

Term 4 Weeks 1 & 2



	Term 4 Wee	k 1 Tuesday	/ 5 October :	2021	
Time		Activities			Optional
Daily Wellbeing: Comple	ete one of the wellbe	eing tasks from	the matrix (see r	esource pack).	
• Verb,	Cover, Write, Checl noun, adjective sort n words				
Look at this w What do you a What animals Write a descri you might exp golden mane. swatting away Give each an Brainstorm: W are going? Task 2 - Writ Introduction – SETTING: Th narratives tak across a num example, a na the desert. Use a Five Se smell, touch a Use all your io	are there in this pic iptive sentence for e bect to be there. (Ex His paws as big as y the flies of New Yo imal a creative name /hat do you think ha ing: Big Write – Es Setting, characteris the setting locates a se place within a sing ber of settings. The arrative set in a cast enses Graphic Orga and taste in this setting deas to write a parage	us (found at the cture? each animal you ample; Lion- sta my head. The to ork. e. (Example: La as happened and cape from the sation, and moo <i>narrative within</i> gle setting, when setting can sha the is likely to be niser to brainsto ing. graph describing	back of this pac see and add tw anding tall and si ail swished from rry the Lion) d where do you f Zoo d. <i>a time and a pla</i> <i>reas other narrat</i> <i>pe the plot of a f</i> <i>very different to</i> orm what you mig	o more animals trong with its a side to side think the animals ace. Some tives take place narrative. For a narrative set in ght see, hear,	BTN typeracer.com

	Remember to re- read you punctuation.				
	Brain break: Put on you	r best dancing song and da	nce your heart out & Fruit bre	ak	
	Reading Read a book/magazine/newspaper for 20 minutes Choose one reading task from the 'reading matrix' (see resource pack). Reading Comprehension The main idea of a text is the most important point that the author is making about the topic. The details are the key points that support the main idea To find the main idea when you are reading, you can: • read the title and look at the cover for clues • think about and identify the important information • look for repeated words, pictures, information, themes or ideas • ask yourself, "What is the text mostly about?" Read the text title "Honeybees" (see resource pack) and complete a main idea map. Finding and highlighting key details. Remember your main idea statement must not be more then 15words long. Optional: Listen to an episode of Squiz Kids or Kids News writing a summary of				
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ddle	Number Talk Write 10 number sentence symbols to create these eq You can use +, -, x, ÷ or () Skills Subtraction Strateg	Try using a variety of	Mathletics Prodigy		
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	Mariah usually goes to bed at 9:00pm and rises at 7:00am. How many hours did she sleep? A soldier was on duty from 2:00am to 7:30 am. How long was he on duty?	In a factory, a machine ran for 147 days without any fault. How many weeks is this? According to Will's 24- hour watch, he left home at 13:05 and arrived at the base at 23:30. How long was his trip?	Alex's destination was 500km away. So far, he has driven for 7 hours at a speed of 63km per hour. How far does he still have to go? The swimming record was 1 minute and 14.3 seconds. What is the new record if Kate took 1.5 seconds off that time?	
		Break		
Afternoo n	 We have been learning abor Solids). Today we are going Can Matter Change S Have you ever eaten an ice cream have it drip all over your hands? scenario! When ice cream is take (the freezer) and placed into a way experiences a change in its temp change is often enough to make it Adding heat to a substance increation change a solid into a liquid, or a liquid. To experiment with how mat What you will need: Kettle or pot on the stove, we what you need to do: Turn the kettle on an 2. When you see the state 3. Observe to see what 3. Observe to se	a to look how things can character and a tray. a to look how things can character and a tray. b to look how things can character and label the difference of what is happening? M beriment and label the difference of what is can be a completed the difference of what is can be a completed the difference of what is can be a completed the difference of what is can be a completed the difference of what is can be a completed the difference of what is can be a completed the difference of the completed the difference of the complete of the complete the difference of the complete of the complete of the complete the difference of the complete of th	ange. The prime of the top ake sure you use the rent components. t that demonstrates matter	

