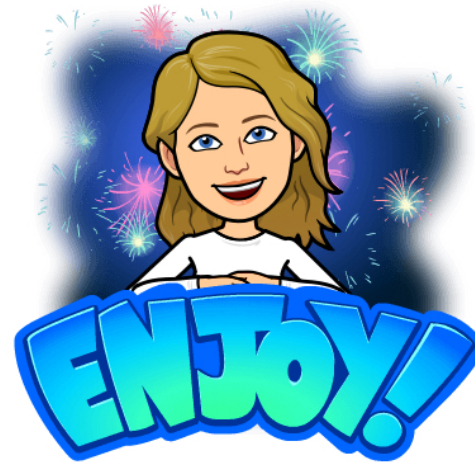


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to today's English lesson

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Good morning, Year 3.

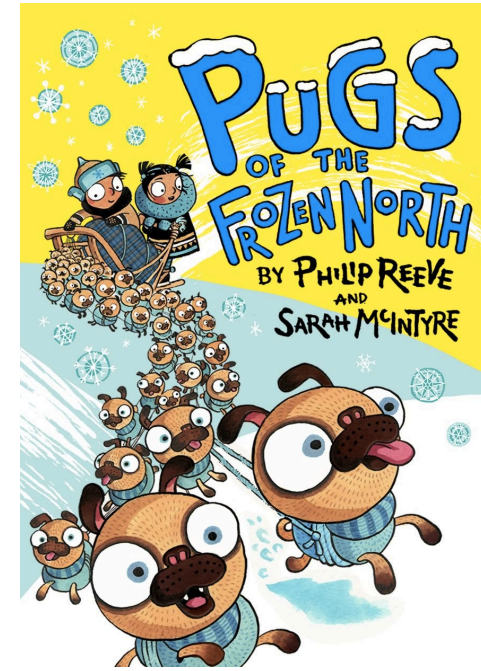
Happy Monday! I hope you are all okay and have had a lovely weekend.

First of all, THANK YOU for all your hard work last week on 'How to wash a woolly mammoth.' I was SO impressed with your instructions. They were wonderful and really made me smile.

This week, we are going to be doing some work on our new class book 'Pugs of the Frozen North.' I'm sure you will all LOVE this book 😊

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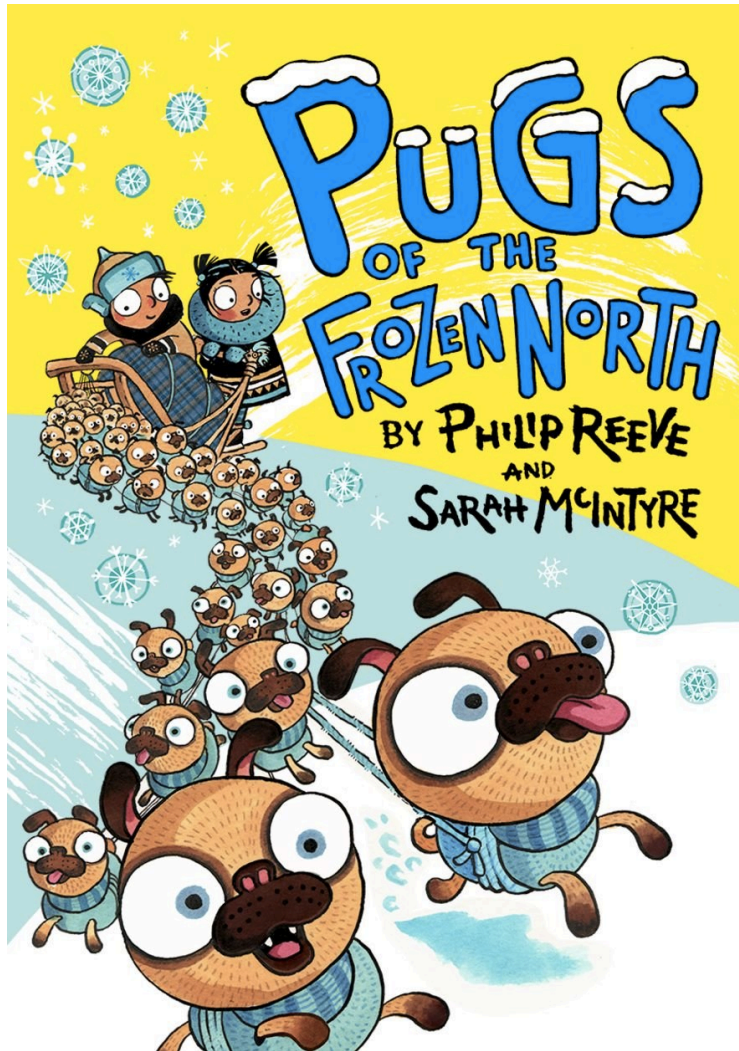
Miss Robertson xxx





