

## Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> February 2021.

### Learning Objective: to plan a biography and sentences to meet success criteria.

In today's lesson, we will revisit some of the lenses from the writing rainbow that you used when we were writing Hatshepsut's biography. These will be the success criteria when writing your own Egyptian pharaoh biography.

- Look at the lenses and the examples from Hatshepsut's biography below.
- Write a sentence about your chosen Egyptian pharaoh using each lens.
- Consider which shape this sentence fits in to your biography so you know where you can use it tomorrow.

| Success Criteria  | Examples from Hatshepsut   | Sentence for my biography<br>(Think about which shape here too) |
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|  <p><b>Time Adverbial</b></p>        | <p><b>In 1473 BC</b>, Ancient Egypt was ruled by an influential pharaoh.</p> <p><b>After a short reign</b>, Hatshepsut's husband (Thutmose II) died, had her stepson was next in line for the throne.</p> <p><b>In her ninth year</b>, she established trade expeditions to the land of Punt.</p> <p><b>After a long and powerful period of reign</b>, Hatshepsut died and was entombed in the Valley of the Kings.</p>  |   |
|  <p><b>Precise Verbs</b></p>       | <p>This mighty pharaoh ruler <b>achieved</b> a period of peace and was also industrious in <b>creating</b> crucial trade relationships with many countries.</p> <p>To <b>strengthen</b> her reign, she <b>decided</b> she would need to <b>convince</b> her people that she could rule as well as any of her male predecessors.</p> <p>She <b>slipped</b> on a fake beard, traditionally worn by men, and <b>insisted</b> that her statues and images looked more masculine.</p> |   |
|  <p><b>Rhetorical Question</b></p> | <p><b>Did he want to prove his leadership as king?</b></p> <p><b>Did he feel threatened by Hatshepsut's legacy?</b></p> <p><b>An awesome dude or was she shrewd?</b></p> <p><b>Minx or sphinx?</b></p> <p><b>For the country's wealth or all for self?</b></p>   |   |
|  <p><b>Alliteration</b></p>        | <p><b>Powerful person, talented trader, excellent explorer.</b></p> <p><b>Wondrous Woman.</b></p> <p><b>Respectful Regent.</b></p> <p>"Muscles, I need muscles, give me muscles, give me the <b>mightiest, most magnificent muscles</b> anyone has ever seen, no one will doubt me now!"</p>   |   |
|  <p><b>Simile</b></p>              | <p><b>Like the fierce sun beating down on the desert sands</b>, this <b>restless regent radiated</b> ambition and it wasn't long before she became pharaoh.</p>  |   |
|  <p><b>Basics</b></p>              | <p>Capital Letters</p> <p>Punctuation</p> <p>Handwriting</p> <p>Makes sense</p> <p>Spelling</p>  |   |