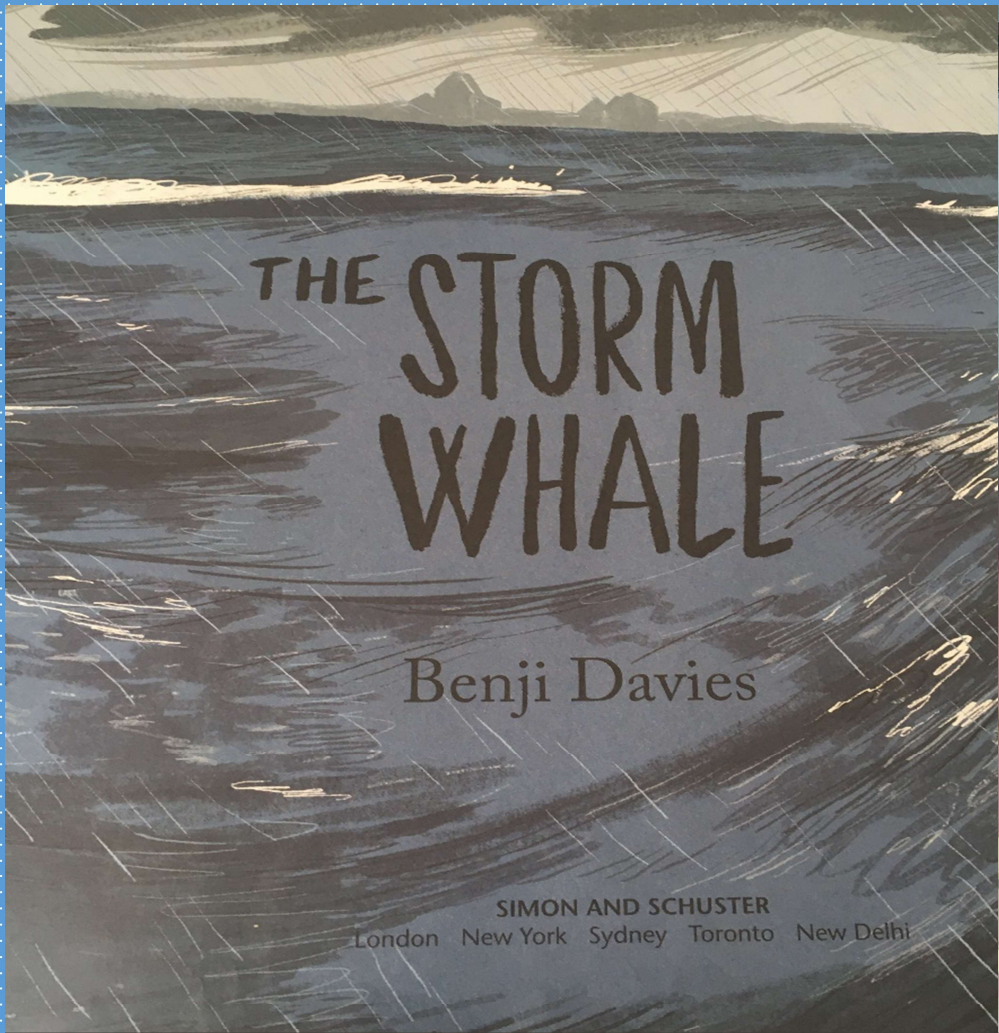


English

Wednesday 8th July 2020

LO: I am learning to use expanded noun phrases to describe and specify.

'The Storm Whale'



Noi lived with his dad and six cats by the sea.





Every day, Noi's dad left early for a long day's work on his fishing boat.



He wouldn't be home again till dark.