Look carefully at the front cover of the book. What questions would you like to ask?

Write them down on a piece of paper.



Miss Robertson's questions:

Where are the pugs going to?

Why are there so many pugs?

Where have they all come from?



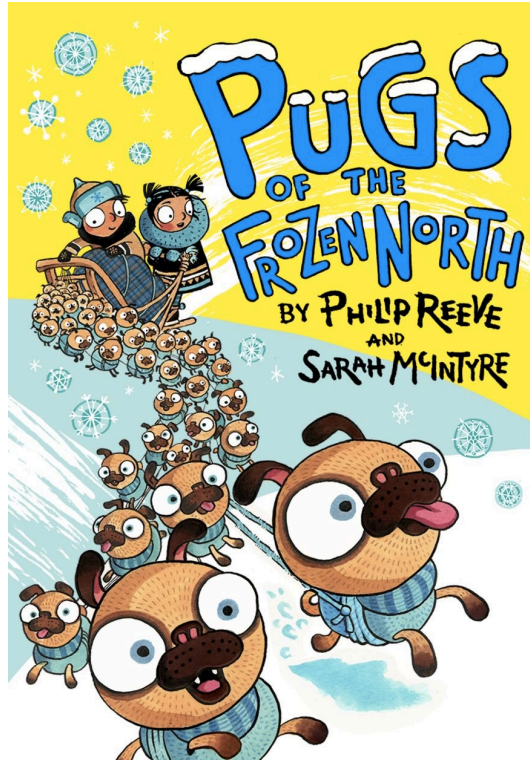
Remember, your question should have a capital letter and a question mark at the end.





Look carefully at the front cover of the book again.
 Answer the questions into you book/ onto paper.
Remember you don't have to print anything 😊

What do you think the book will be about?

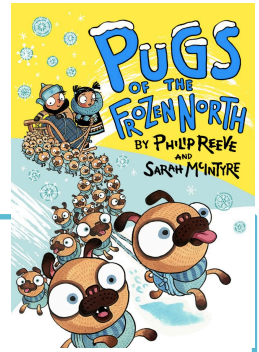


What things can you see on the front cover?

What sort of story will it be? Who might enjoy it?



Here is the **blurb** to Pugs of the Frozen North.
Read it carefully.



The Race to the Top of the World!

It comes around once in a lifetime – and the prize?

