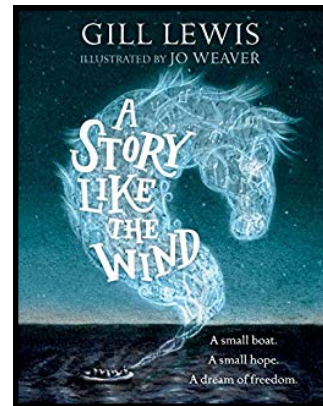


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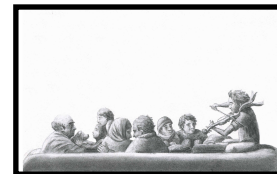
Vocabulary

coltish	energetic but awkward
ravines	a deep narrow gorge, canyon, gully or pass
gullies	a ravine formed by water
yurt	a circular tent made of felt or skins
etched	engrave, carve, inscribe, chisel, score
flanks	the (right or left) side
citadel	fort, fortress, stronghold, fortification, castle
forbade	(past tense of) forbid
billowing	swell, swirl
onslaught	assault, attack, onrush, raid, invasion
jolt	push, thrust, jerk, lurch
ominous	threatening, menacing, sinister



Other Writing

balanced argument
diary
letter
fable
non-chronological report
characterisation
setting



Grammar

noun phrases	determiner, adjective(s), noun <u>a safe harbour, the dark shadow</u>
verbs	action or doing word <u>spinning, lived, cradles</u>
adverbial phrases	a word or phrase that has been used like an adverb to add detail to a verb <u>some time ago</u>
fronted adverbials	an adverbial phrase placed at the front of a sentence <u>Beside them,</u>

Focus Writing

flashback	A flashback is an interjected scene that takes the narrative back in time from the current point in the story. Flashbacks are often used to recount events that happened before the story's primary sequence of events to fill in crucial backstory.
newspaper report	News reports are found in newspapers and their purpose is to inform readers of what is happening in the world around them. News reports have a certain structure that you need to follow.

About the Book

A beautifully illustrated story of freedom, music, and seeking refuge. A small group of refugees is crowded on to a boat on the sea. They share their stories as the boat travels towards the dream of safety and freedom.

Wider Reading

Holes by Louis Sachar
The Journey by Francesca Sanna

Characters on the boat

Rami	main character, young boy
Nor	young mother, wife of Mustafa
Mustafa	Nor's husband
Bashar	6 year old boy, son of Nor and Mustafa
Amani	4 years old girl, daughter of Nor and Mustafa
Mohammad	old man
Bini	Mohammad's dog
Youssef	elder brother of Hassan
Hassan	younger brother of Youssef