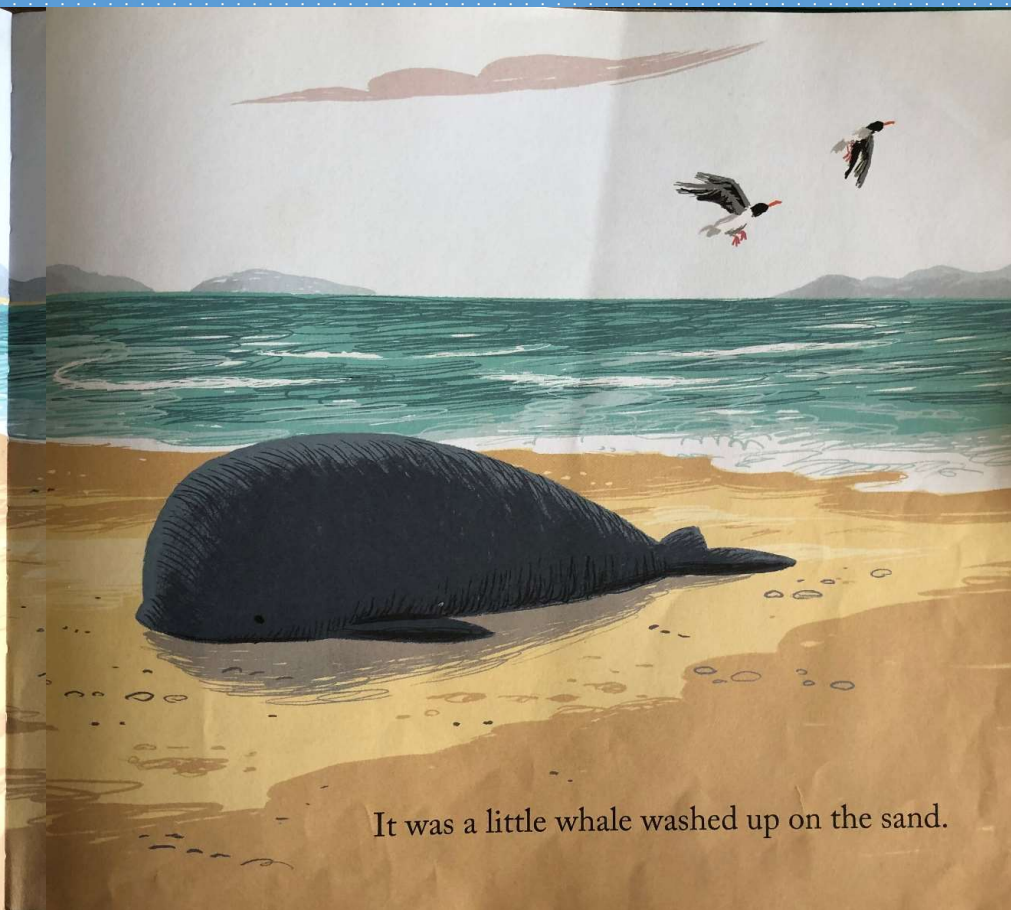
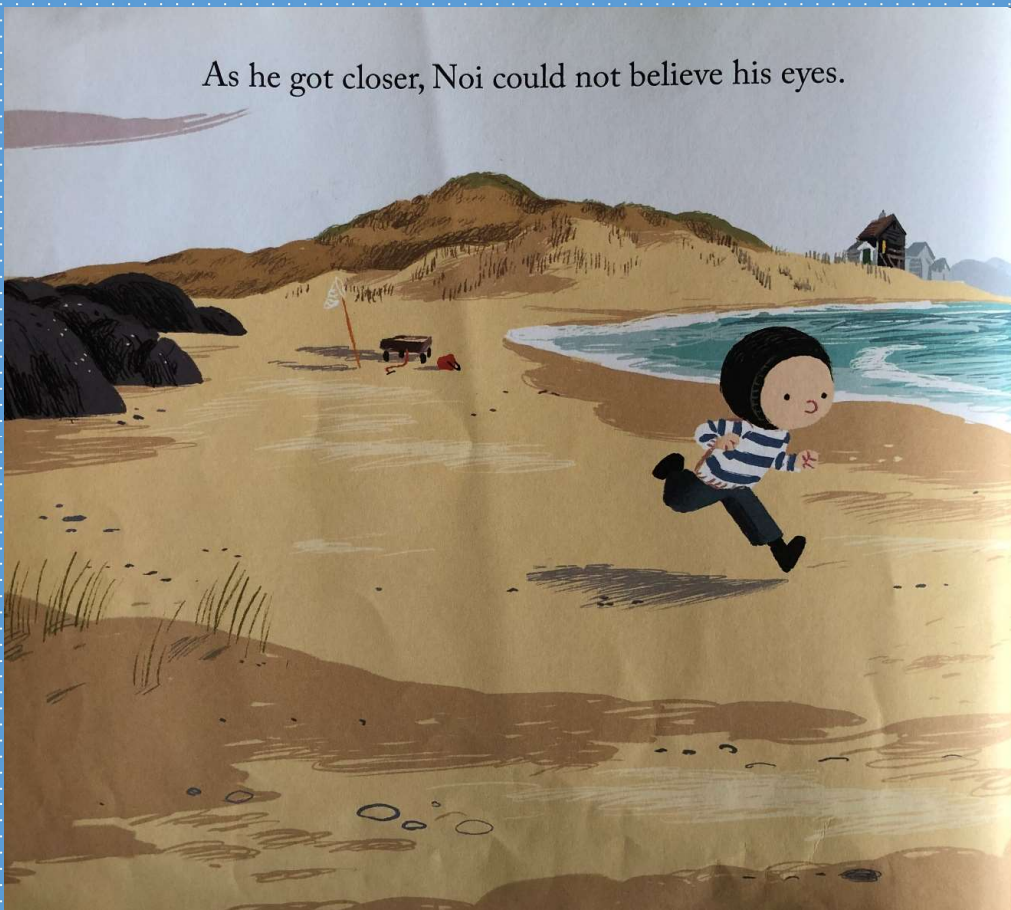
One night, a great storm had raged around their house.