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	Activities	Optional
Daily Wel	Ibeing: Complete one of the wellbeing tasks from the matrix (see resource pack).	
Morning	English Spelling Look, Cover, Write, Check. Consonant and vowel colour code Pyramid	
	 Writing You have your characters, your setting and you have your introduction. Now to develop your complication. Brainstorm 3 different problems that could happen to your characters. Provide 3 detailed explanations of the problem in 3-4 sentences. (What happens, who does it impact, how do the characters feel). Once you have written 3 problems, select which one you are most excited to write about. Write your problem out, followed by 2-3 attempts for the character to solve the big problem. This should be written over 3-4 paragraphs. All of the paragraphs should be working together to solve and resolve the big problem. There is a narrative scaffolding sheet found at the back of this document to help you. (see resource pack). Editing Complete editing task cards (see resource pack).	typeracer.com
	Brain break: Go outside and look up to the sky. Count how many animals you can Fruit break	find.
	Reading Read a book/magazine/newspaper for 20 minutes Choose one reading task from the 'reading matrix' (see resource pack).Reading Comprehension Complete todays reading comprehension activities (see resource pack).Optional: Listen to an episode of Squiz Kids or Kids News writing a summary of what you listened to.	Reading Eggs BTN Squiz Kids Kids News EPIC pobble365
	Lunch Break	
Middle	<u>Mathematics</u> Number Talk	Mathletics

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Skills Practice: Multiplication Strategies

Introductory	Consolidating	More Challenging
1- to 2-digit (x8)	2-digit	3 or more digits
8x 9	48 x 19	418 x 109
4 x 8	74 x 83	744 x 831
7 x 8	27 x 28	267 x 238
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Maths Investigation: Probability

Introductory	Consolidating	More Challenging
wo out of every three arbles are red. How any red marbles would ou expect to find in a ag of 9 marbles?	The weather report said there was "a ³ / ₁₀ chance of rain". What chance is there that it will not rain? Three out of every four	How many red marbles would you expect to find in a bag of 100 marbles if every twentieth marble is red?
our out of every seven e-creams were nocolate. Predict the umber of chocolate ice- reams sold if 21 ice- reams were sold.	people are children. How many children would you expect to see in a group of 24?	Three out of every four people are children. How many children would you expect to see in a group of 48?

Afternoo	<u>Sport</u>	YouTube: PE
n	Traditional indigenous game: 'Tambil Tambil'	with Joe
	Find out how to play the game in your resources.	GoNoodle

Time		Act	ivities		Optional
Daily Wel	being: Complete o	ne of the wellbeing ta	sks from the matrix (s	ee resource pack).	
Morning	 Spelling ● Look, Cover, V ● Fancy words 				
	 Writing: Today you are going to write your narrative titled "Escape from the zoo". You will need to remember your VCOP skills and re-read as your write. Use all the information for this week's writing tasks to help you. There should be no less the 6 paragraphs. Introduction – 1-2 paragraphs Complication – 1 paragraph Series of events trying to solve the problem – 2-3 paragraphs Resolution – 1 paragraph. 				Reading Eggs BTN Squiz Kids Kids News EPIC typeracer .com
Brai	n break: 5x star jum Reading Read a book/maga Choose one readin Reading Compre Read the text "The Complete the belo	Fruit break			
	Who are the characters?	Where is it set?	What is the problem and the series of events?	What is the resolution?	
	Optional: Listen to what you listened				
		1.	unch Break		

Middle	Number Talk	<u>Mathematics</u> 5 786 253		Mathletics
	What are some ways we can model it in this way? How is this number written Extension : What are some we prove our number did n Skills Practice: Division S	Optiona		
	Introductory	Consolidating	More Challenging	
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	Maths Investigation: Frac			
	Introductory A piece of timber 6 metres long was cut into thirds. What was the length of each piece? Kate had \$20 and spent half of her money. How much did she spend?	Consolidating Zoe's chocolate bar is made up of 8 pieces. If she ate half straight away, how many eighths are left over? The netball game lasts 40 minutes. How many minutes are left if there is only one quarter to go?	More Challenging What was Lee's score out of 100 if she got four fifths (⁴ / ₅) of her words correct? Jacqui's record on her computer game is 412. If she improved her score by half again, what is her new record?	
		Break		
Afternoo n	Import means that Australi products into our country to ourselves. Export means that Australi countries	be used. These are often p		

View this table that shows who Australia's top export countries are in the world. In other words, these are the countries that buy what Australia sells.

