

Get It WriteSession 4

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Training Overview



Session 1: 'Stimulate & Generate'

30.9.22: 9am – 12pm

 Exploration of and practical approaches to developing talk and spoken language to support writing; vocabulary development techniques; drama, role-play and oral rehearsal; effective 'hooks' and writing stimulus, clarity of audience, purpose, form and viewpoint.

Session 2: 'Capture, Sift & Sort'

14.10.22: 9am - 12pm

 Exploration of and practical approaches to pupil planning techniques; teaching grammar and punctuation in context; effective task design; modelled, guided and shared writing

Session 3: 'Create, Refine, Evaluate'

11.11.22: 9am – 12pm

 Exploration of and practical approaches to writing composition; proof-reading, editing and evaluation

Session 4:

9.12.22: 9am – 12pm

Planning, sharing of outcomes, effective task design and variation, reflection & review



Last time....



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Immersion & 'hooks' Generating excitement and interest

Ways in to the text

- · Bag of words
- Slow Reveal
- · Literature Circle-gathering initial responses
- Raising questions developing question skills
- Iceberg Inference



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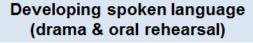
Strategies for developing pupils'

- vocabulary ('warming up the words')
- Shades of Meaning
- Word Webs
- Traffic Light Vocabulary
- Zones of Relevancel
- Best of 3
- Odd One Out
- Diamond 9
- Magpie Walls
- Articulate!
- · Call my bluff!
- · Beat the clock True/False











- Guided Tour A tour of the setting (one child blindfolded)
- Tableaux Recreate the scene/painting and freeze
- Thought Tapping A tap on the shoulder to come to life
- Fast Forward/Rewind Exploring the scene and improvising
- Story Spoons puppet theatre, retelling well known stories
- Helicopter Stories masking tape stage to expand children's stories
- Conscience Alley/Thought Tunnel exploring characters' thoughts
- Press Conference interviewing characters
- Story Circles building narrative together
- Line of continuum masking tape line, 'Strongly Agree' and 'Strongly Disagree'
- ABC Add, Build, Contest
- Table Top Talking Cards Encouraging topic related discussion
- Talk Homework supporting the spoken language curriculum at home
- Chatterbox shoe box discussion





Reading as a Reader (exploring events, characters and topics in the literary driver)



- Tiny Texts
- · 'Cloze' the gap!
- · Read Aloud, Think Aloud
- Role on The Wall
- Book Talk
- Summarise in Four







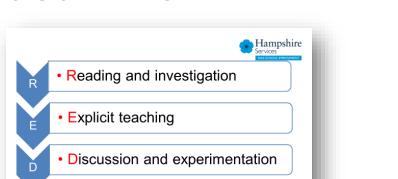






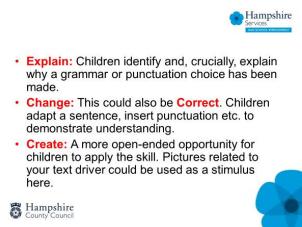
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Making controlled writing choices

(Bearne, Kennedy and Reedy, 2016)

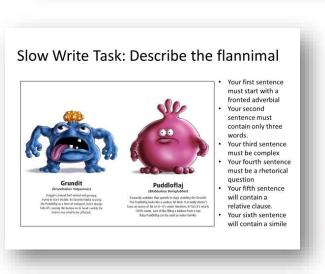




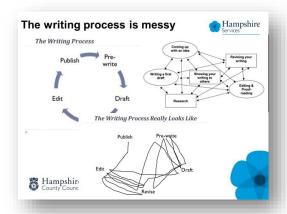
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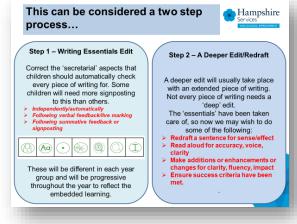


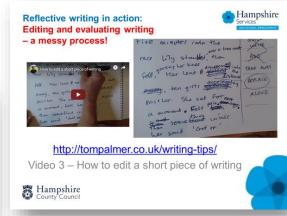


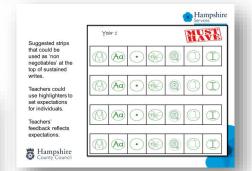


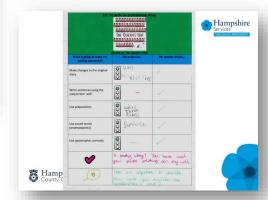
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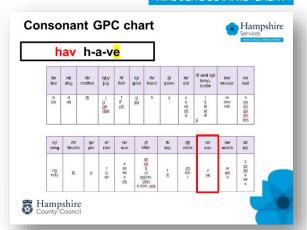








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Share Outcomes Discuss...



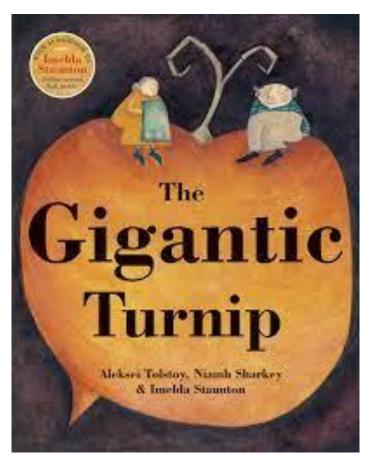
- Impact so far?
- What changes have you made?
- What have you tried for the first time?
- What's been successful?
- What needs further development?





Successful Outcomes & Impact





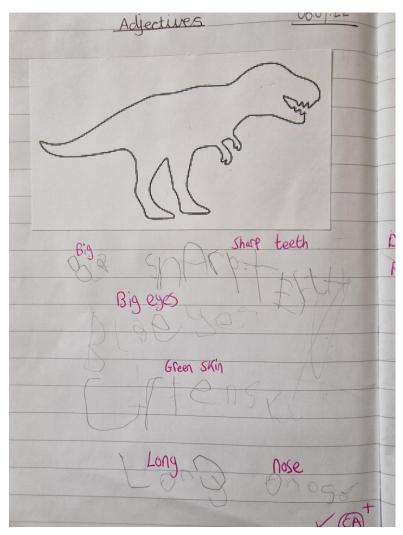
Outcomes from a pupil with SEND and a **Higher Attaining Writer** in Y2 after implementing the learning journey model. The Site of Instruction write was an innovated narrative of The Gigantic Turnip, in the **Autumn Term**

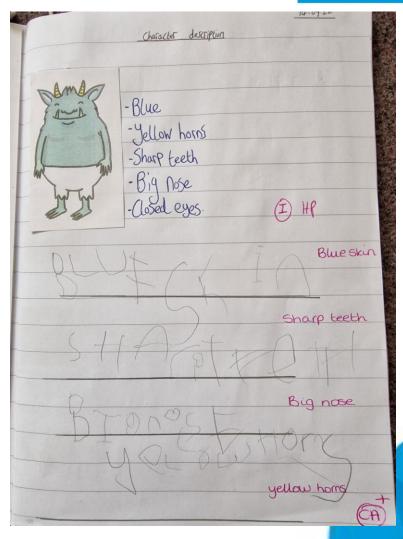


Before Learning Journeys were Introduced



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Learning Journey Outcomes from a pupil with SEND









