

## Chat it up

Show what you know! Consider the following strategies to complete the writing task:

- Copy the headline onto the top of your report (use the same headline as in the task).
- Use the inverted pyramid model to write your news report:
  - Start with the lead information (who, what, where, when). These are the most important facts.
  - Give important facts (why, how).
  - End with subsequent paragraphs (further details, quotes).
  - Remember that each paragraph is short (1 to 3 sentences). Choose your words carefully and be concise.

Remember that a NEWS REPORT needs to include the following key features:

Base your news report on the headline and picture given

Make up the facts and information, answering all of the questions: Who? What? Where? When? Why? How?