Below is a list showcasing 15 of Australia's top trading partners, countries that imported the most Australian shipments by dollar value during 2020. Also shown is each import country's percentage of total Australian exports.

- 1. China: US\$90.6 billion (43% of total Australian exports)
- 2. Japan: \$19 billion (9%)
- 3. United States: \$13.1 billion (6.2%)
- 4. South Korea: \$13 billion (6.2%)
- 5. United Kingdom: \$10.3 billion (4.9%)
- 6. India: \$7.1 billion (3.4%)
- 7. New Zealand: \$7 billion (3.3%)
- 8. Singapore: \$5.5 billion (2.6%)
- 9. Taiwan: \$5.5 billion (2.6%)
- 10. Hong Kong: \$4.7 billion (2.2%)
- 11. Vietnam: \$4.4 billion (2.1%)
- 12. Indonesia: \$3.4 billion (1.6%)
- 13. Malaysia: \$3.3 billion (1.6%)
- 14. Germany: \$2.6 billion (1.2%)
- 15. Thailand: \$2.3 billion (1.1%)

Answer the below questions in your book.

Highlight the countries that are from Asia. What does this tell you about Australia's export trade?

What do you think these countries are buying from Australia? Why? **Extension**

Research the top 10 export products that Australia sells to the world and complete the table.

Australian top 10 exports
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Time		Activities		Optional	
Daily Wel	Ibeing: Complete one of the	wellbeing tasks from the ma	atrix (see resource pack).		
Morning	 Spelling Look, Cover, Write, Che Alphabetical order Upper and lower case v 				
	 Writing: Today you are going to pub either re-write in your neater narrative. You will record you that need to be made. Can you up level and Are you using adject Does your sentence Are you including work 	typeracer.com			
Brain brea	k: Meditation, put some calm	ning music on for 10 minute	s and control your breathing	- Fruit break	
	 Reading Read a book/magazine/newspaper for 20 minutes Choose one reading task from the 'reading matrix' (see resource pack). Optional: Listen to an episode of Squiz Kids or Kids News writing a summary of what you listened to. 				
	-	Lunch Break			
Middle	dle <u>Mathematics</u> Number Talk 643.21+472.83 = What are some ways to solve this expression mentally? How did you decide which strategy to use? How did you keep track of the numbers you added mentally? Which way seems to be the most efficient? Why do you think so? Skills Practice: Addition Strategies				
	Introductory	Consolidating	More Challenging		
	3- by 2-digit 858 + 39 739 + 53 980 + 61 <i>Create and answer</i> 7	3-digit with decimal 858.5 + 392.5 739 + 503.3 980.21 + 614.6 <i>Create and answer</i> 7	<i>Numbers of any size</i> 31 858.5 + 30 092.05 73 613.9 + 50 123.310 91 680.21 + 121 614.9 <i>Create and answer</i> 7		

	more questions of your own.	more questions of your own.	more questions of your own.	
	Maths Investigation: Leng	yth		
	Introductory	Consolidating	More Challenging	
	A carpenter has a length of timber 860cm long. If he cuts it in half, what will be the length of each piece? What is the distance around the edge of the garden 12m long and 8m wide?	Fred drove 38km on his 1 st trip, 49km on his 2 nd trip, 42km on his 3 rd trip and 63km on his final trip. How far did he travel altogether? James travels a total distance of 240km to and from work over 5 days. Estimate how far James lives from his work.	How wide is the garden? There are 21 plants, each with a 50cm space between them and a 50cm at each end of the garden. The front of our house is 20m wide and has three rooms. How wide is the third room if the others are 7.6m and 4.5m?	
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Game: Marker kick Allocate an area to play the game. Each player is allocated a marker which they place in the area. Students should remember the location of the marker. Each player is allocated a ball. The aim of the game is for students to knock over other students' markers but at the same time defend their own marker. If a student's marker is knocked over they must pick it up and run around the allocated area before being allowed back into the game. If you don't have anyone to play with, practise kicking your ball towards different targets focusing on your accuracy.		place in the area. Students should remember the location of the marker. Each player is allocated a ball. The aim of the game is for students to knock over other students' markers but at the same time defend their own marker. If a student's marker is knocked over they must pick it up and run around the allocated area before being allowed back into the game. If you don't have anyone to play with, practise kicking your ball towards different	
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Term 4 Week 2 Monday 11 October 2021

