Week 4

Day 1- sentences openers p. 27 Winter turned to summer move time forward

Day 2 – commas for punctuation

Day 3 – comparatives and superlatives p.35 bigger and wider

**L.O. I can use paragraph openers to move time forward.**

These are all paragraph openers taken from *Race to the Frozen North.*

* The first time, I crept downstairs when the house was dark and still, but my bare feet thumped too loud on the stairs and Nellie caught me.
* Next morning, my sister Eliza looked hard at me.
* That night I stepped quiet as a polecat down the stairs, across the parlour to the front door.
* As soon as it was light, I set off again.

Use clues from the sentence to make up appropriate sentence openers for these sentences from *Escape to the North.*

1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ when I found Kennard Wharf. My legs were aching after trudging the streets throughout the day.
2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and the dockside became quiet, I stopped by the biggest ship I could find.
3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ out of Baltimore and I think I loved travelling on the ship *The Katie Hines.*
4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and I think I had found my home; six months on and I had found my family.
5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ I could steer the ship across any ocean.
6. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, we sailed to Murmansk, in the far north of Russia.
7. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, I spent the morning up in the rigging and it wasn’t until midday that I thought I hadn’t seen the captain on his rounds that morning.
8. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, Captain Childs opened his eyes and tried to sit up.
9. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ as I had reached the United States, I knew my plans would never work.
10. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ I was sorting new stock in the supply room and my life seemed fine.

Extension:

Write about your day, using time openers to move the chronology of the day forward.