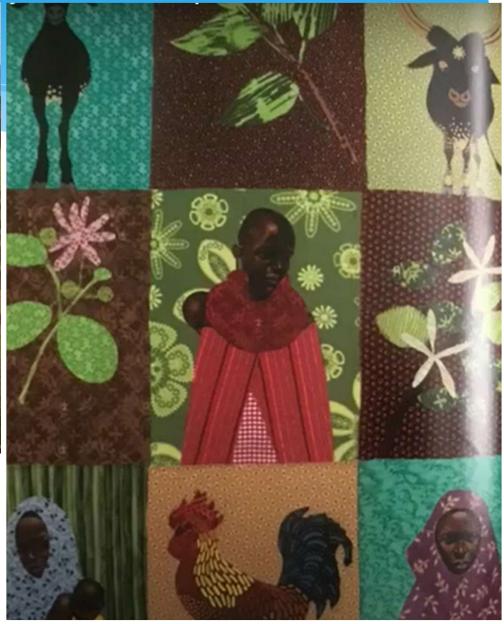


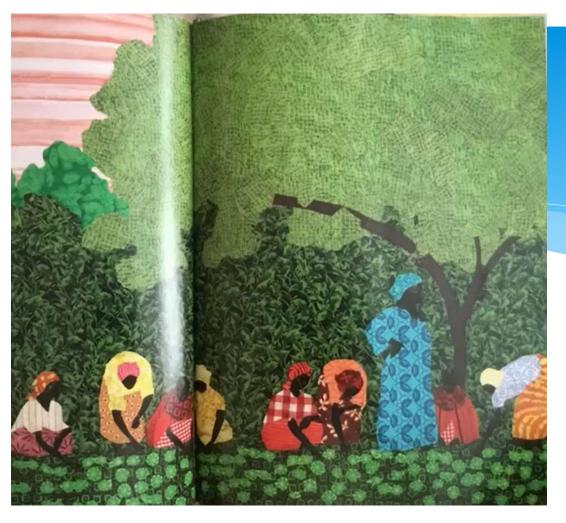


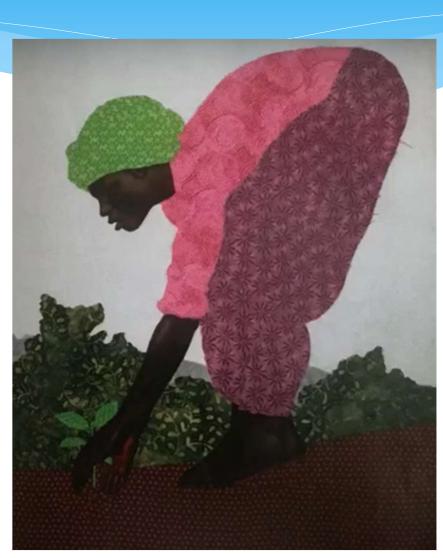


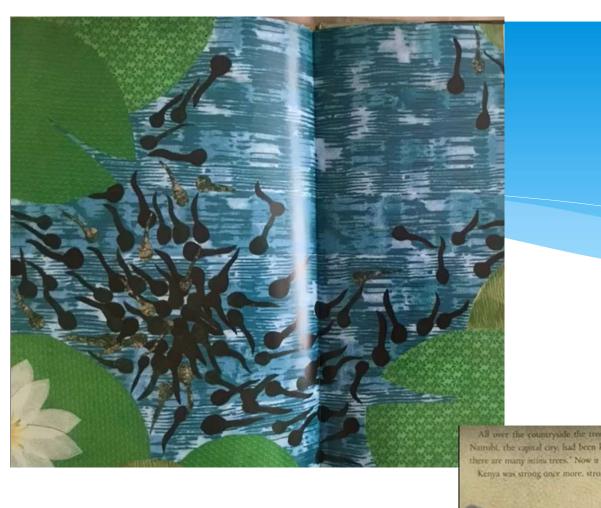




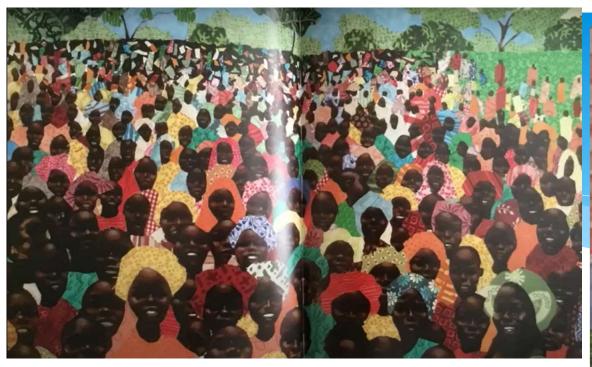


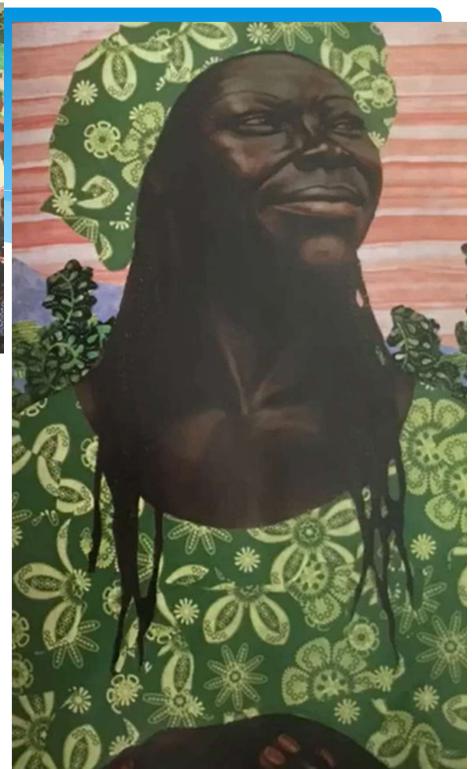








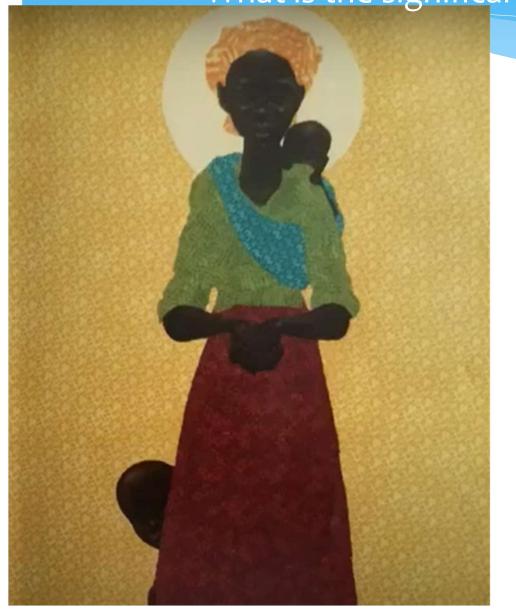


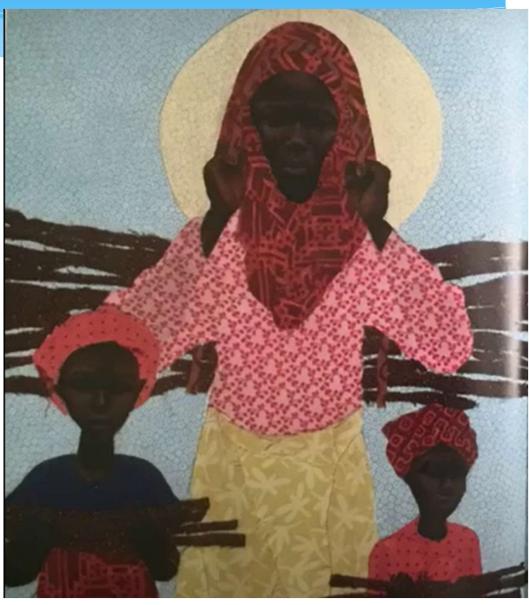


What solutions were given to these dilemmas?

- * "Our goats are starving."
- * "My cows are sick."
- * "Wild animals come in the night and
- * steal my chickens."
- * "My home fell apart."

What similarities and differences do you notice?
Consider the use of colour, the distinction in numbers of people, proportion and composition?
What is the significance of these contrasts?





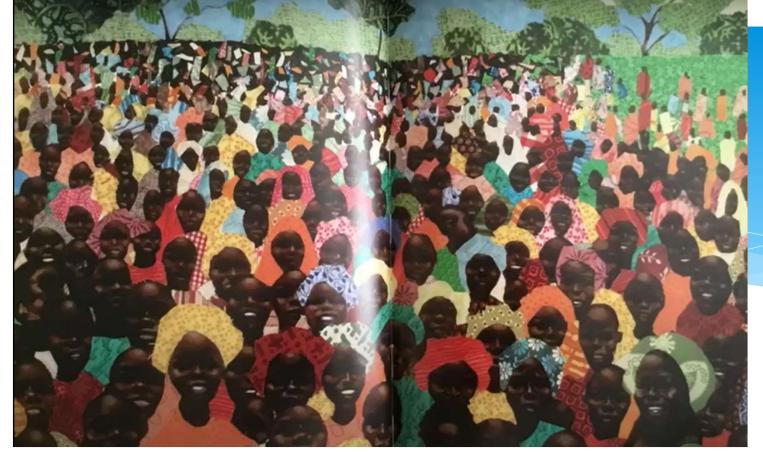
How did Kadir Nelson create the illustrations?

Kadir Nelson created the illustrations using a mixture of collaged African fabrics and oil paintings.

The brightly coloured and highly patterned fabrics create flat blocks on the page and contrast with the parts painted in oils, which appear three-dimensional and realistic.

The effect is a sense of the symbolic importance of the tale, its African roots, and the great strength and dignity of its characters.

In the illustration of the poor woman and her children, the woman's head is placed directly in front of the sun as though she has a halo, like a saint.



- What feelings does the image evoke?
- How do the expressions and body language differ from the individuals represented up to this point?
- How is the composition distinct? What impact does this have?
- Why might the illustrator have chosen to present the people in this way?
- Can you spot Wangari? What differences do you note about her appearance and what might this symbolise or suggest?
- What is the symbolic significance of the use of colour, size, proportion, body language, posture, facial expression and the direction in which Wangari faces at different points in the story?

Week 2 Wednesday

- * Learning Outcome / Objective
- * I can create illustrations in the style of Kadir Nelson.