In the morning, Noi went down to the beach
to see what had been left behind.



As he walked along the shore,
he spotted something in the distance.

As he got closer, Noi could not believe his eyes.

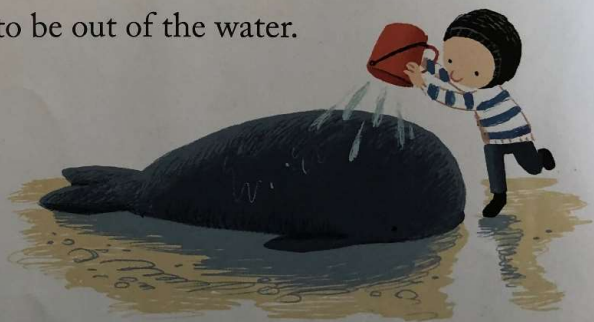


It was a little whale washed up on the sand.

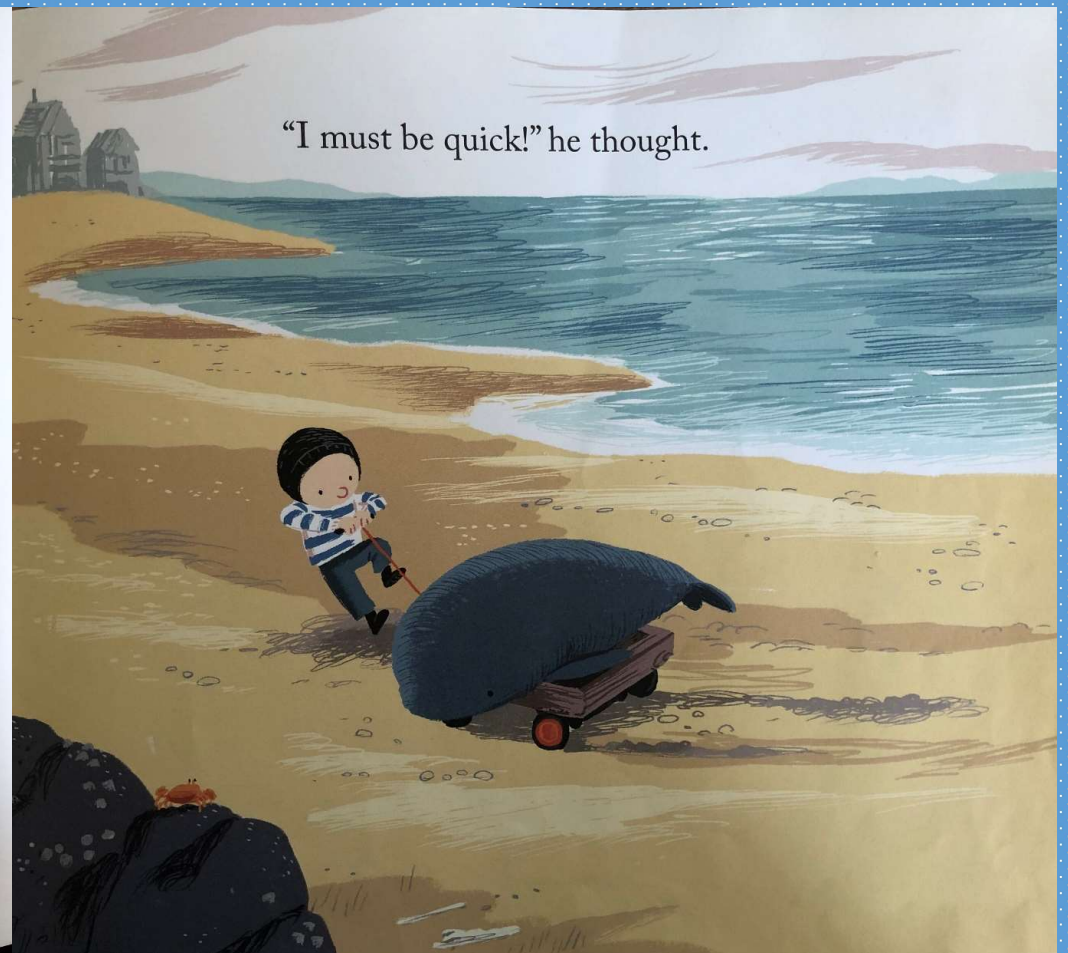
Noi wondered what he should do.



