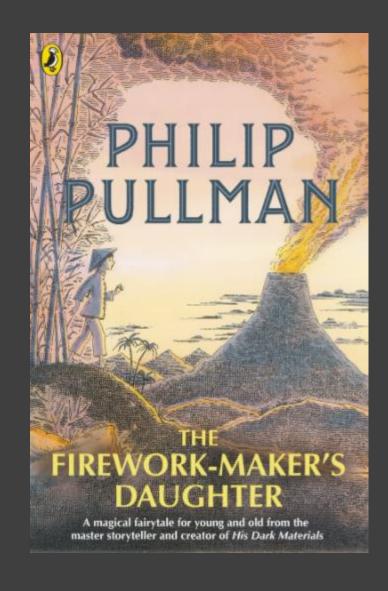


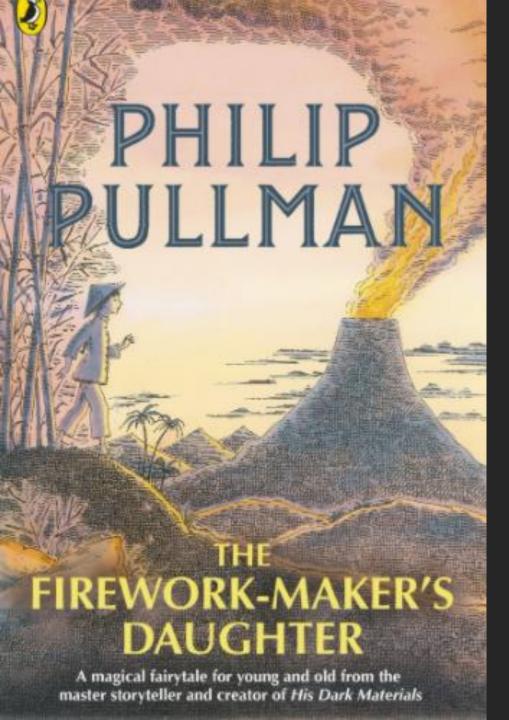
Tuesday 19th January

LO: can discuss first impressions of a novella

Look at the front cover. What do you think the book might be about?

I predict that...





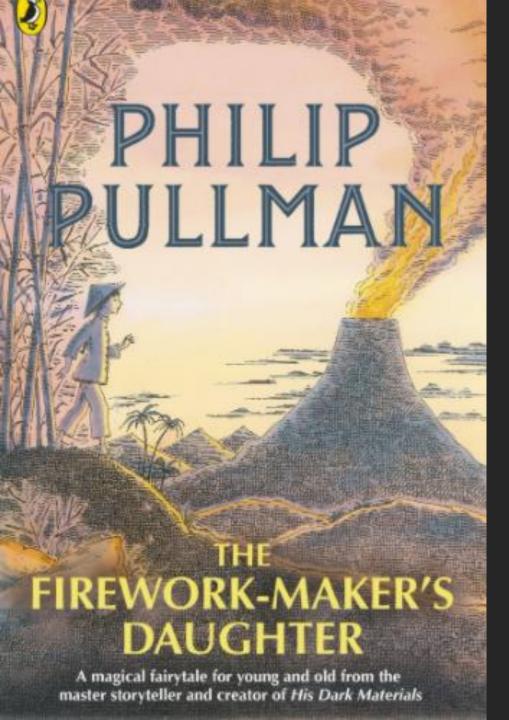
What questions do you have about the novella?

E.g. Where is it set? Who is the figure on the cover?

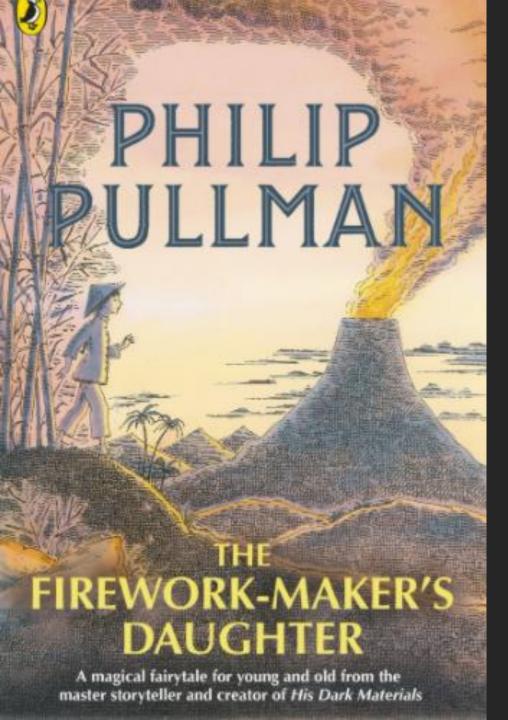
Write down your questions.

Illustrated by Peter Bailey Lila doesn't just want to be a Firework-Maker's daughter, she wants to be a Firework-Maker herself. But although she's learned a lot she still must get through the most difficult and dangerous part of her apprenticeship - and her father won't tell her what it is. In search of this final Firework-Making secret, Lila heads off alone on a journey. It is a journey filled with dangers beyond anything she could have imagined, a journey on which she will learn so much more than the one secret she set out to find . . . This is a book you will want to read over and over again' Sunday Times 'One of those rare books with a confident magic . . . sheer genius' Independent 116, 66,99 www.penguin.co.uk

Now, watch the video of me reading the blurb (the description on the back of the book!)



Now you have listened to/read the blurb, do you have anything to add to your list of questions or predictions?



Now, add any other thoughts you have about the book. E.g. 'I think it's going to be an adventure story'.

'I think it's going to be funny.'

'I like the artwork on the cover.'

Tomorrow, we will begin reading 'The Firework Maker's Daughter' together!

I wonder whether your questions will be answered...!