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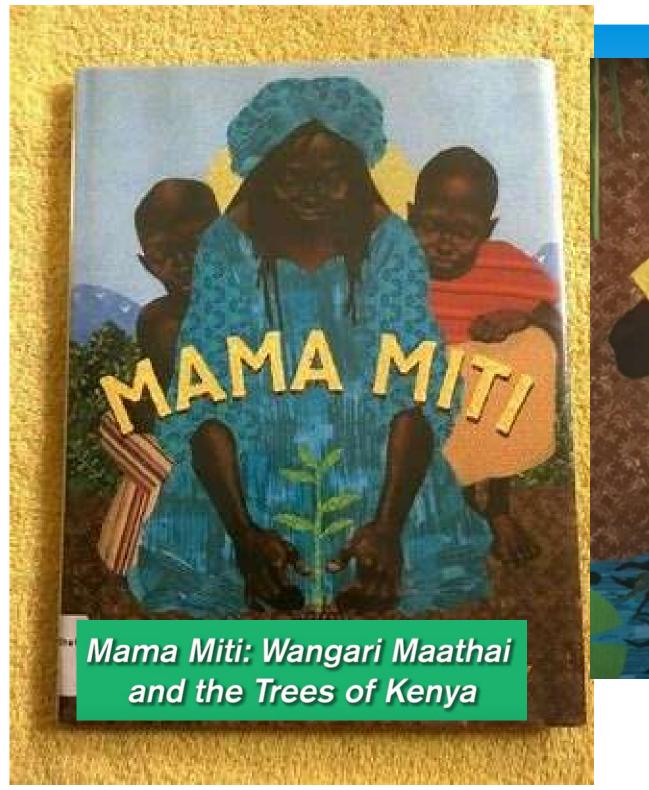
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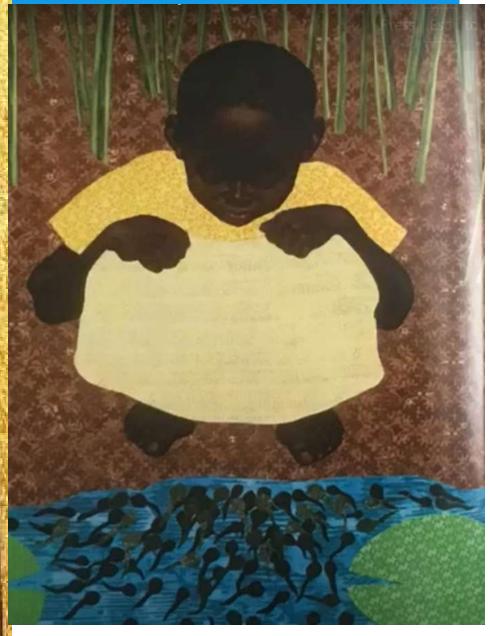
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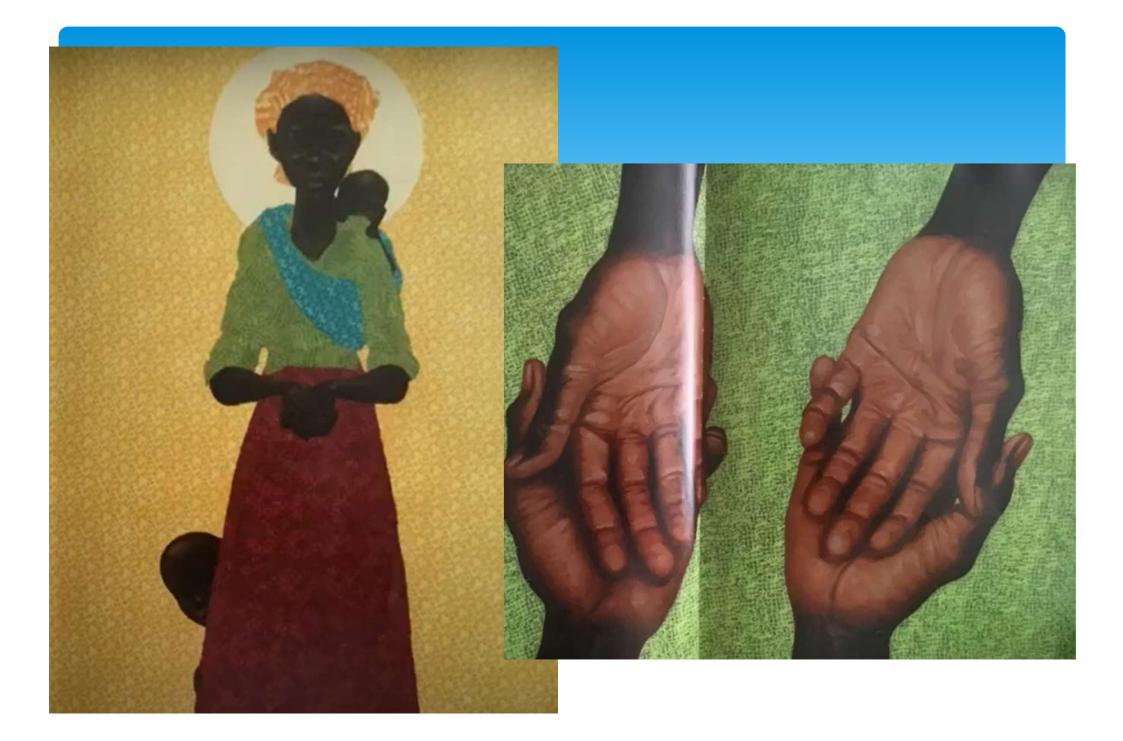
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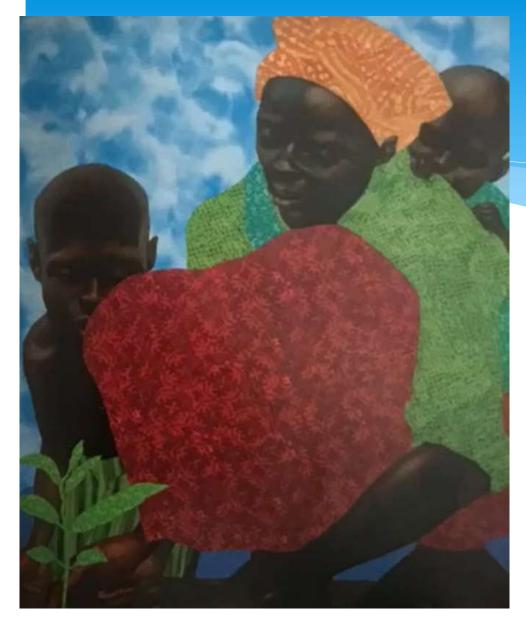
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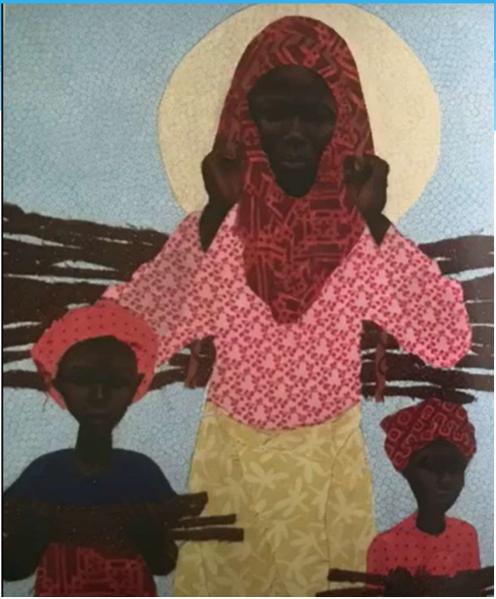
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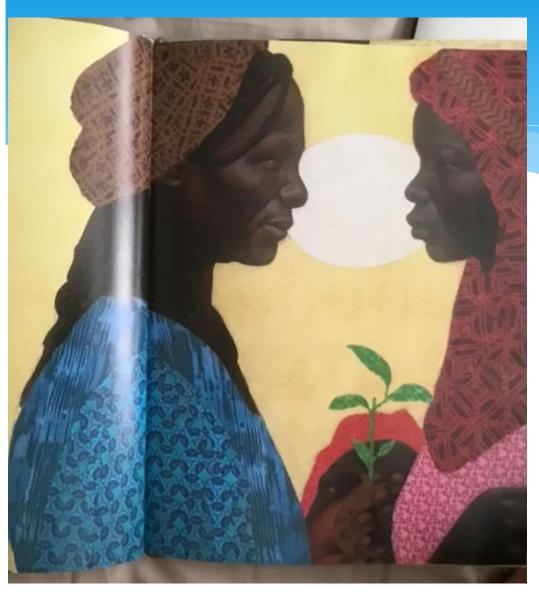