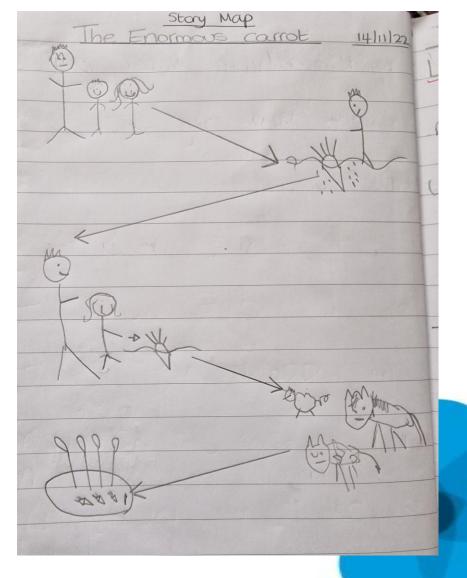




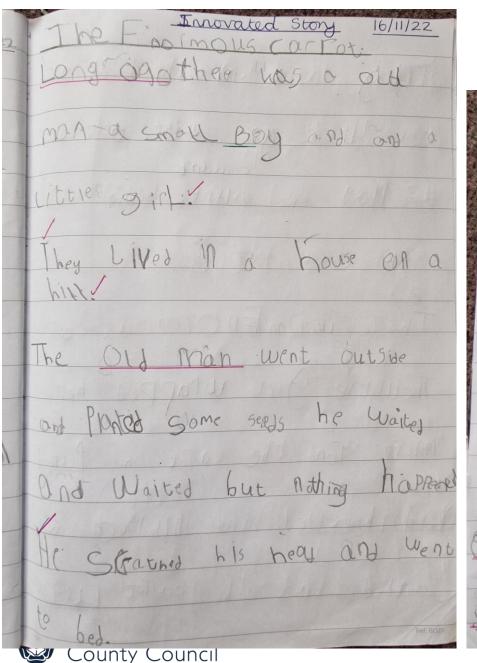


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| | The Gigantic Turnip | Title Story plan 14/11/22s | itory language and idea |
|----------|--|---|--|
| Opening | | The Enormous man Carot Gurland Boy | P |
| dn pling | The character plants vegetables. One grows enormous. | man plants veg corrot grows and grows | |
| וסחובנוו | Character tries to pull it up but it won't move. | man sends girl to pull up the Corrot, carrot will not move. | Q- # |
| | More characters are called to help. | Pick three animals from the story. A HOTSE A COW A Pig help Pull up the carrot | Este March 22 |
| | They turn it into a delicious meal. | carrot cake | in Significant with the same of the same o |







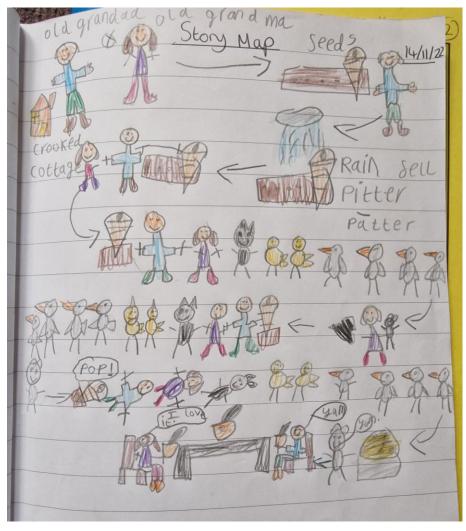


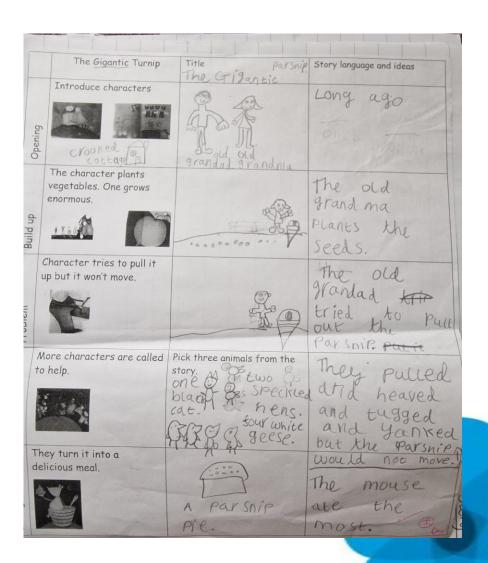
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Learning Journey Outcomes for a Higher Attainting Y2 pupil











OOL IMPROVEMENT 07/11/22 Story Opening regaballs. turips. Land they (Cu) yellow canarles, sive black entse two bellied piggs and and brown cow! O'Blonce sine the old women sat up the & old man and the sresh air. They went our

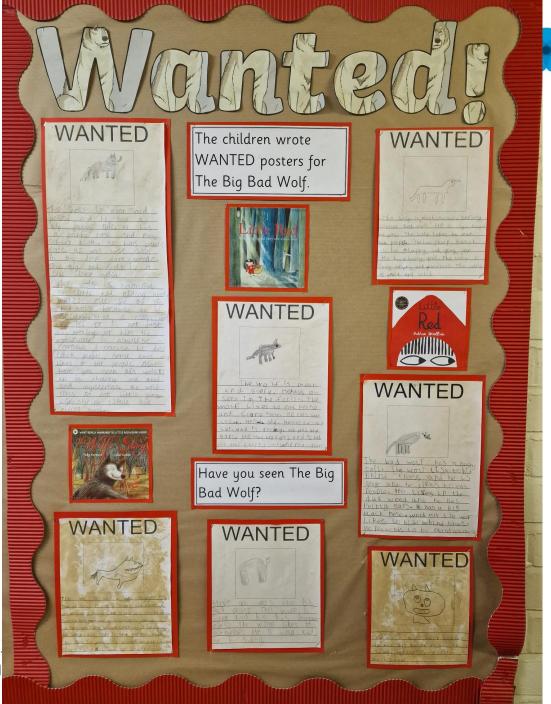


Innovated Story 16/11/22 * One night rain sell The Gigantic parsnip. pitter-patter pl the redg redgaballs grow an old grandad and a one march morning old grandma. They rived with one black cat; two the 1 grandad went speckled hers and sour out side to pull out white geese! They used the redgaballs. Ant the In a crooked old house.

September

One Septeber morning end of the row there It looked big achally it the old grandma went outsis outside to plant Looked gigantic & so the blans and carrots and old grandad pulled and betatoes and last of heaved and tugged and I all they planted parsnip yanked but the parsnip 121

Celebrating Outcomes





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TASK: Y4 Planning Review





| English Planning – Unit Overview – Year 4 – 10 Lessons Audience: Abdul Kazam's audience Purpose: To entertain Form: Setting description Text Driver: Leon and the Place Between by Angela McAllister | | | |
|--|--|---|--|
| Stimulate and Generate | Capture, Sift and Sort | Create, Refine and Evaluate | |
| Vary nouns and pronouns to avoid repetition In narratives, creates settings, characters and plots Use a varied and rich vocabulary Noun phrases expanded by the addition of modifying adjectives, nouns and preposition phrases e.g. the strict maths teacher with the curly hair | Use compound sentences with coordinating conjunctions (and, but, so, or – for, yet) Extend the range of sentences with more than one clause by using a wider range of conjunctions, including when, if, because, although (enrich) Some sentence variation through structure (simple and compound) | Use the diagonal and horizontal strokes that are needed to join letters and understand which letters, when adjacent to one another, are best left un-joined Writing is clear in purpose Use the forms <u>a or</u> an according to whether the next word begins with a consonant or a vowel [for example, a rock, an open box] | |







Challenge for All through Variation













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What is your learning journey?