He knew that it wasn't good for
a whale to be out of the water.



"I must be quick!" he thought.





Noi did everything he could to make
the whale feel at home.



He told stories about life on the island.
The whale was an excellent listener.

The night was drawing in
and it was growing dark.

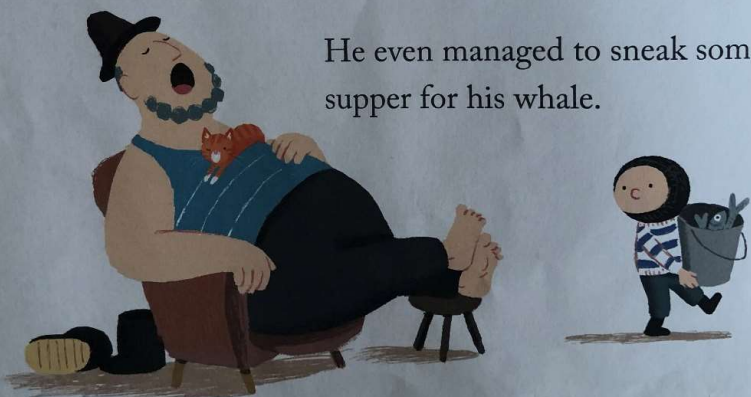


Noi was worried that his dad would be
angry about having a whale in the bath.

Somehow, Noi kept his secret
safe all evening.



He even managed to sneak some
supper for his whale.



But he knew it couldn't last.