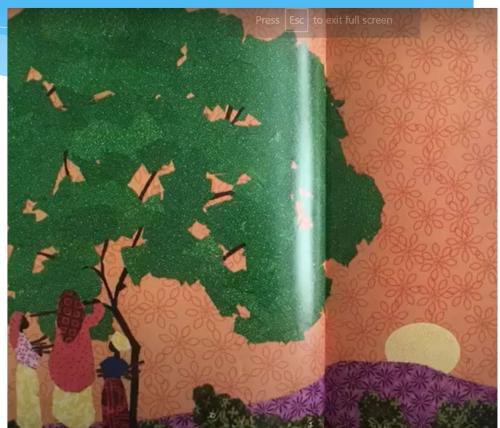


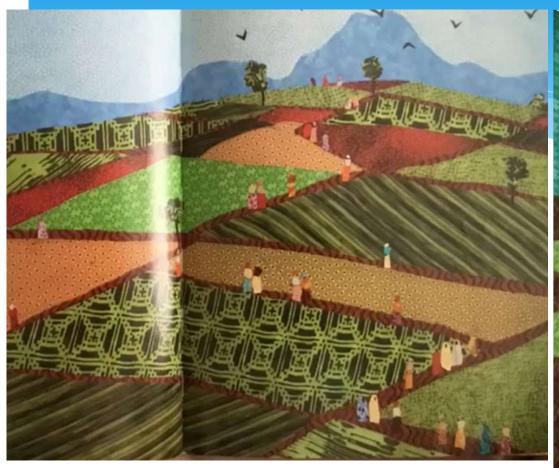




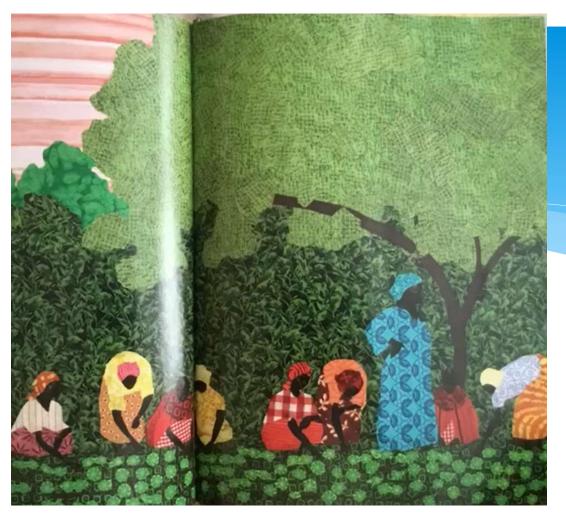


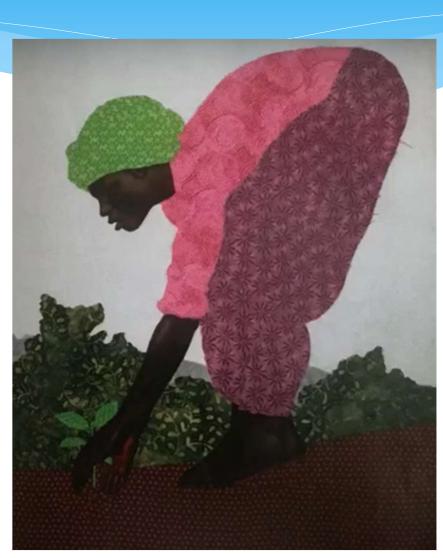


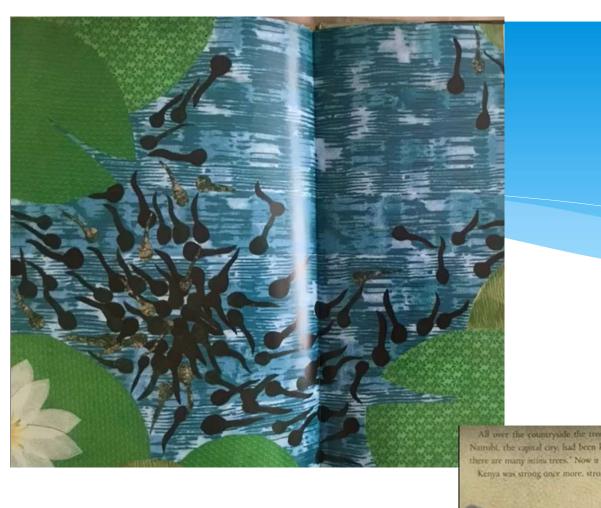




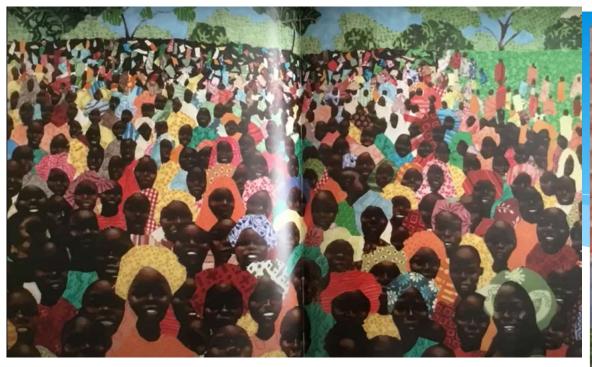


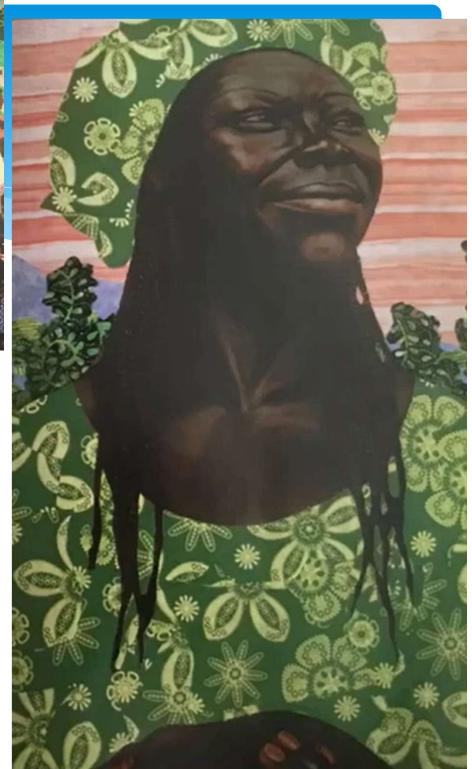












Using fabrics and oils, create your own illustration in this style for one of the woman coming to ask for help.