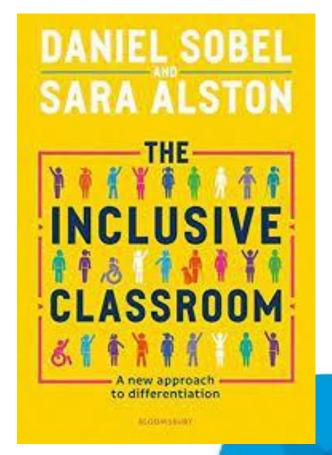
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"I wish I could persuade everyone that most of what teaching children with additional needs involves is simply good teaching."

Daniel Sobel







HQT supports all pupils



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Build an ongoing holisitc understanding of your pupils and their needs knowledge: progression in concepts and skills

Subject

cognitive and metacognitive strategies explicit instruction

scaffolding

group intervention

Complement high

quality teaching

with carefully

selected one to one and small

Work effectively with teaching assistants

Ensure all pupils have access to high quality teaching

SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL NEEDS IN MAINSTREAM SCHOOLS



Education Endowment Foundation flexible grouping

effective diagnostic assessment





Variation is....



'a change or slight difference in condition, amount, or level, typically within certain limits.'

- Resources, support mechanisms, 'toolkits', word banks/lists etc...
- Pupil groupings (mixed ability, individual, pairs, groups)
- Level of support (adult guided, pre-teach, KUCU)
- Level of difficulty, amount of effort, time, length, focus
- > Level of complexity, thinking, metacognition



Vary the support to challenge all



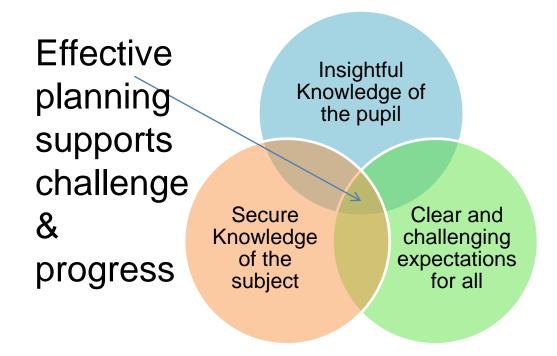
- 1. What is the role of additional adults? How will they be directed? How will they support pupils?
- 2. Which resources will support the learning? What do different children need to help them to access the learning?
- 3. Which children will require some pre-teaching in order to achieve the learning?
- 4. Who do I need to work with in this lesson based on assessment? Do they need further challenge or support? How will I do this?
- 5. Who would benefit from some time to work independently in order to consolidate or transfer knowledge, skills, understanding?
- 6. Which children would benefit from working with others? Who? Consider their strengths, weaknesses, and learning behaviours and styles.





'Hitting the Mark'









How much do we remember of what we learn...?



Listening 5%

Reading 10%

Audio-visual 20%

Demonstrations 30%

Discussion 50%

Practice by doing 75%

Explaining to others 90% (mantle of expert)

(from the National Literacy Trust)









On-going assessment





 Assessment is fundamental – unless we know what a pupil knows, understands or can already do, we cannot accurately know what they need to learn next.

 Informal questions, observations and discussions that occur during lessons help inform our understanding of what a pupil needs.





Teachers as 'noticers'











Planning considerations:

- Task Design of final outcomes
- Independence/support/Grouping
- Choice
- Layers of learning task design and scaffolding of tasks within a learning journey
- Scaffolding and adjustments to tasks
- Wider reading & use of challenging texts
- Modelling
- Use of Talk & Discussion



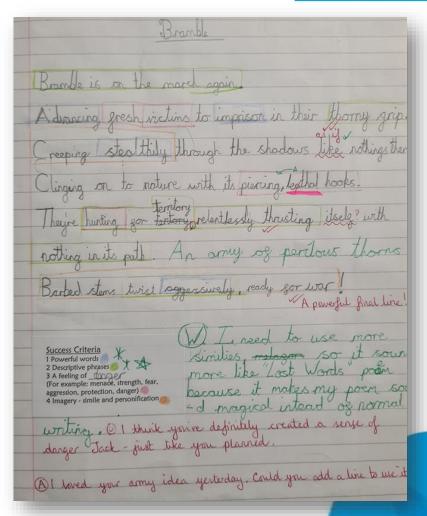




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Task Design

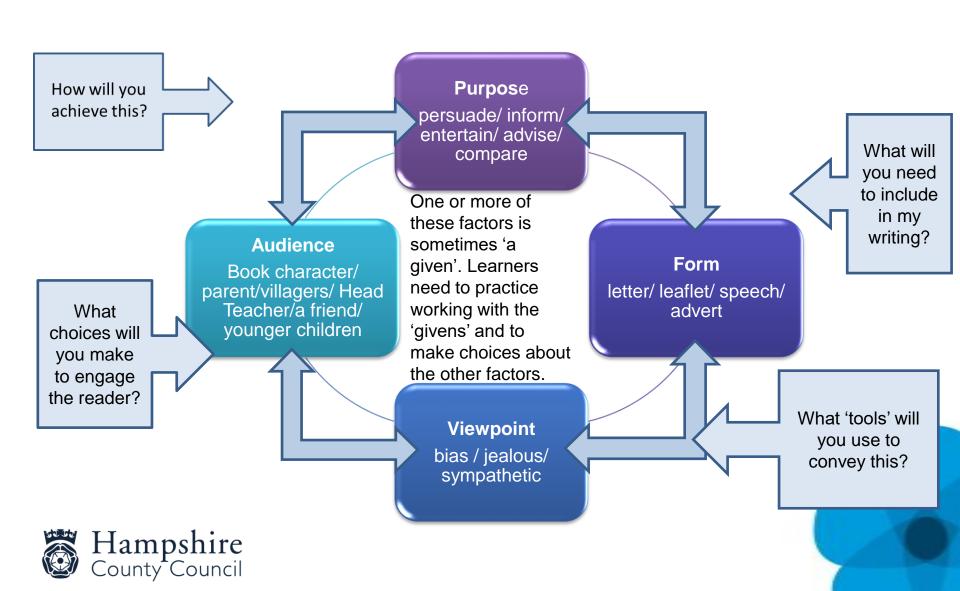
- Tasks designed to enable children to 'show case' their best writing.
- Clarity and variety with viewpoint or purpose.
- Well sequenced and connected learning.
- Rich WAGOLLs
- Creativity and choice.





All writing involves the interplay between purpose, audience, form and viewpoint









I want my reader to think....

The character is lonely, scared, afraid, misunderstood, in danger....
The setting is magical, exotic, dangerous, barren...

I want my reader to feel.....

Excited by Gripped by... nervous about... afraid of....wary of...convinced by...torn about....sorry for... confused by....

I want to convey....

A sense of danger or calm and tranquillity
Power and strength
The truth or suspicion







Poor task design leads to.....

