



Spanish Armada Recount

Phase 1 Day 3

RECALL:

Question time!

- 1) Which Queen ignored rumours of an invasion?**
- 2) How many Spanish ships set sail for England?**
- 3) Using evidence from the text, give one reason why the Spanish Armada failed to attack England**

Answers!

1) Queen Elizabeth I (the first)

2) 100 ships

3) Either - English Sailors had stronger and more powerful ships, or - The English fleet used Fire Ships to set the Spanish ships ablaze.

LEARNING LADDER AND SKILLS:

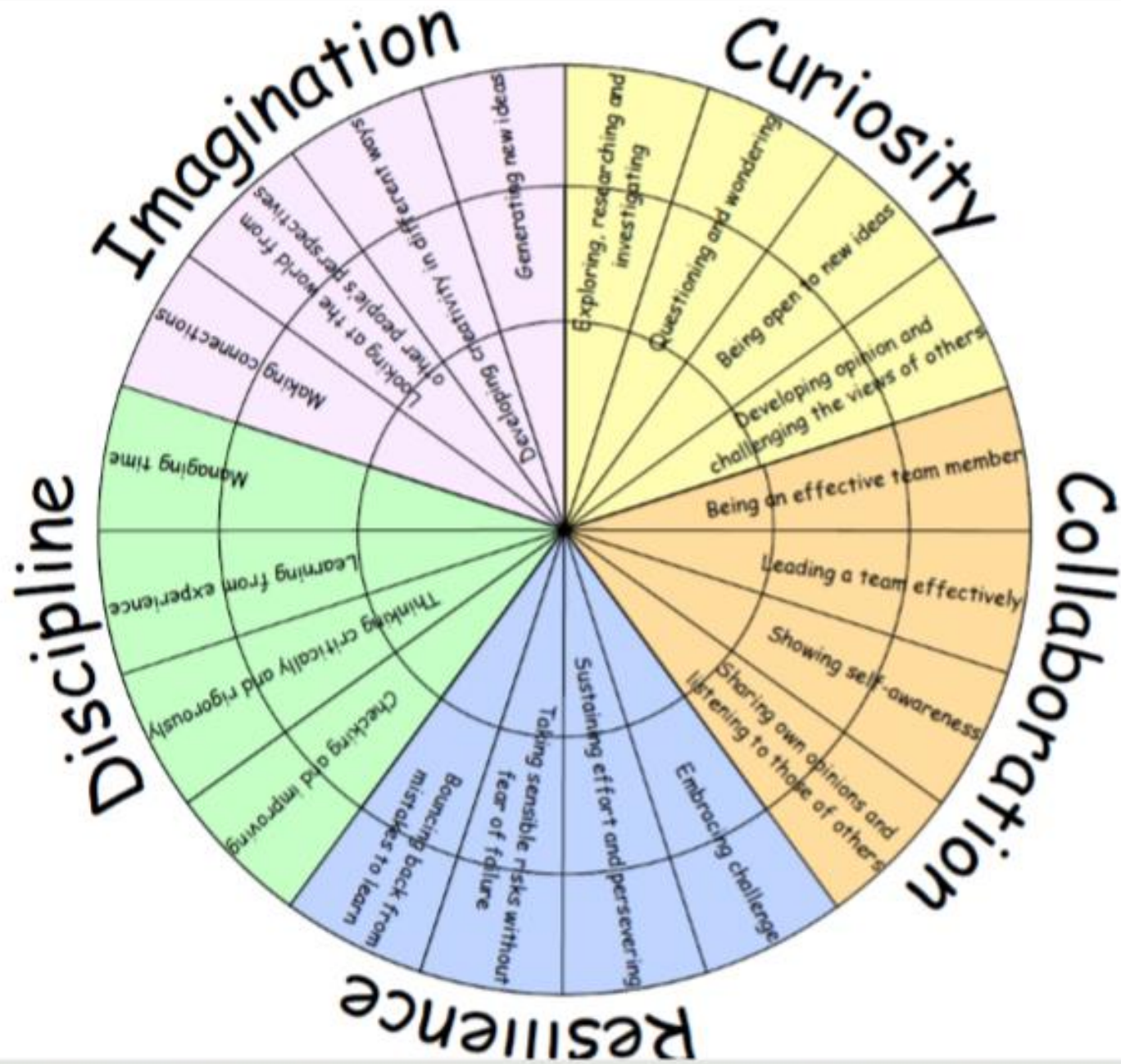
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I can empathise with a character

SKILLS:

Visualising

Deductioning



LEARNING HABITS:

Which learning habits do you think we will need to use today?

READING SKILL:

Using a watch, clock or smartphone with a stopwatch, time yourself reading the text for 30 seconds.

Count how many words you were able to read.

DIVE DEEPER: Visualising task

Today, we are going to imagine we are a sailor on one of the ships in the Spanish Armada fleet, heading towards England. Use paragraphs 3,4 and 5 of the text to help you.

What might you be feeling?

What would you see/hear/smell?

Write a short recount of the event in first person.