Wangari told women to plant murigono, whose branches make good stakes for training yam vines.

She told them to plant muhati as a living fence around their animal yards.

She told them to plant maigoya, whose leaves could be wrapped around bananas to ripen them.

She told them to plant muringa for the pure joy of their white flowers.

"African culture is rich with textiles and color, and I felt it essential that the artwork reflect an aesthetic of both East Africa and my own work."

Kadir Nelson

Week 2 Thursday

- * Learning Outcome / Objective
- * I can recognise and understand proverbs.

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Proverbs

DEFINITION

- A proverb is a short well-known supposedly wise, saying, usually in simple language.
- Proverbs contain truth, common sense, experience and wisdom, and they are indisputable.

PROVERBS



A picture is worth a thousand words

(An image can tell a story better than words)

Actions speak louder than words

(What you do is more important than what you say)

All good things must come to an end

(Everything ends; good times don't last forever)

Beauty is in the eye of the beholder

(What is "beautiful" is different for each person)

A chain is only as strong as its weakest link.

A team or group is only as strong as its weakest member. If a person is not performing in a group, the whole group will suffer.

A picture is worth a thousand words.

A picture or photograph can often convey a message in a more empathetic way than just words.

Absence makes the heart grow fonder.

People have a tendency to think more often about someone who is away from them, making them feel fonder of the other person.

Kenyan Proverbs...

- A man who uses force is afraid of reasoning.
- Peace is costly but it is worth the expense.
- He who refuses to obey cannot command.
- A leader who does not take advice is not a leader.

Discuss what you think the meaning is behind each of these proverbs.

What do these mean?

Bantu Proverb

Patience is the mother of a beautiful child.

Congolese Proverb

A single bracelet does not jingle.

African Proverbs

- If you want to go quickly, go alone. If you want to go far, go together.
- A single stick may smoke, but it will not burn.
- However long the night, the dawn will break.

Think about our story of Mama Miti, write your own proverbs to explain the meaning behind the story.



Week 2 Friday

- * Learning Outcome / Objective
- * I can use new vocabulary correctly in context.

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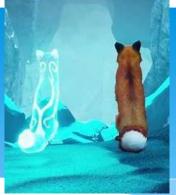
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Vocabulary *0



huge salt lick

mineral rocks



connected with god

sparce

thinly dispersed or scattered

seedlings

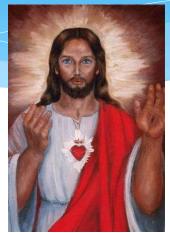
a young plant

spirit

a quality mood or attitude



full of things and crowded







Week 3 Monday

- * Learning Outcome / Objective
- * I can understand cohesive devices.

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Cohesion

* Linking ideas within sentence.

E.g. Bob went for a walk with his dog and they had fun.

We know that the 'they' refers to Bob and his dog.

If we were to repeat the nouns it would be clumsy.

Using the pronoun 'they' is a form of cohesion.

Cohesion

Linking ideas across sentences.

E.g. Sam hated shopping and leaving the house. She rarely bought anything if it wasn't online.

We know that the 'she' refers to Sam as that could be the only person linked from the previous sentence.

If we were to repeat the noun 'Sam', it would be clumsy.

Using the pronoun 'she' is a form of cohesion.

Cohesion

* Linking ideas across paragraphs.

E.g.

Dogs can be fun. They enjoy running around. They need plenty of exercise.

A form of exercise for dogs could include going to the park. This give them fresh air and somewhere safe to stretch their legs.

The repetition of the word 'exercise' allows the reader to link ideas from the last sentence of one paragraph to the next sentence of the new paragraph.

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Week 3 Tuesday

- * Learning Outcome / Objective
- * I can adapt a model text with ideas.

Planning

As a class decide on your own version of Mama Miti.

Who could it be about?

Where could it be set?

What could be given to change the world?

As a class, draw pictures to show each section and make notes on what could be written.

Opening

Build up

Problem

Resolution

Ending

Shared writing

* From plan, using the model text, write the opening and build up.

- * Then in groups, using the class plan, write the problem, resolution and ending.
- * Use the model text and remember to be thinking about cohesive devices.

Week 3 Wednesday

- * Learning Outcome / Objective
- * I can plan my own story.

Week 3 Thursday

- * Learning Outcome / Objective
- * I can write my own story from my plan.

Week 3 Friday

- * Learning Outcome / Objective
- * I can perform / publish my work.
- * I can evaluate my strengths in writing and recognise aspects to develop.

Week 4 Monday

- * Learning Outcome / Objective
- * I can give a speech with confidence, fluency and prosody.
- * I can respond to a speech and give a personal opinion with justifications.

Listen to Wangari Maathai's Nobel Lecture after receiving the 2004 Nobel Peace Prize in the Oslo City Hall, Oslo, Norway.

* https://www.nobelprize.org/prizes/peace/2004/maathai/lecture/

As you listen, think about:

- * What is the purpose of this speech?
- * How does it make you feel and why?
- * In what ways has she considered her audience?
- * What do you think makes it a good speech?
- * How does she use her words?
- * How does the order of what is said have an effect?
- * How does she use her voice?
- * How does she use her body language?

Your Majesties, Your Royal Highnesses, Honourable Members of the Norwegian Nobel Committee, Excellencies, Ladies and Gentlemen...

I stand before you, and the world, humbled by this recognition and uplifted by the honour of being the 2004 Nobel Peace Laureate.

As the first African woman to receive this prize, I accept it on behalf of the people of Kenya and Africa, and indeed the world. I am especially mindful of women and the girl child. I hope it will encourage them to raise their voices and take more space for leadership. I know the honour also gives a deep sense of pride to our men, both old and young. As a mother, I appreciate the inspiration this brings to the youth and urge them to use it to pursue their dreams.

Although this prize comes to me, it acknowledges the work of countless individuals and groups across the globe. They work quietly and often without recognition to protect the environment, promote democracy, defend human rights and ensure equality between women and men. By so doing, they plant seeds of peace. I know they, too, are proud today. To all who feel represented by this prize I say use it to advance your mission and meet the high expectations the world will place on us.