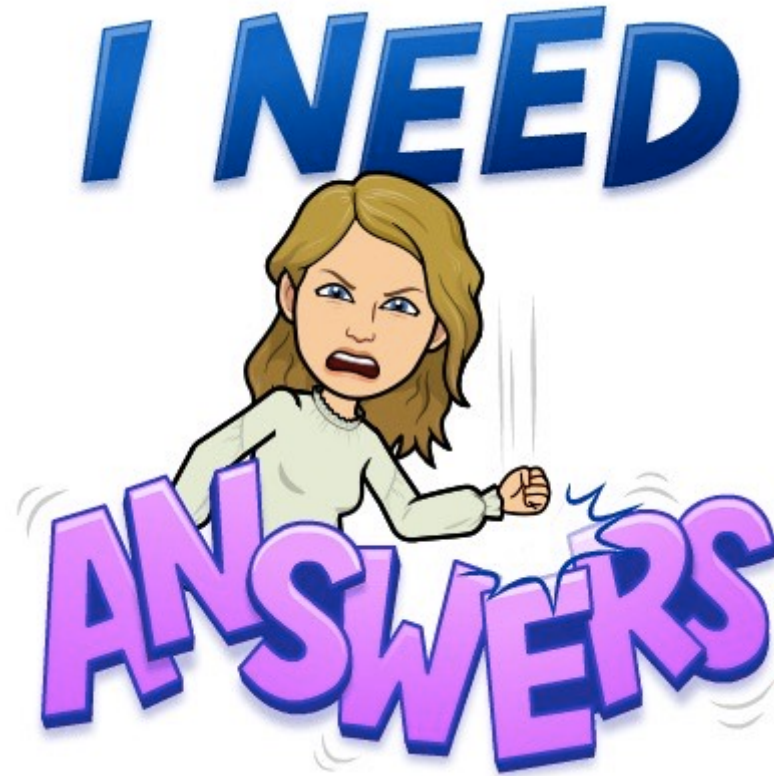
Your heart's desire. Shen and Sika can't resist the chance to win, but competition is FIERCE. The path to victory is littered with SNOW TROLLS, SEA MONSTERS, and a gang of particularly HUNGRY YETIS.

But Sika and Shen have something the other contestants don't have. Actually, they have 66 other things – PUGS, to be exact. That's a 264 paw-powered sled.

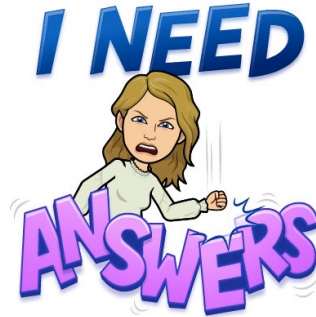
Answer these questions based on the blurb of the book:

1. What do Shen and Sika want to win?
2. Why will the race be difficult?
3. What word/ phrase tells you that the race is a special opportunity?
4. The prize of winning the race is 'your heart's desire.' What do you think that means?
5. What do Shen and Sika have that the other contestants (the others taking part in the race) don't?





**Answers are coming up on the next slide.
No peeking until you have completed the
questions 😊**

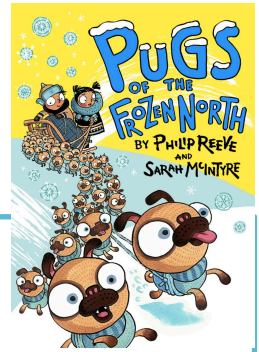


Answer these questions based on the blurb of the book:

1. What do Shen and Sika want to win? *The race to the top of the world*
2. Why will the race be difficult? *It will be difficult because there are lots of snow trolls, sea monsters and hungry yetis.*
3. What word/ phrase tells you that the race is a special opportunity? *Once in a lifetime*
4. The prize of winning the race is 'your heart's desire.' What do you think that means? *I think that it means that the prize is whatever you would like to choose.*
5. What do Shen and Sika have that the other contestants (the others taking part in the race) don't? *They have 66 pugs to power their sled.*



Now we are going to make a **PREDICTION**.
Read the blurb again carefully.



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What do you think will happen in the story?
Do you think Shen and Sika will succeed and win the race to the top of the world? Why?



