



TUESDAY

Tuesday 19th January 2021

WALT: To start to write our own set of instructions



Brain Warm Up: You can choose your brain warm up this morning based on what you think you need to practice.

Capital letters game:

<https://www.roythezebra.com/reading-games/capital-letter-1.html>

OR

Conjunctions:



<https://wordwall.net/resource/44156/english/conjunctions-match-up-game>



Great now our brains are warmed up we are going to refresh our memory. Can you work out which features I have blanked out in the toolkit?




Should:

Things that are essential.

- Bullet Points- Separate ideas
-  Tell us when to do something
- Subheadings- Provide a title for each section
-  Bossy verbs that tell us what to do


Could:

Features that make your writing even better.

-  Come at the start of a sentence and tell us when, how or where.
- Adverbs- Describe a verb.
- Range of sentence types- simple, compound or complex.
-  Join two clauses together. 
- Possessive apostrophe- When something belongs to someone. Ie the dragon's teeth.

Might:

Features that might sometimes make your writing better but you have to make sure they make sense.

-  – When two words start with the same letter for effect.
- Ellipsis (...)



Well done! Here is the toolkit again. Did you manage to work out those hidden features?

Should:

Things that are essential.

- Bullet Points- Separate ideas
- Time connectives- Tell us when to do something
- Subheadings- Provide a title for each section
- Imperative Verbs- Bossy verbs that tell us what to do

Could:

Features that make your writing even better:

- Fronted adverbials- Come at the start of a sentence and tell us when, how or where.
- Adverbs- Describe a verb.
- Range of sentence types- simple, compound or complex.
- Conjunctions- Join two clauses together.
- Possessive apostrophe- When something belongs to someone. Ie the dragon's teeth.

Might:

Features that might sometimes make your writing better but you have to make sure they make sense.

- Alliteration – When two words start with the same letter for effect.
- Ellipsis (...)



Let's look back at the model text...

Key Information about the Yellow Bottom Dragon:

Have you ever wanted to keep a unique pet? The Yellow Bottom Dragon has a distinctive wide mouth full of dagger-like teeth. Due to its lazy nature, you will find them nestled in piles of leaves taking frequent naps. However, don't be fooled by this peaceful picture as should the Yellow Bottom Dragon become hungry its vast wings will start fluttering ferociously and the situation can turn dangerous! Below is how to prevent this from happening.



Reread this first part.

We are going to change this to fit your mythical creature...

You have two options.

OPTION ONE

You might choose to write your own paragraph providing key information about your creature. If you write your own, you might want to use the next slides to check your paragraph

OPTION TWO

If you would like some help follow on from the next slides!. There is also a sheet on the website to help you further.



1. Title.

Write a title at the top of your page.

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How to Feed the



Insert the name of your mythical creature.



2. Subheading:

Think about what this paragraph is about. You might want to magpie my subheading and change the name.



Key Information about the Yellow Bottom Dragon:

Write your subheading now and make sure you underline it (with a ruler).



3. Key information- Rhetorical question.

Have you ever wanted to keep a unique pet? The Yellow Bottom Dragon has a distinctive wide mouth full of dagger-like teeth. Due to its lazy nature, you will find them nestled in piles of leaves taking frequent naps. However, don't be fooled by this peaceful picture as should the Yellow Bottom Dragon become hungry its vast wings will start fluttering ferociously and the situation can turn dangerous! Below is how to prevent this from happening.

Start with a rhetorical question. A question that does not need an answer.

If you are stuck. Try to change the words I have underlined in red below.

Have you ever wanted to keep a unique pet?



4. Key information: Describe the dragon

Have you ever wanted to keep a unique pet? The Yellow Bottom Dragon has a distinctive wide mouth full of dagger-like teeth. Due to its lazy nature, you will find them nestled in piles of leaves taking frequent naps. However, don't be fooled by this peaceful picture as should the Yellow Bottom Dragon become hungry its vast wings will start fluttering ferociously and the situation can turn dangerous! Below is how to prevent this from happening.

Now think about the key features you can describe. Use your work from Monday to help you. If you would like more help, change the parts I have blanked out in orange

Have you ever wanted to keep a unique pet? [orange box]
has a distinctive [orange box] mouth full of dagger-like teeth. Due to its lazy nature, you will find them [orange box], taking frequent naps. However, don't be fooled by this peaceful picture as should the [orange box]
[orange box] become hungry its [orange box]
[orange box] and the situation can turn dangerous! Below is how to prevent this from happening.





You should have now completed a paragraph!
Tomorrow we will be writing the rest of our instructions.

Before you finish today, double check:

- ✓ Full stops
- ✓ Capital letters (at the start of sentences and for names)
- ✓ Question marks
- ✓ Commas



Don't forget to share on Dojo!