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Thank you very much.

Tell me...

- * What did you like about the speech?
- * What did you dislike about the speech?
- * What patterns did you see?
- * What puzzled you?

Listen again to final section...

- * What is the purpose of this speech?
- * How does it make you feel and why?
- * In what ways has she considered her audience?
- * What do you think makes it a good speech?
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Week 4 Tuesday

- * Learning Outcome / Objective
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commit

pledge to carry out

contribute

give something

sustainable

stop using natural resources

holistic

belief of connected parts

exemplified

give an example

replicated

exact copy

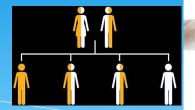
continuation

keep something going

expansion

becoming larger

inherited receive money or traits from parents













Week 4 Wednesday

- * Learning Outcome / Objective
- * I can recognise the purpose and significance of speeches given in history.
- * I can recognise key features of speeches.

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Look at a selection of speeches and as you read / listen, think about these questions.

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Franklin D. Roosevelt's 1933 Inaugural Address

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First Inaugural Address of Franklin D. Roosevelt (start) SATURDAY, MARCH 4, 1933

I am certain that my fellow Americans expect that on my induction into the Presidency I will address them with a candor and a decision which the present situation of our Nation impels. This is preeminently the time to speak the truth, the whole truth, frankly and boldly. Nor need we shrink from honestly facing conditions in our country today. This great Nation will endure as it has endured, will revive and will prosper. So, first of all, let me assert my firm belief that the only thing we have to fear is fear itself--nameless, unreasoning, unjustified terror which paralyzes needed efforts to convert retreat into advance. In every dark hour of our national life a leadership of frankness and vigor has met with that understanding and support of the people themselves which is essential to victory. I am convinced that you will again give that support to leadership in these critical days.

Winston Churchill's 1940 Blood, Toil, Tears and Sweat Speech to the House of Commons

https://youtu.be/8TlkN-dcDCk

Winston Churchill's "Blood, Toil, Tears, and Sweat" Speech (last part)

I say to the House as I said to ministers who have joined this government, I have nothing to offer but blood, toil, tears, and sweat. We have before us an ordeal of the most grievous kind. We have before us many, many months of struggle and suffering.

You ask, what is our policy? I say it is to wage war by land, sea, and air. War with all our might and with all the strength God has given us, and to wage war against a monstrous tyranny never surpassed in the dark and lamentable catalogue of human crime. That is our policy.

You ask, what is our aim? I can answer in one word. It is victory. Victory at all costs — Victory in spite of all terrors — Victory, however long and hard the road may be, for without victory there is no survival.

Let that be realized. No survival for the British Empire, no survival for all that the British Empire has stood for, no survival for the urge, the impulse of the ages, that mankind shall move forward toward his goal.

I take up my task in buoyancy and hope. I feel sure that our cause will not be suffered to fail among men. I feel entitled at this juncture, at this time, to claim the aid of all and to say, "Come then, let us go forward together with our united strength."

Nelson Mandela's speech before the court hearing that led to his imprisonment in 1964

(End of his speech)

But this fear cannot be allowed to stand in the way of the only solution which will guarantee racial harmony and freedom for all. It is not true that the enfranchisement of all will result in racial domination. Political division, based on colour, is entirely artificial and, when it disappears, so will the domination of one colour group by another. The ANC has spent half a century fighting against racialism. When it triumphs as it certainly must, it will not change that policy.

This then is what the ANC is fighting. Our struggle is a truly national one. It is a struggle of the African people, inspired by our own suffering and our own experience. It is a struggle for the right to live.

During my lifetime I have dedicated my life to this struggle of the African people. I have fought against white domination, and I have fought against black domination. I have cherished the ideal of a democratic and free society in which all persons will live together in harmony and with equal opportunities. It is an ideal for which I hope to live for and to see realised. But, My Lord, if it needs be, it is an ideal for which I am prepared to die.

Maya Angelou's Speech On the Pulse of Morning, January 19, 1993 at the Inauguration of President Clinton

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On the Pulse of Morning Maya Angelou - 1928-2014

A Rock, A River, A Tree
Hosts to species long since departed,
Marked the mastodon,
The dinosaur, who left dried tokens
Of their sojourn here
On our planet floor,
Any broad alarm of their hastening doom
Is lost in the gloom of dust and ages.

But today, the Rock cries out to us, clearly, forcefully,
Come, you may stand upon my
Back and face your distant destiny,
But seek no haven in my shadow.
I will give you no hiding place down here.

You, created only a little lower than
The angels, have crouched too long in
The bruising darkness
Have lain too long
Face down in ignorance.
Your mouths spilling words

Armed for slaughter.
The Rock cries out to us today, you may stand upon me,
But do not hide your face.

Across the wall of the world, A River sings a beautiful song. It says, Come, rest here by my side.

Hillary Clinton's Speech Women's Rights Are Human Rights, Beijing, China: 5 September 1995.

https://youtu.be/f51xcfyu69c

Thank you very much, Gertrude Mongella, for your dedicated work that has brought us to this point, distinguished delegates, and guests:

I would like to thank the Secretary General for inviting me to be part of this important United Nations Fourth World Conference on Women. This is truly a celebration, a celebration of the contributions women make in every aspect of life: in the home, on the job, in the community, as mothers, wives, sisters, daughters, learners, workers, citizens, and leaders.

It is also a coming together, much the way women come together every day in every country. We come together in fields and factories, in village markets and supermarkets, in living rooms and board rooms. Whether it is while playing with our children in the park, or washing clothes in a river, or taking a break at the office water cooler, we come together and talk about our aspirations and concern. And time and again, our talk turns to our children and our families. However different we may appear, there is far more that unites us than divides us. We share a common future, and we are here to find common ground so that we may help bring new dignity and respect to women and girls all over the world, and in so doing bring new strength and stability to families as well.

By gathering in Beijing, we are focusing world attention on issues that matter most in our lives -- the lives of women and their families: access to education, health care, jobs and credit, the chance to enjoy basic legal and human rights and to participate fully in the political life of our countries.

Talk to your partner about the speeches, think about the questions posed.

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- How do they make us feel and why?
- In what ways have they considered their audience?
- What do you think makes it a good speech?
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- How does the order of what is said have an effect?
- How does the speaker use their voice?
- How does the speaker use their body language?