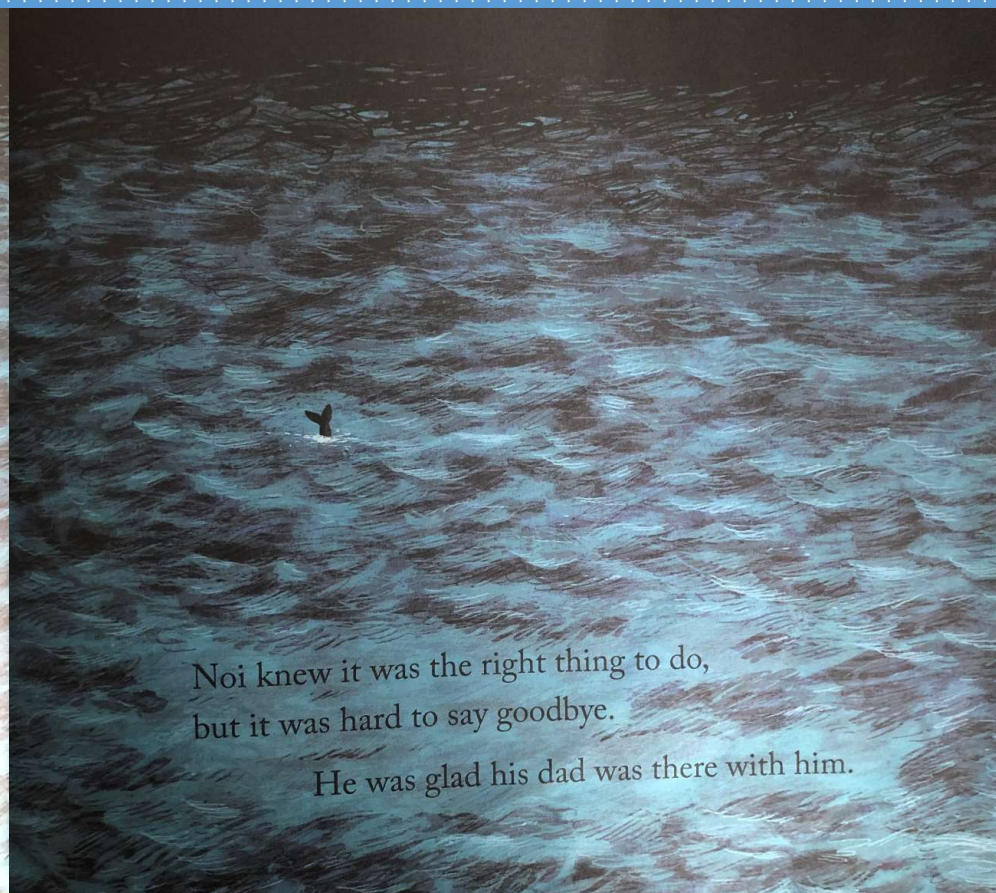
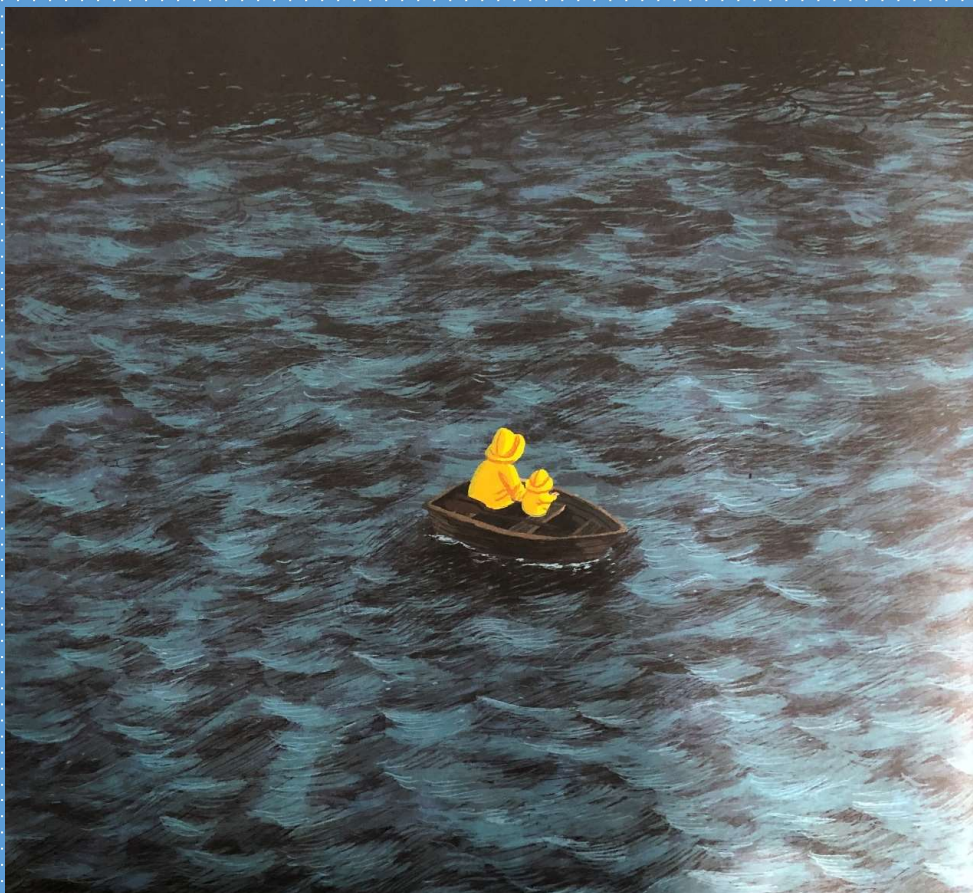


