

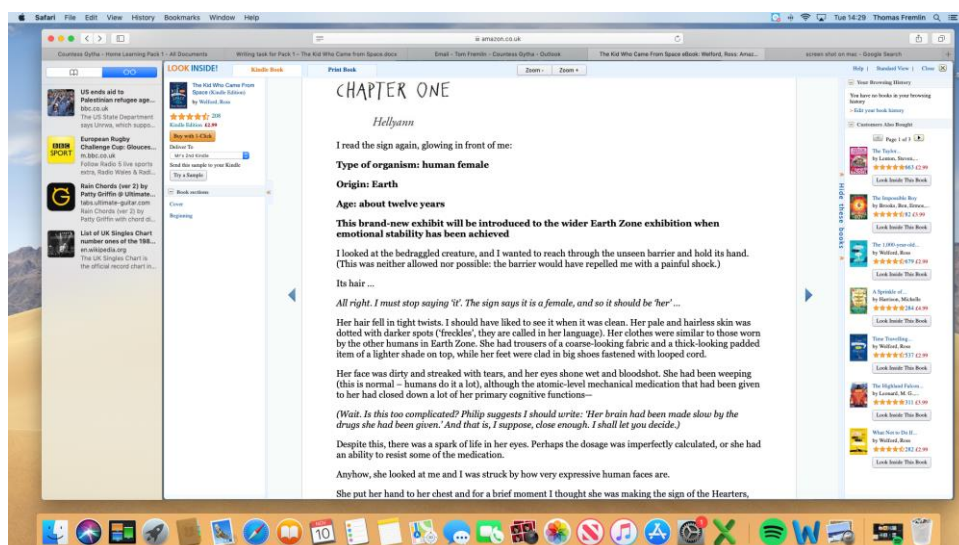
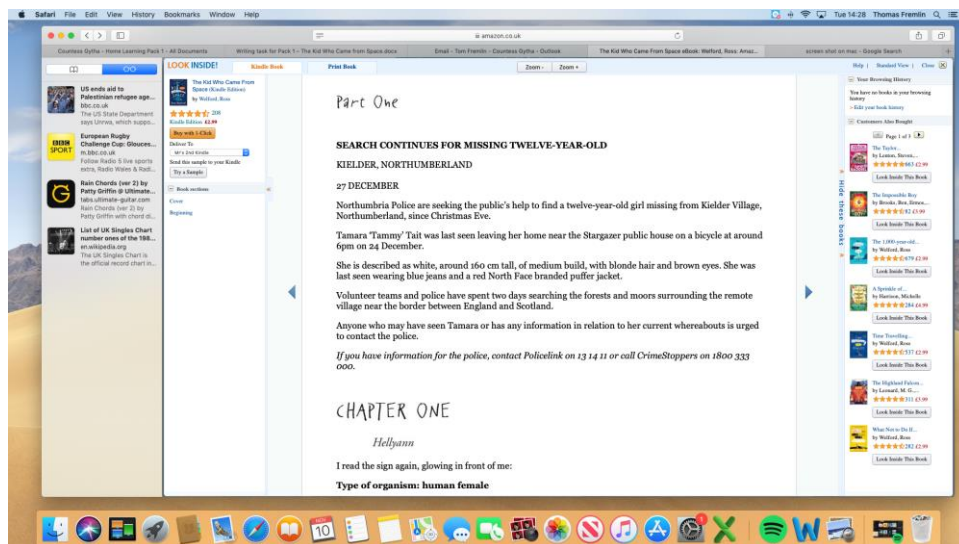
Writing task for Pack 1 – The Kid Who Came from Space (Ross Welford)