Good speech features...

- * clear purpose (wanting to achieve something)
- * acknowledge audience and adapt language for them
- * personal pronouns us we
- * repetition of key phrases
- * slow, carefully spoken words
- * emphasis on important and key words
- * language that is emotive

Week 4 Thursday

- * Learning Outcome / Objective
- * I can recognise emotive language.

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Shared writing...

Preparing a speechPURPOSE to be elected as a school councillor

Discuss what emotive language could be used?

Brainstorm in groups, thinking about the audience of your peers and what they might want to hear.

* Fellow pupils, it is up to us to have the energy and creativity to change the school.

* Together we can be the hope for the future of our reception children.

* Although a lot has been achieved at our school, there is still so much more that can be done.

* As I reflect on my own experience of the infants, I know I had fun on school trips, but were there enough of these fun activities? Do we need more? Yes we do!

- * Children at this school deserve to inherit a school that is sustainable and putting their needs first.
- * The challenge is clear, and I am up to that challenge.

Week 4 Friday

- * Learning Outcome / Objective
- * I can recognise the use of modal verbs.

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MODAL VERBS

I DEFINITION

A modal verb is a type of auxiliary verb that is used to indicate modality-that is likelihood, ability, permission, obligation,...

Applicants most answer the question

honestly

(obligation)

Two of my friends can play guitar (ability)



Think of some modal verbs that could be used for this sentence...

It was raining out so, I ______ go outside.

Think of some modal verbs that could be used for this sentence...

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It was raining out, so I could go outside.
It was raining out, so I couldn't go outside.
It was raining out, so I should go outside.
It was raining out, so I shouldn't go outside.
It was raining out, so I can go outside.
It was raining out, so I can't go outside.
It was raining out, so I might go outside.
It was raining out, so I mustn't go outside.
It was raining out, so I would go outside.
It was raining out, so I wouldn't go outside.
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Positive v Negative



MODAL VERBS

Туре	Modal Verbs	Examples
ABILITY	Can, Could	David can speak three languages.He could speak fluent French when he was 5.
PERMISSION	Can, Could, May	Can I sit in that chair please?Could I open the window?May I borrow your dictionary?
ADVICE	Should	 You should visit your dentist at least twice a year. You should try to lose weight.
OBLIGATION	Must, Have to	I must memorize all of these rules about tenses.You have to take off your shoes before you get into the mosque.
POSSIBILITY	Might, May, Could, Can	It looks nice, but it might be very expensive.Richard may be coming to see us tomorrow.

In pairs, think of another example for each of these.

Why are modal verbs important in speeches?

* Think about the examples we have heard so far, what types of modal verbs have you heard?

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We must defeat...
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We will move forward together...

Everyone should stand up for their rights...

We shall succeed...

Together we can change the world...

Look back at your speech from yesterday.

- * Pick out the modal verbs used.
- * Are they strong enough?
- * If they aren't, then edit them to make them stronger.

e.g. 'we could' needs to change to 'we should' or 'we must'

Add in sentences that will forcefully send the message of your purpose to become a councillor.

Week 5 Monday

- * Learning Outcome / Objective
- * I can (opportunity to add spag need identified from cold tasks or other independent writing)

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Week 5 Tuesday

- * Learning Outcome / Objective
- * I can speak with confidence and clarity.
- * I can emphasis key words and phrases.

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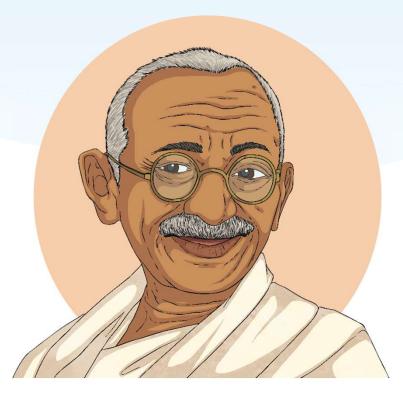
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Gandhi

Mohandas Gandhi was an Indian campaigner, who called for an end to the British rule of India. He was given the title 'Mahatma' which means 'Great Soul'.

Gandhi was known for his belief in non-violent protest. Although he came from a rich family, he wore simple white clothes to show he lived like the poor people. Gandhi encouraged people to **boycott** British goods.



As part of this campaign, Gandhi made a speech known as 'Quit India' on 8th August 1942. At the start of the speech, Gandhi once again committed himself to non-violence. 'Ours is not a drive for power, but purely a non-violent fight for India's independence.'

boycott - To stop doing something in order to protest.

Gandhi

Gandhi's speech continued, 'A non-violent soldier of freedom will **covet** nothing for himself, he fights only for the freedom of his country. The Congress is unconcerned as to who will rule, when freedom is attained. The power, when it comes, will belong to the people of India, and it will be for them to decide to whom it placed in the entrusted.'

'In the democracy which I have envisaged, a democracy established by non-violence, there will be equal freedom for all. Everybody will be his own master. It is to join a struggle for such democracy that I invite you today. Once you realise this you will forget the differences between the Hindus and Muslims, and think of yourselves as Indians only, engaged in the common struggle for independence.' Gandhi ended by saying, 'At a time when I may have to launch the biggest struggle of my life, I may not harbor hatred against anybody.'

Five years later, in 1947, the British left India.

covet - To want something.

Speech 1 - Gandhi

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Nelson Mandela

Nelson Mandela was a South African leader in the anti-apartheid movement. Apartheid (which means 'apartness' in the Afrikaans language) was the system South Africa was ruled by for many years. Black people had very few rights; they had to live in poorer areas, couldn't vote in elections, received only basic education and weren't allow to use certain facilities, such as parks, beaches and even drinking fountains.



In 1963, Mandela and ten other anti-apartheid leaders were put on trial. They all pleaded not guilty to the charges. Despite this, some people called for them to be sentenced to death.

On 20th April 1964, Nelson Mandela made a speech to the court. As the South African government had banned anti-apartheid leaders from speaking to newspapers, Mandela knew this was one of his few chances to speak to the world.

Nelson Mandela

Mandela's speech lasted for almost three hours. He explained why he was fighting against apartheid and how he felt Black people should be treated.

His speech ended with words that have become famous in the fight for democracy.