- Early finishers (queues, time wasting, loss of focus)
- Insufficient progress over time (children being taught what they already know or being taught something that is too hard and they can't access the learning)
- Pupil disengagement (effecting behaviour and productivity)
- Insufficient challenge (effecting behaviour and productivity)



Where it goes wrong...



- Red group/blue group/green group a cap on learning, a ceiling for pupils
- Extension through quantity (green group to complete two paragraphs instead of one..)
- Pitching tasks to the middle because it's easier to manage with a wide spread of abilities
- Tasks without purpose eg describe the setting







Vary the task to challenge all

- Creating tasks that will engage, inspire and motivate writers
- Tasks that challenge thinking and foster ideas
- Designing tasks that require pupils to draw upon the relevant learnt writing skills and apply these in new contexts
- Tasks that require pupils to make an effort and work hard
- Tasks that enable pupils to feel a sense of achievement/accomplishment/pride





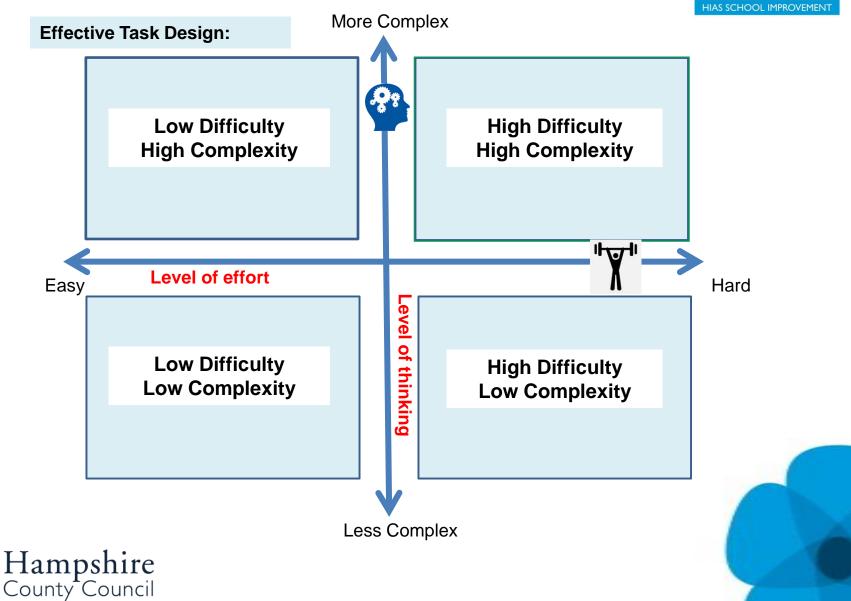


"Unfortunately, some people confuse difficulty with complexity. We like to think of difficulty as the amount of effort or work a student is expected to put forth whereas complexity is the level of thinking... We don't believe that teachers can radically impact students' learning by making them do a lot more work. We know that students learn more when they are engaged in deeper thinking."

(Fisher, Frey, Hattie, *Visible Learning for Literacy*, 2016)







Top tips for 'high complexity thinking' task design



- Create tasks that allow for discussion and that have an element of choice as well as rehearsal.
- Think about the balance between complexity and difficulty.
- Think about the verbs you include in learning intentions: allow children to rank, justify and explain rather than label and identify.
 E.g. 'I can explain the features of a newspaper report', rather than, 'I can identify the features of a newspaper report'

'We get what we ask for, and when we fail to ask for deep learning, it is unlikely to emerge on its own.'

(Visible Learning: Hattie, Fisher

& Frey)



Effective Task Design: Manipulating Audience, Purpose, Form & Viewpoint



Task: Describe the setting



Task Variation:

Purpose:

- To convey a sense of...
- To paint a picture of....
- To provide detail of/about....

Viewpoint:

- Describe the setting through the eyes of...
- · Who feels....
- From a particular physical vantage point
- In the voice of...

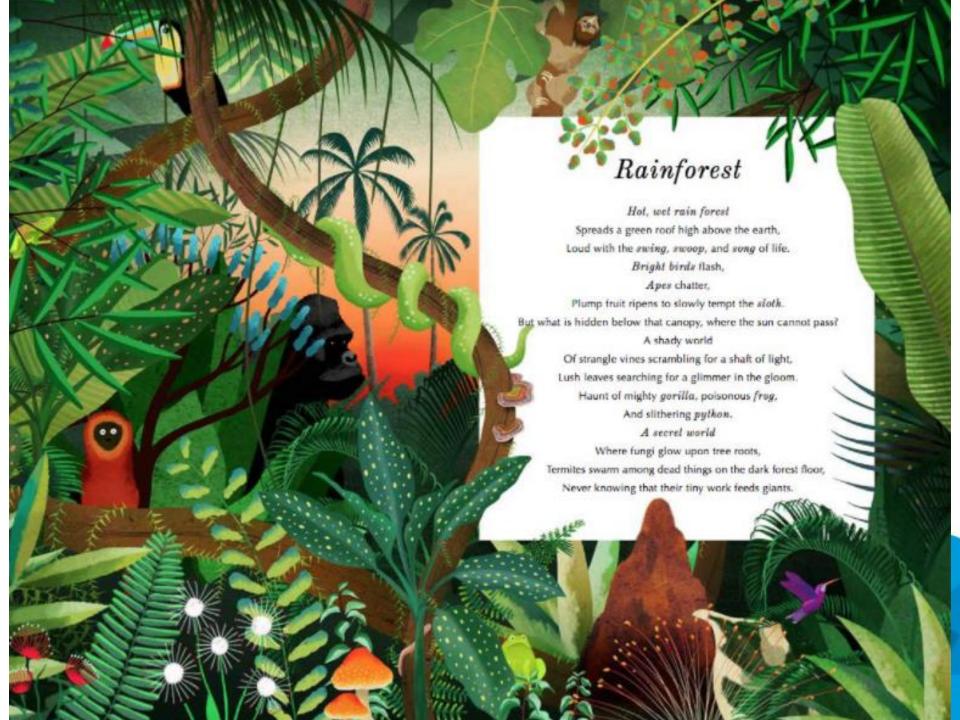
Audience:

For someone....who feels/thinks....

Form:

In the form of...







Task:



 Using the picture and WAGOLL provided, consider a range of writing tasks that you could ask the children to complete in order to 'show case' their best writing in response to this text.

 Manipulate the Purpose and Viewpoint to create engaging and challenging tasks in different forms.



KS1:



TASK: Jump into the picture to explore and describe the animals referenced in the rainforest poem: bright birds, chattering apes, poisonous frogs, slow sloths, mighty gorillas. Use drama to imagine and interpret their sounds and movements to a back drop of rainforest sounds. Find out about these animals through wider reading and explore more images of them. Write sentences to extend the descriptions in the poem to give the reader more detail about each animal.

Outcome:

The cheeky, chattering apes swing through the trees.

The sleepy, slow sloth snoozes on a branch.

The massive, mighty gorilla beats his chest.





KS2



TASK: Use the shady world beneath the canopy to describe the inhabitants and wildlife through the eyes of the slithering python who is on the hunt for food.

Outcome:

Lurking in the depths of the secret underworld, I bask in the heat yet can see no sunshine. Slithering among the strangled vines I slide within the shadows. The dark forest floor is my hunting ground. Coiled around roots I survey the damp, shady foliage. The termites scurry. The poisonous frog leaps. I wait. Hunger strikes.





