

Wednesday 2nd October

Descriptive Writing: My Mead Hall

Write in a complete sentence

As I stepped up to the hall mead hall and gazed around in wonder, trying to take everything in. It was massive with colossal pillars on either side of the door. Burgandy tiles lined the roof, ~~providing~~ making it seem like an oversized house. The gables high and ~~rested~~ nestled at the top of the impressive ~~door~~ structure.*

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I walked over to the gigantic oak plank doors and ~~reached~~ opened them using the golden ~~wooded~~ knockers. Creaking and groaning, the door opened ~~to the~~ and I slipped inside. Gasping in awe I wandered into the room. The vast room was full of Vikings laughing and telling jokes by the fireside as it ~~crackled~~ crackled to each other.*

* intricate engravments ~~too covered~~ nearest table letting all the noise wash over me until I was almost ~~hypnotised~~ hypnotised. As I sat down a Viking near me got up and walked over to the centre and then onto the platform where the king sat surveying the rowdy scene in ~~joy~~ joy and delight.

I suddenly noticed the king at the far end, perched pompously on his throne of gold or silver.* He smiled and nodded at me like a sign I was welcome here. In a trance I walked over to the ~~nearest~~ table letting all the noise wash over me until I was almost ~~hypnotised~~ hypnotised. As I sat down a Viking near me got up and walked over to the centre and then onto the platform where the king sat surveying the rowdy scene in ~~joy~~ joy and delight.

P Once he was up there the king banged his staff-like pole on the floor a few times. Everybody fell silent ~~and~~ immediately and looked up towards the front. As we were waiting for the king to say something I realized how warm it was. I took ~~off~~ my jumper and sat down by the fire as it roared its greeting.

"~~Uk hem,~~" the king cleared his throat ~~the~~ as ~~my~~ ~~and~~

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rug to sleep on. So that was upstairs - where you could sleep!

vb The upstairs **is** even nicer than the downstairs! Lining the ceiling are blue, purple and yellow (the Vikings favourite colours) banners with ~~words about~~ ^{writing about} the community and peace. On the floor rugs and blankets made of animal fur for beds. It all looked so cozy and I could already feel my eyes drooping so I found a nice cozy corner and **settled** down.

I couldn't believe what a great experience it had been for my first mead hall visit. I knew I would come again. As warm and fuzzy thoughts clouded my mind I drifted slowly into a ~~deed~~ deep, deep sleep!

Surrounding one end of the mead hall, were vegetable patches on a huge lake which then gave way to lush forests. At the other end was my village with a couple of woodland areas here and there. I was so excited to see inside the mead hall for the first time...

I could also smell the wood and the whole the soap at stuck to it - and not to mention the aroma of fresh meat wafting into my face.

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② Revise hyphen use

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③ Ensure you use commas to mark clauses