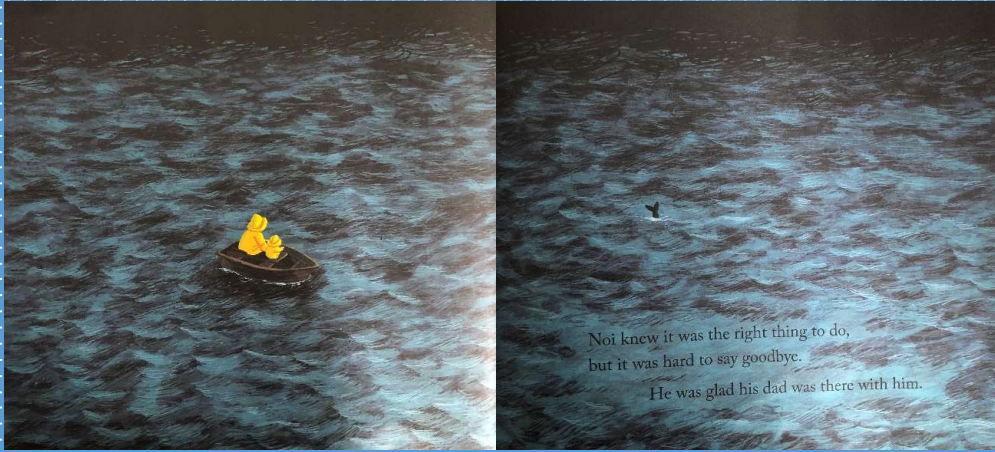
Noi's dad wasn't angry.
He had been so busy, he hadn't noticed
that Noi was lonely.



But he said they must take the whale
back to the sea, where it belonged.







What do you think Noi and his dad might say to each other during this journey?

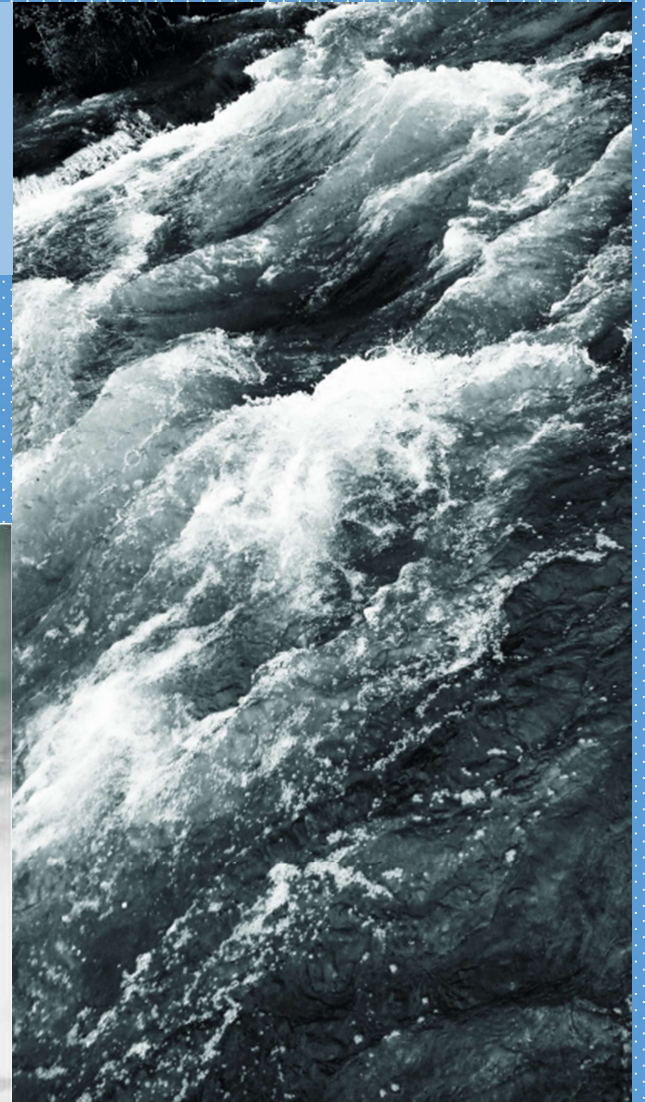
Let's role play the conversation between Noi and his dad.

Think about how they might say things.



*What can you see in
these pictures?*

*What nouns can you
see?*



Tomorrow we will be pretending to be Noi and writing about his journey. We could say that we saw a wave but that wouldn't be very exciting and it might be difficult for the person reading to imagine what we went through.

We need to try and make our writing more interesting.

We are going to need to think of some *fantastic* adjectives to help us give detail.



What vocabulary could we use to describe this wave?

Task

Choose picture cards representing what Noi and his dad will experience on their journey and use expanded noun phrases.