Layered Learning









Layered learning

Topping and tailing

Finally, consider the extension or challenge for those pupils that have already demonstrated the skill (enrich). (ey skill Consider what you expect the majority (core) of pupils to already know. What would be their next step? Then identify the support or early steps (foundation) other learners may need to achieve the core.

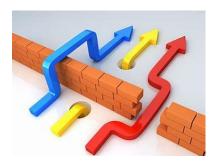
(Sue Cowley, The Ultimate Guide to Differentiation, 2018)











Challenges for you to consider:

- Potential support and smaller steps towards the main objective
- Possible extension and challenge



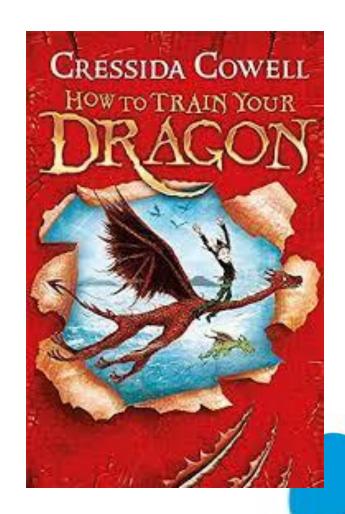


Unit Outcome: Write an additional scene for the text 'How to Train Your Dragon' using dialogue.



Key skill: use inverted commas and other punctuation to indicate direct speech

- Pupils struggling to apply known basic punctuation
- Pupils apply basic punctuation and have an awareness of inverted commas
- Pupils confident with basic punctuation and inverted commas





Key skill: use inverted commas and other punctuation to indicate direct speech



Key skill

Enrich: manipulate the structure of dialogue using the correct punctuation and apply within narrative.

Core: Manipulate the reporting clause to the front of the sentence and correctly use a comma. The stranger shouted, "Look out!"

Foundation: add speech punctuation (inverted commas) to provided text



What might a series or sequence of lessons look like?



Foundation/support



PAY ATTENTION screamed Gobber the Belch, the soldier in charge of teaching initiation.

This will be your first military operation, and Hic-cup will be commanding the team.

Oh, not Hic-cup groaned dogs breath.





Core











Enrich



It was a perilous climb.

(add dialogue here)

The rocks were slippery with snow and the other boys were thoroughly overexcited, making the ascent far too quickly.

(add dialogue here)

At one point Clueless missed his footing and fell – luckily on Dogsbreath, who caught him on the back of his trousers and heaved him back on to the rock again, before he brought the whole lot of them down.

(add dialogue here)





Yr 1 Unit Outcome: write a simple narrative

Key skill: use simple noun phrases

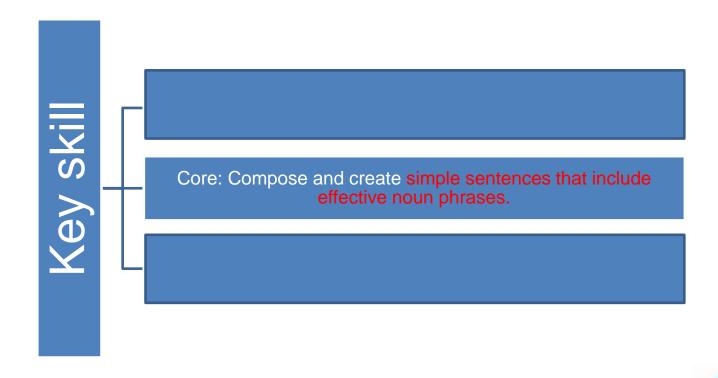
- Pupils are early writers and not secure in applying phonic knowledge to spelling.
- Pupils apply basic phonic knowledge and have a sense of a sentence.
- Pupils confident when applying phonics and write sound simple sentences.





Key skill: use simple noun phrases







What might a series of lessons look like?



Foundation



I saw a _____ .





Core



| conke | pine co | bark | Wa . | leaves 😜 |
|-------|---------|---------|------|------------|
| seed | sano | petals | | sticks |
| gras | soil | flowers | | pebbles 🔯 |
| strav | acori | shells | | feathers 💮 |



I saw a _____ .

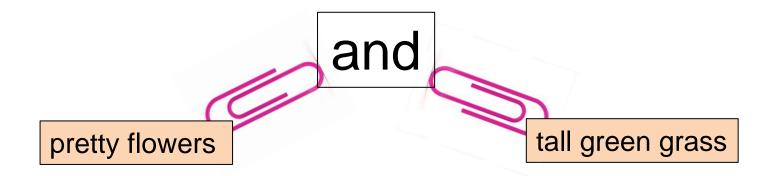








Enrich



The alien saw____ and ____.

He felt _____ and ____ .



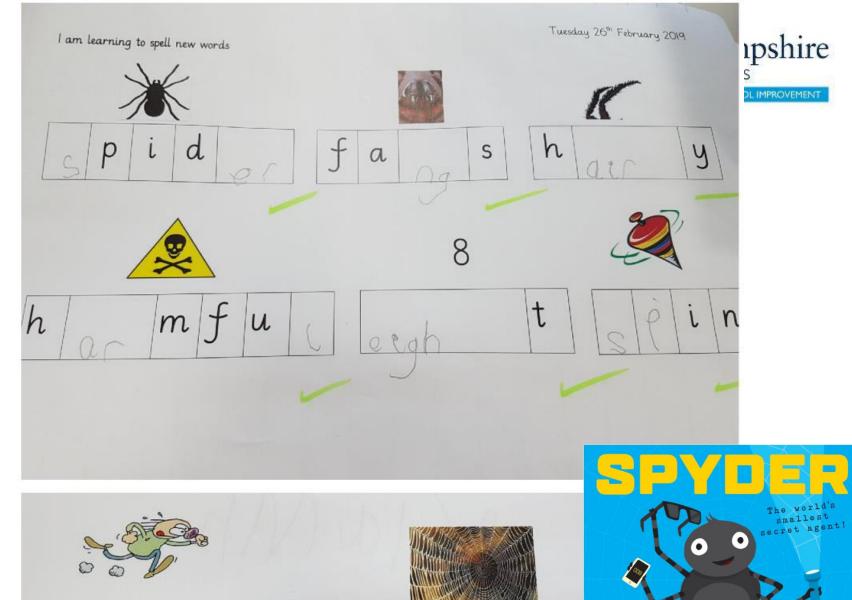




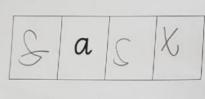
Examples of effective scaffolding to support lower attaining writers