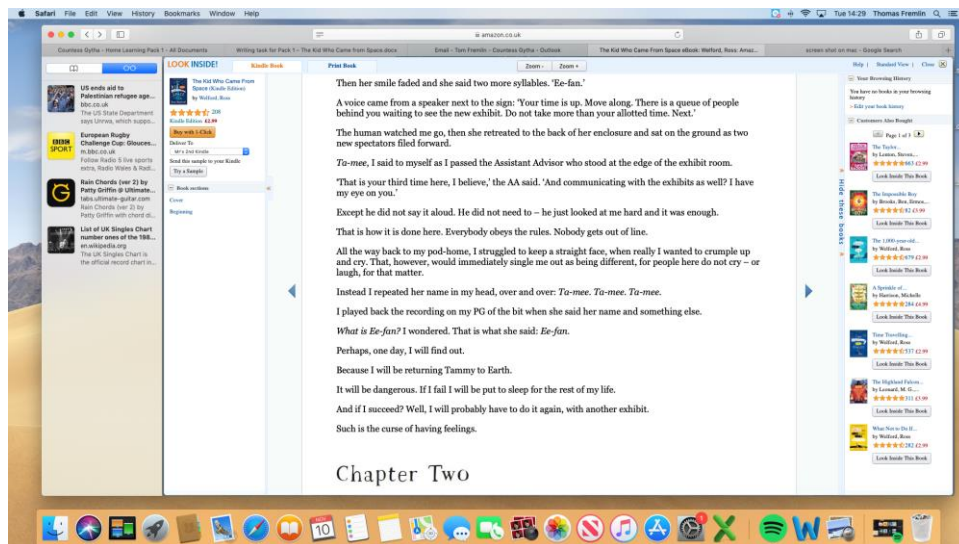
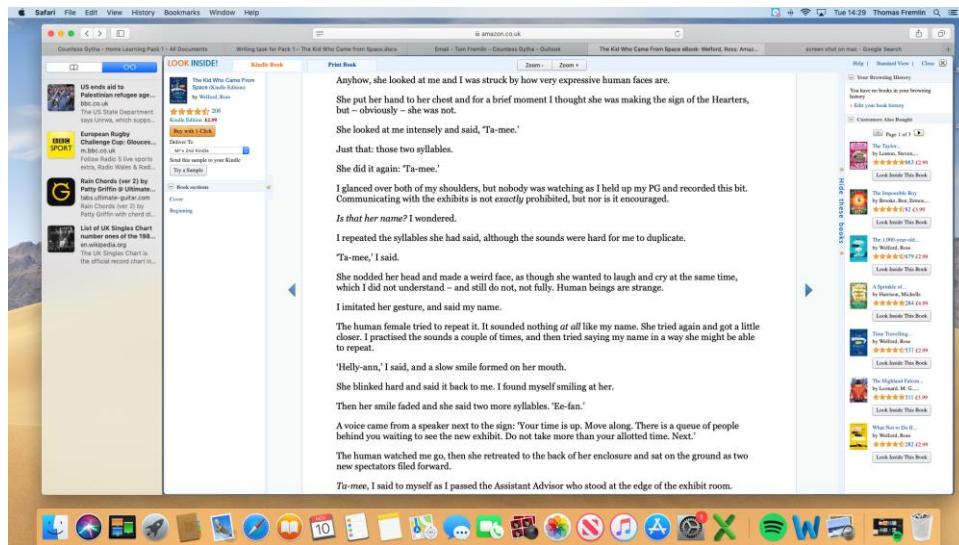
This task is fairly similar to a couple that we have attempted earlier in the year, but with a different genre – Sci-fi (science fiction). This links to another theme in this first pack – introducing the Solar System.

You must begin by reading the first chapter of a book (the title of which is above should you wish the read all of it), which you can access at:

https://www.amazon.co.uk/Kid-Who-Came-Space-ebook/dp/B07SRR5663/ref=sr_1_1?dchild=1&keywords=the+kid+who+came+from+space&qid=1586952935&sr=8-1

If you can't access this then it is a combination of screen shots below (there is some overlap so you'll have to work it out (and zoom in probably):

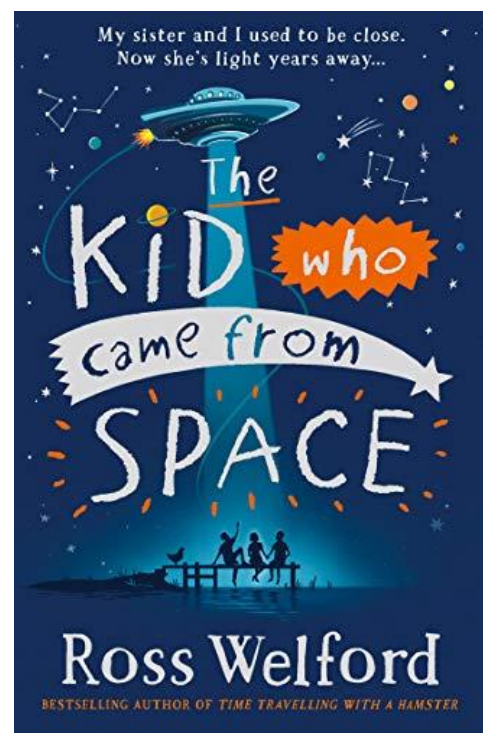




Your task is to write chapter 2 (more if you wish), where our main character (Helly-ann) begins the task of releasing Tammy from the Earthzone exhibition.

You'll notice that the author uses the first person (this is from Helly-ann's perspective in chapter 1), mixes sentence starters regularly and keeps paragraphs very short (to create pace). Dialogue is regular and follows the 'new speaker, new line' convention. You need to stick to all of these points.

The key to a good sci-fi adventure is in choosing an appropriate setting (something in space!) and keeping the action moving. Avoid too much lengthy description and keep your characters on the go. Use lots of -ing starters (like running, flying, crying, shouting); appropriate connectives (next, afterwards, in



the meantime); and adverbials (like suddenly, out of nowhere, unexpectedly).

Chapter 1 began with a police report, so you could even try something similar if it takes your fancy – be creative please.

It is fine to type this piece of work, and might make it easier to submit later on! I expect around 400 words. In the meantime, try reading it to others at home (perhaps in conjunction with chapter 1) and see what their feedback is. Maybe they could write one too!