'I have dedicated my life to this struggle of the African people. I have fought against white domination and I have fought against black domination. I have cherished the ideal of a democratic and free society in which all persons will live together in harmony and with equal opportunities. It is an ideal for which I hope to live for and to see realised. But, My Lord, if it needs to be, it is an ideal for which I am prepared to die.'

Mandela was sentenced to life imprisonment and served 27 years in jail. He was released in 1990. In 1994, he became the first Black president of South Africa.

Speech 2 - Mandela

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Martin Luther King Jr.

Martin Luther King Jr. was a leader in the American civil rights movement in the 1960s. As a preacher, he was well known for making moving speeches as part of his campaign to give African Americans equal rights.

On 28th August 1963, the March on Washington for Jobs and Freedom was held. Around 250,000 people marched to Washington DC, the capital of the USA, to demand equality for Black people.

The march ended at the Lincoln memorial, a monument erected to honour Abraham Lincoln. In his speech, King echoed Lincoln's Gettysburg address, referring to 'five score years ago.'

Did You Know?

Martin Luther King was inspired by Gandhi's belief in non-violence.

Martin Luther King Jr.

At the march, he spoke about the injustices Black people faced, from the time of slavery to his present day. During his speech, a well-known singer, Mahalia Jackson, called out to him, 'Tell them about the dream, Martin.' At this point, he began the part of the speech that gave it its famous name, 'I have a dream.'

'I say to you today, my friends, so even though we face the difficulties of today and tomorrow, I still have a dream. It is a dream deeply rooted in the American dream... I have a dream that my four little children will one day live in a nation where they will not be judged by the color of their skin but by the content of their character... and when we allow freedom to ring, when we let it ring from every village and every hamlet, from every state and every city, we will be able to speed up that day when all of God's children, Black men and White men, Jews and Gentiles, Protestants and Catholics, will be able to join hands and sing.

Free at last! Free at last! Thank God Almighty, we are free at last!'

Speech 3 – King Jr.

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Malala Yousafzai

Malala Yousafzai was born in Pakistan in 1997. Her dad was a teacher. In 2008, a group called the Taliban took over the area Malala lived in. They introduced many new rules, including banning girls from going to school.



Malala and her family believed in the importance of girls' education. On September 1st 2008, Malala gave her first speech, 'How dare the Taliban take away my basic right to education?' She was just 11 years old.

Soon after, she began writing a blog for the BBC, under the name of Gul Makai, about what it was like to live under Taliban rule. The more public speaking and television appearances she did, the clearer it was that she was the BBC's blogger and she became well known for her activism.

When Malala was 15 years old, she was shot by someone in the Taliban on her way home from school. Her injuries were so severe that she had to be flown to England for treatment. As she recovered, Malala remained determined to campaign on behalf of girls around the world. She wrote books, made speeches and started a charity called the Malala Fund.

Malala Yousafzai

In December 2014, Malala was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize. This is an award given each year to someone who has helped make the world a better and more peaceful place. Malala made an important speech when she accepted the award.



The audience laughed when she said, 'I am pretty certain that I am also the first recipient of the Nobel Peace Prize who still fights with her younger brothers. I want there to be peace everywhere, but my brothers and I are still working on that.' She went on to say, 'This award is not just for me. It is for those forgotten children who want education. It is for those frightened children who want peace. It is for those voiceless children who want change.' Her speech ended, 'Dear sisters and brothers, dear fellow children, we must work... not wait. Not just the politicians and the world leaders, we all need to contribute. Me. You. We. It is our duty. Let us become the first generation to decide to be the last, let us become the first generation that decides to be the last that sees empty classrooms, lost childhoods, and wasted potentials.

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Select a pre-written speech.

- * Decide the purpose of the speech and how you might get that across to the audience.
- * Text mark the speech.
- * Pick out which words needs emphasising and how that might be done e.g. slower / louder / suddenly etc.
- * Rehearse the speech with thoughts on body language and facial expression.

In groups, take it in turns to give your speeches.

* Give feedback to each other on strengths and areas to develop.

* Use your created success criteria to be specific.

Week 5 Wednesday

- * Learning Outcome / Objective
- * I can plan a speech.

Think about purpose, audience, choice of language, body language and voice control.

Week 5 Thursday

- * Learning Outcome / Objective
- * I can give a speech.
- * I can evaluate a speech given by others for effectiveness.
- * I can give feedback on strengths and areas to develop.

Week 5 Friday

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Week 6 Monday

- * Learning Outcome / Objective
- * I can recognise features of a biography.

Use this cut up for children to match cause to effect

Effect:

Wangari's mother and grandmother teach her that her ancestors rest in the trees' shade

she loves nature and vows to protect the sacred trees

Wangari's brother teachers her what he learns at school; her they decide to send her to school, though not many girls parents see that she is smart and a hard worker.

ever learn to read

Wangari was an excellent student; she wanted to become a biologist. Her teachers teach her that a woman can do anything they set their minds to

she travels to the US, and successful becomes a woman scientist

The government sells a lot of land to big companies. They cut down forests for timber and clear land for coffee plantations.

the trees are chopped down, erosion carries away the fertile soil, the water in the streams dries up. The land is destroyed and many people go hungry.

Wangari travels around Kenya, teaching people to plant trees.

Millions of trees are planted. Birds and animals return to the forests. Wangari's home is green again.

Some businesses get angry that the trees are more important than their business.

They pay a police officer to put her in jail.

Wangari realizes that she needs more support, and begins to More people listen to her message. She is elected to Kenya's travel the world to spread her message.

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The world recognizes her hard work.

Wangari wins the Nobel Peace Prize.

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- * I can organise ideas in headings and using chronology.

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Benazir Bhutto Biography (21 June 1953 – 27 Dec. 2007)

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After finishing at Oxford, she returned to Pakistan where she became embroiled in Pakistani politics.

In 1984, she was released from house arrest and began campaigning for a restoration of democracy. Benazir became the first women to lead a political party – Pakistan People's Front (PPF) and after the death of General Zia-ul-Haq, Pakistan moved towards its first democratic elections in more than a decade.

Bhutto and her party won the largest percentage of seats and were able to form a coalition government. She was sworn in as Prime Minister for the first time in 1988 at the age of 35.

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Week 6 Thursday

- * Learning Outcome / Objective
- * I can write a biography.

Week 6 Friday

- * Learning Outcome / Objective
- * I can publish / perform my writing.