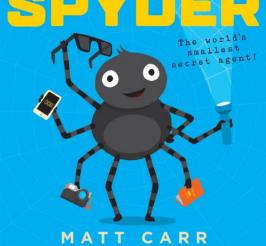


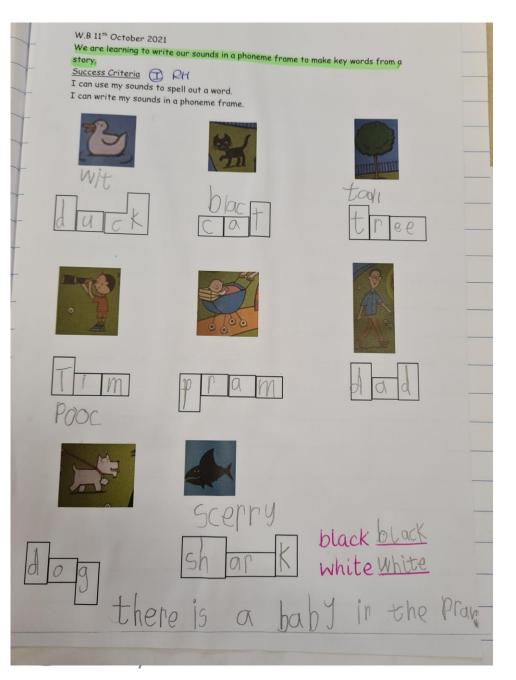






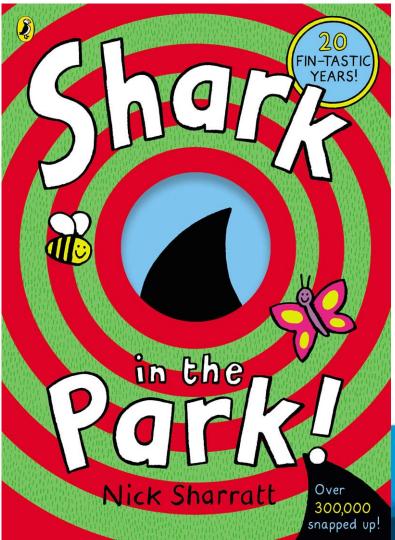


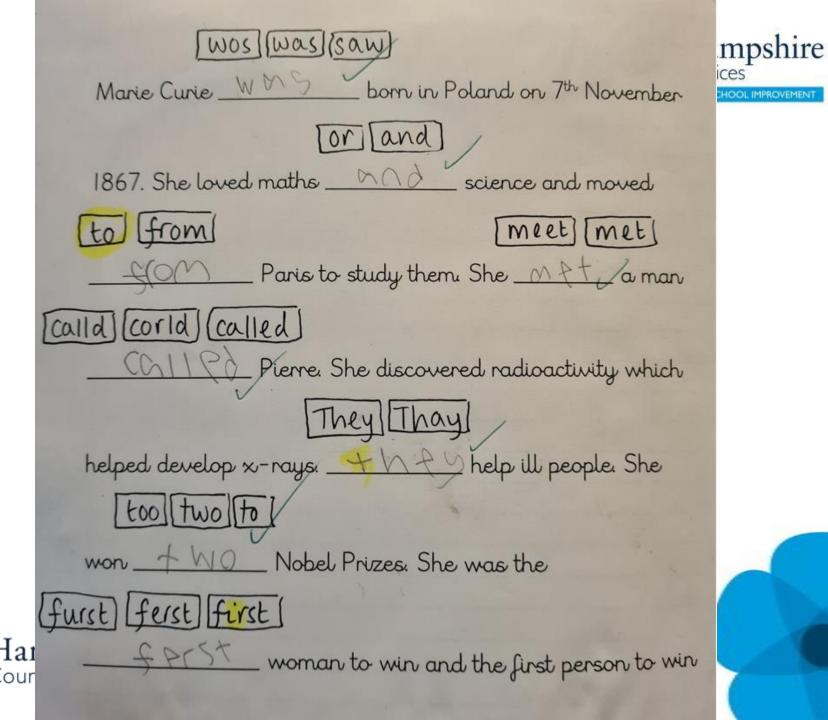




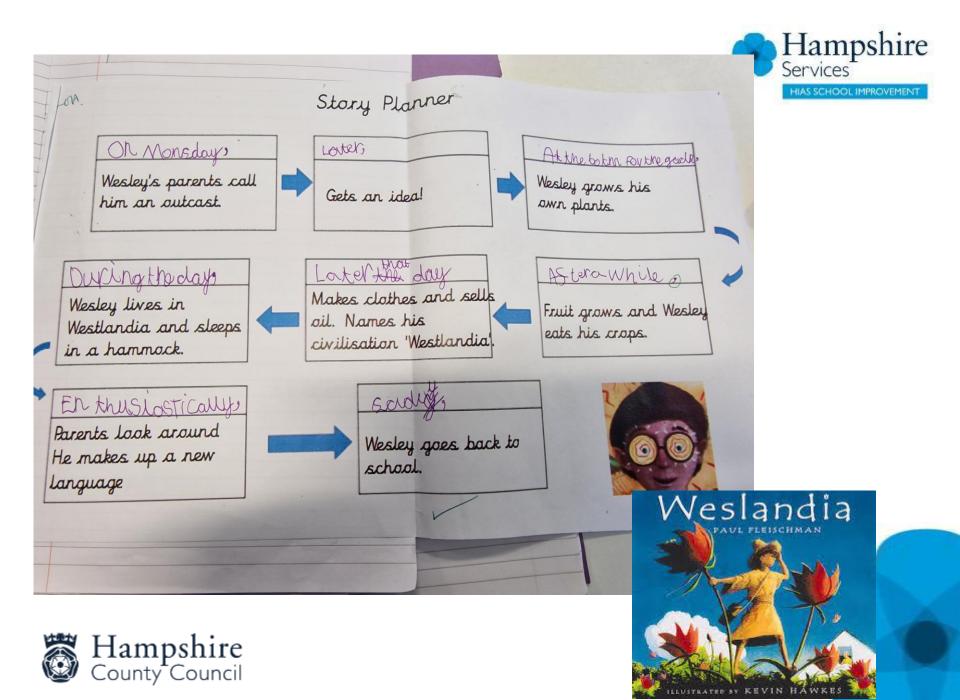


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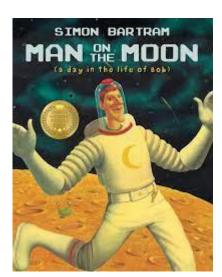




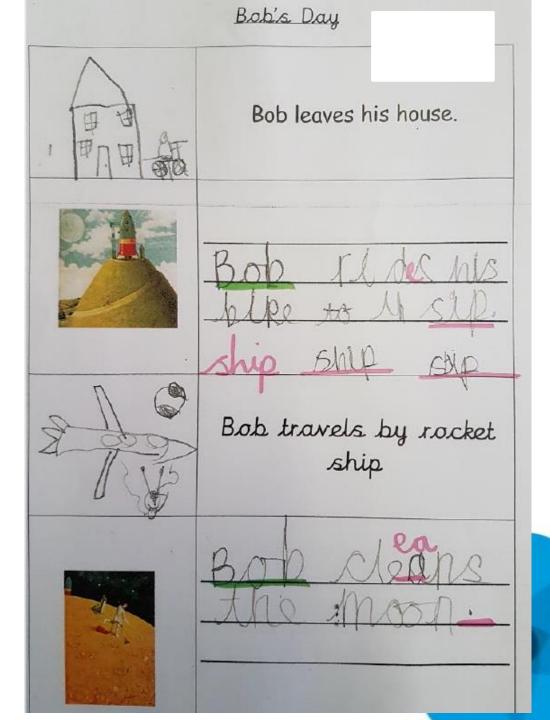




Alternating pictures and sentences during retellings







Recordable devices





Talking tins







Oral rehearsal to support sentence construction.