I would love to hear your predictions



Extra fun activity 😊

Sarah McIntyre is the illustrator of the story. Use the link below to draw along with her and draw your own pug:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1bkHwf376Bc>

You might also like to use the Art Hub for kids website to help you too 😊

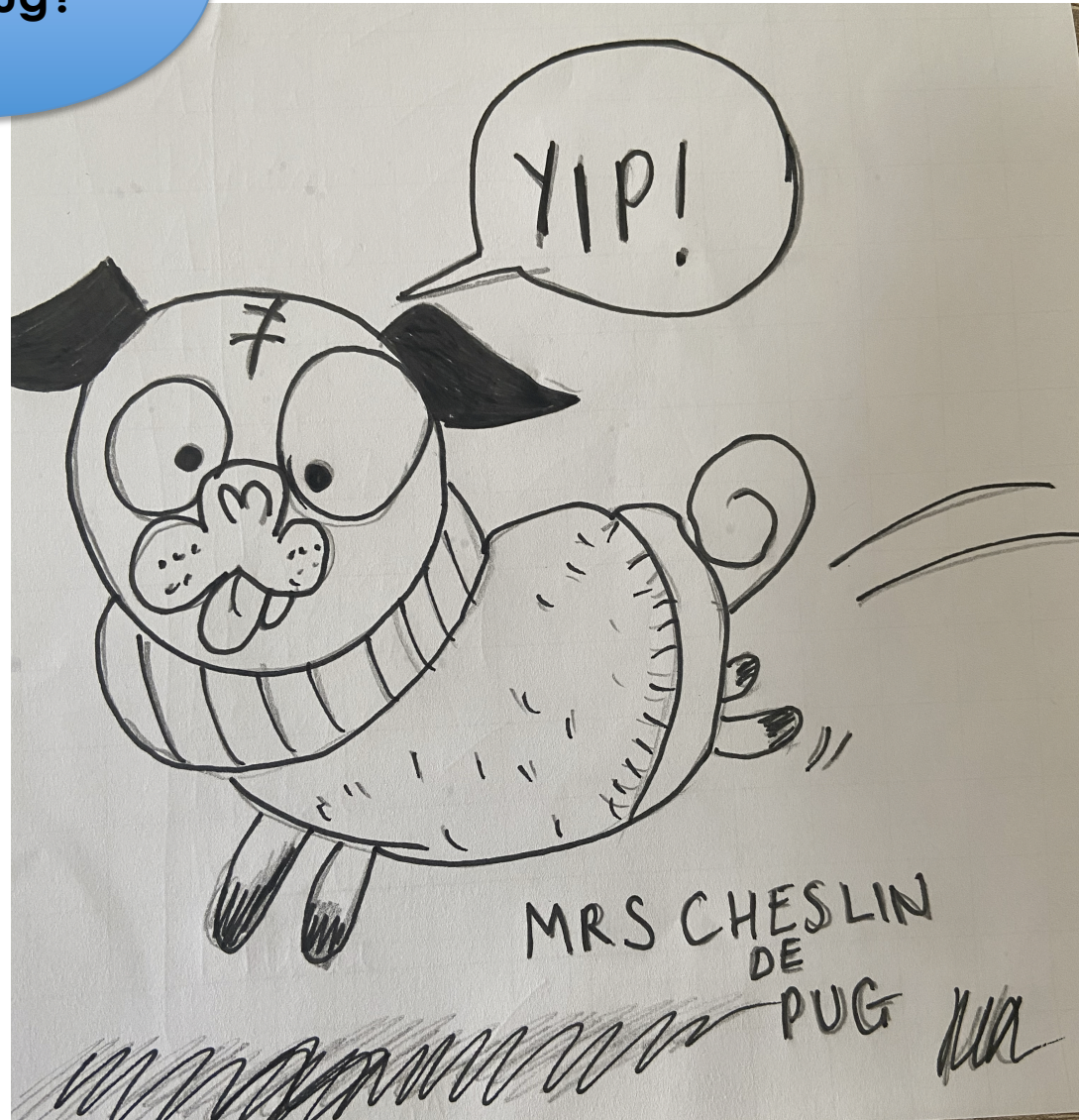
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If the links don't work, follow the links on the website 😊





Do you like
my pug?



Thank you for working so hard.

Please send in any photos of your work or any questions you have to yearthree@st-jo-st.dudley.sch.uk

It is always a pleasure to see all of your work.

