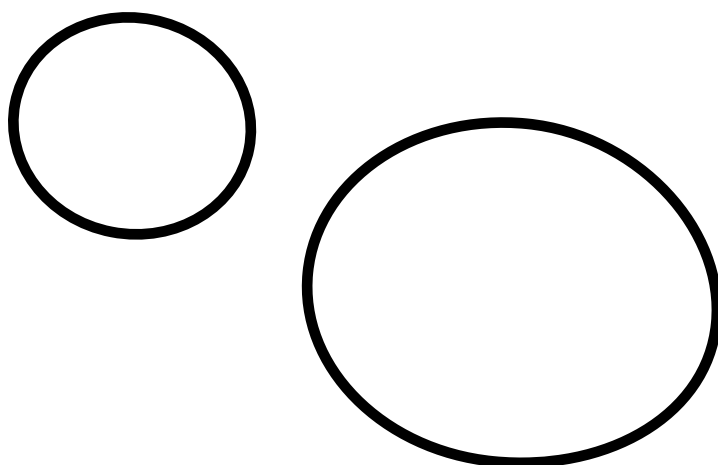


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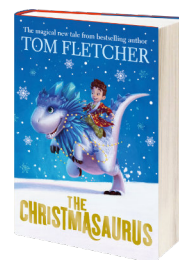
Now look at this extract from *The Christmasaurus*. Read the text, and using your triplus fineliners, circle all the adjectives (describing words) in red, the verbs (doing words) in blue, and proper nouns (naming words) in green. Once complete, check your answers with your teacher.

Now imagine an enormous front door made of thick, chunky pine, with a gleaming door knocker shaped like a snowflake made of solid, unbreakable ice. Leading to the door, there *used* to be a knobbly cobblestone path, but it was so hard for the elves to walk on that Santa had it replaced with a toboggan run. Now the elves zoom down to the front door on miniature sledges.

On either side of the toboggan run, imagine a sprawling garden, jam-packed full of snow-covered Christmas trees.

This is the North Pole Snow Ranch.

It's where Santa lives, right at the centre of the North Pole.



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