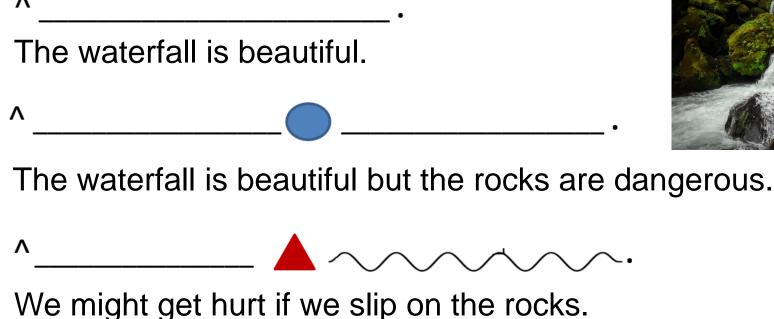








Strategies for scaffolding sentences – sentence patterns



If we slip on the rocks, we might get hurt.

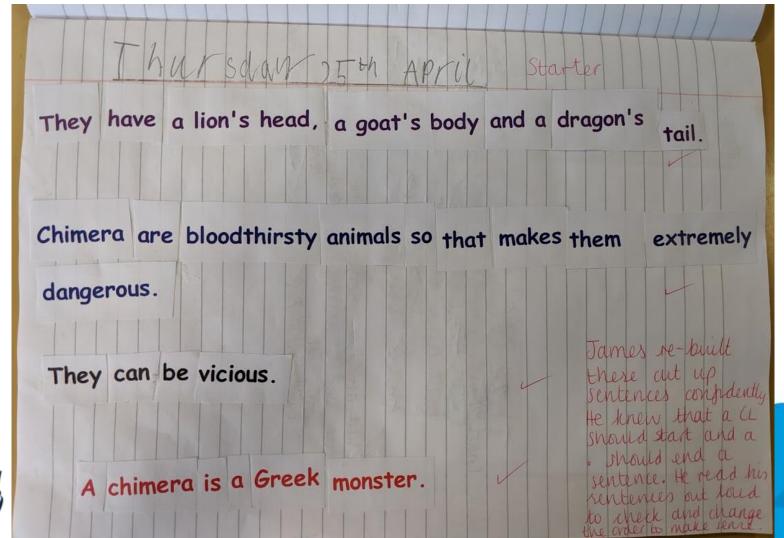
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Unscrambling sentences to build confidence and automaticity







Strategies for scaffolding sentences – *colour coding*





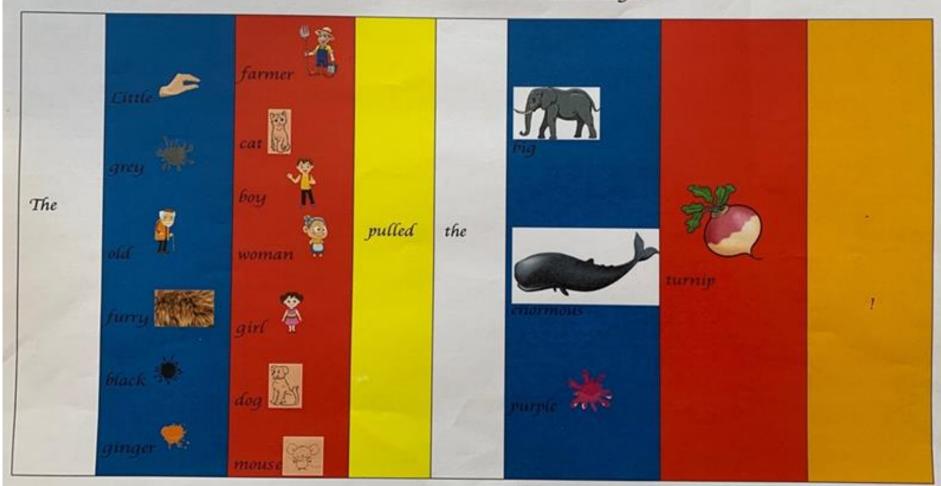


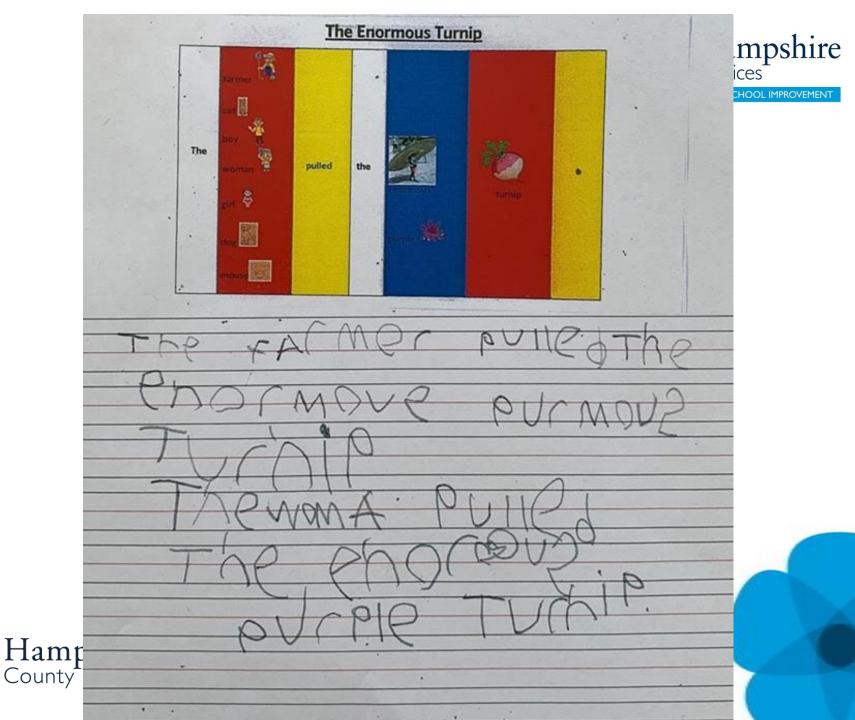


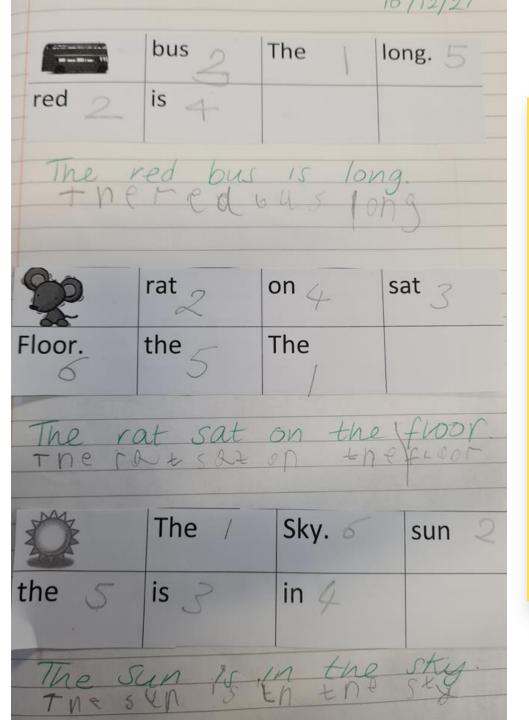
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The Enormous Turnip



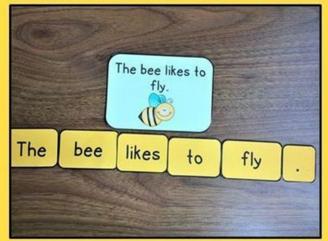






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Task: Inference Sums

Helping children to piece together clues from the text in order to infer deeper meaning





Enrich: Provide the inference in the final box and ask the children to hunt for the clues in the text that led to that inference. Sums can be of different length and the complexity of the text can also be varied.



