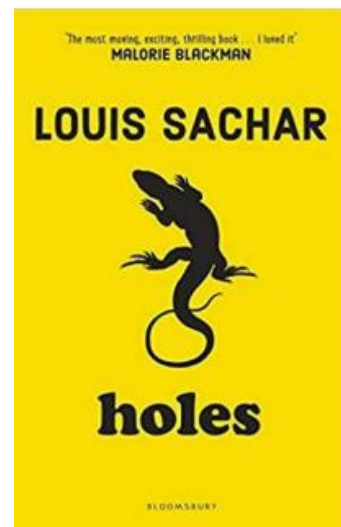


Novel overview for Holes by Louis Sachar

Book Blurb:

Stanley Yelnats' family has a history of bad luck, so he isn't too surprised when a miscarriage of justice sends him to a boys' juvenile detention centre. At Camp Green Lake the boys must dig a hole a day, five feet deep, five feet across, in the dried up lake bed. The Warden claims the labour is character building, but it is a lie. Stanley must dig up the truth.



By the end of this unit, I will be able to:

- Write a diary entry using the correct layout
- Informal letter using the layout of a letter
- Wild west adventure story

Star rating I would give (at the end of unit)



My personal writing target:

Year 5 Grammar that I will learn:

- Formal/ informal language
- Expanded noun phrases
- Rhetorical questions
- Tense past/present/future
- Layout devices including headings, sub headings, columns, bullet points, tables and paragraphs
- Effective adjectives

Sentence type: noun which/who/where

Year 6 Grammar that I will learn:

- Formal / informal language
- Expanded noun phrases
- Fronted adverbials
- Layout devices including headings, sub headings, columns, bullet points, tables and paragraphs
- Tense past/present/ future
- Show not tell

Sentence type: description, which+ simile sentences.