Core: identify moments in the text where there is opportunity to read deeper meaning, piece the clues together to make an inference.

Foundation: Provide partially completed inference sums, where the clues from the text have been identified, signposting the children to opportunities to read greater meaning, and the children must then independently draw an inference from the clues, completing the final box. A simplified version of the text, or an alternative, stage-appropriate text could also provide variation. Pre-reading and discussion of the text with an adult may also provide the essential first steps for children to access the inference sums more independently.



Task: Double Bubble How could you vary this task to pose challenge and support?

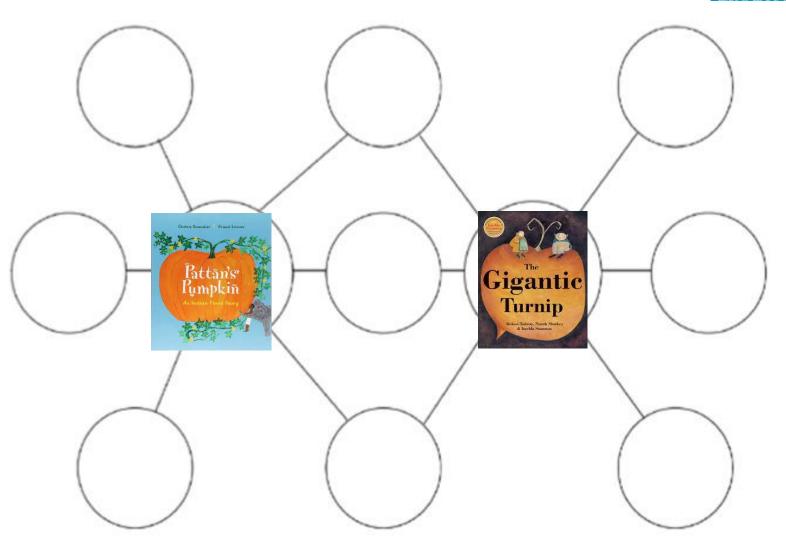


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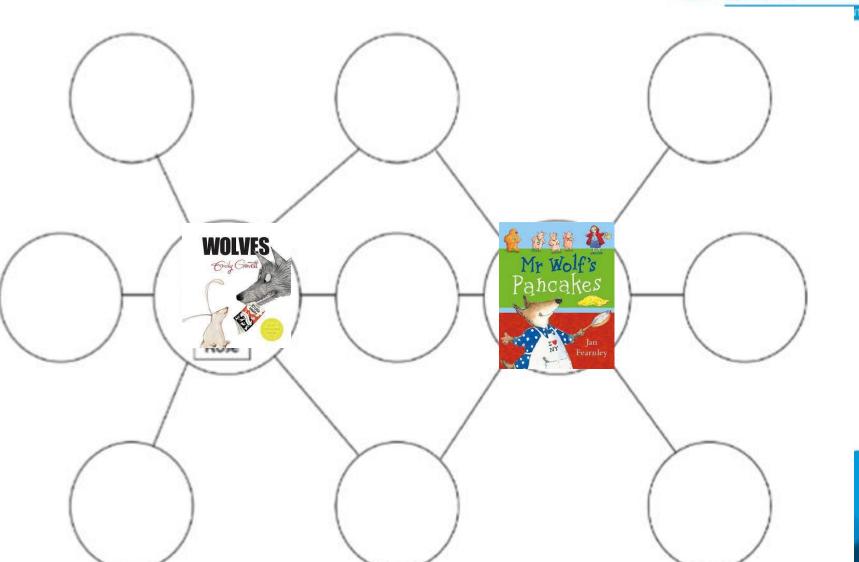






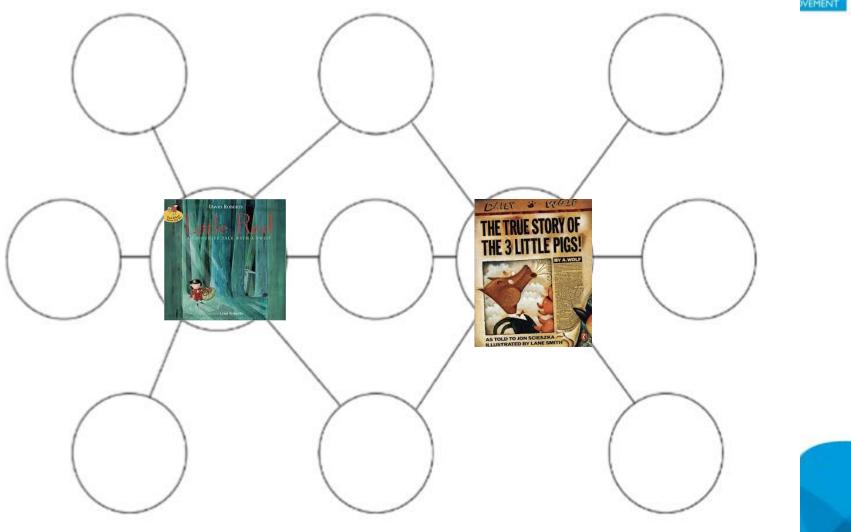














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Task:

- Review your next learning journey.
- Consider the layers of learning within the skills being taught at the 'capture, sift & sort' stage.
- Consider your pupils' needs and stages in learning.
- What will the topping and tailing of the task be?

Key Questions:

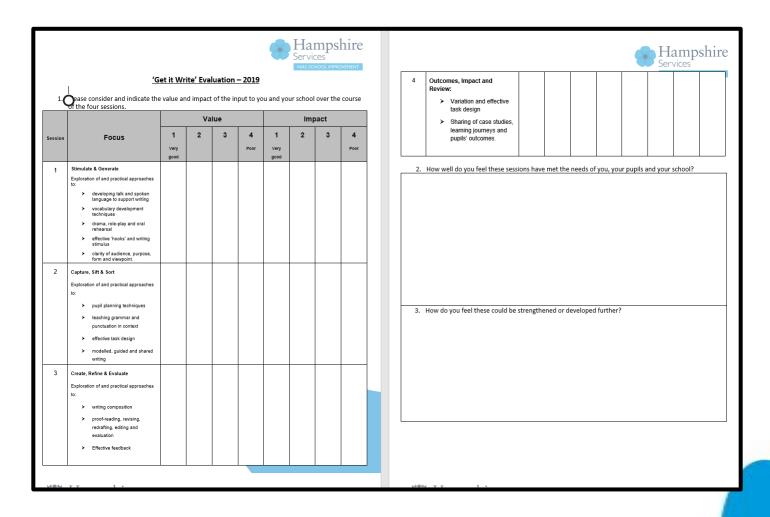
- How are pupils being supported in achieving the learning objective?
- Who will find this easy, therefore what challenge and enrichment to the task is suggested?



Evaluations



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Reflections & Evaluation Services

What am I taking away with me following this session? What am I going to put into practice in my class room straight away?

What am I going to share with others?

What do I need to give more thought to?

Following today, what changes will I make to my own practice?

Is there anything I know now, that I didn't know before?