Time	Activities	Optional
Daily Wel	Ibeing: Complete one of the wellbeing tasks from the matrix (see resource pack).	
Morning	English Spelling • Look, Cover, Write, Check. • Rainbow writing • 5x compound sentences	
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	Focus: To view the new stimulideas. Today's task: Brainstorm a examples of brainstorming - Where do you think the cr - What do you think it usual - Why do you think it has co - What do you think its feeli Try and brainstorm a range narrative will be about. <u>Remember: Write a list of w</u> use within this week's writin are using your VCOP skills. VCOP Daily Task Cards Complete assigned VCOP	a range of ideas relating to questions that will help you reature has come from? ly eats? ome up to the surface? ngs are towards humans? e of other ideas, start buildin <u>wow words</u> relating to the to ng task. Make sure the word , vocabulary, connectives, o	this picture. Here are some with your planning: ng ideas around what your pic that you'll be able to ds are exciting! Ensure you openers, and punctuation.	
Brair	n break: 5x star jumps; 10x s	quats; Run on the spot for 2	20 seconds. Repeat twice &	Fruit break
	 Reading Read a book/magazine/new Choose one reading task fr Reading Comprehension Read text "The Wave" (see questions. Optional: Listen to an epise what you listened to. 	om the 'reading matrix' (see resource pack) and answe	r the comprehension	Reading Eggs BTN Squiz Kids Kids News EPIC
		Lunch Break		
Middle	<i>Number Talk</i> There are 56 sheep in a pa Each sheep is either white There are 6 times as many How many black sheep are Skills Practice: Subtractio	or black. white sheep as there are b in the paddock?	lack sheep.	Mathletics
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	Introductory	Consolidating	More Challenging	
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	Introductory	Consolidating	More Challenging		
	Small area 12 cm ² 8 cm ²	Medium area 100 cm ² 30 cm ² 48 cm ²	Large area 1000 cm ² 320 cm ²		
	4 cm ²	48 cm ⁻	480 cm ²		
		Break			
Afternoon		YouTube: PE			
	Go on a 'senses walk.' Ask your parents if you're a	with Joe			
	completely new) and think	GoNoodle			
	feel" (focus on your breathi	ng while doing this).			
		Take notes or draw a picture of what you can see, hear, smell and feel.			
	When you get back from yo Find some inspirational que				
		your quote, you now need			
	you would be proud to han	U			
	While you're doing your po (rainfall, beach sounds, rai	ster you can listen to some	relaxing sounds/music		
	Inspirational quote example				
	Whatever the mind of r	nan can conceive and belie	ve, it can achieve. –		
	 Napoleon Hill Strive not to be a succe 	ess, but rather to be of valu	e –Albert Finstein		
		shots you don't take. –Way			
			e lost almost 300 games.		
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•	Winning isn't everything, but wanting to win is. –Vince Lombardi	
•	I am not a product of my circumstances. I am a product of my decisions	
	Stephen Covey	
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	counts. – Winston Churchill	
•	Never bend your head. Always hold it high. Look the world straight in the eye. – Helen Kellar	
•	Believe you can and you're halfway there. – Theodore Roosevelt	
•	When you have a dream, you've got to grab it and never let go. – Carol	
	Burnett	
•	I can't change the direction of the wind, but I can adjust my sails to always reach my destination. – Jimmy Dean	
•	No matter what you're going through, there's a light at the end of the tunnel.	
	– Demi Lovato	
•	Life is like riding a bicycle. To keep your balance, you must keep moving. – Albert Einstein	
•	You are never too old to set another goal or to dream a new dream. – C.S.	
	Lewis	
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	Fitzgerald	
•	Some people look for a beautiful place. Others make a place beautiful. – Hazart Inayat Khan	
•	Happiness often sneaks in through a door you didn't know you left open	
	John Barrymore	
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•	If I cannot do great things, I can do small things in a great way. – Martin Luther King Jr.	
•	The bad news is time flies. The good news is you're the pilot. – Michael	
	Altshuler	
•	People who are crazy enough to think they can change the world, are the ones who do. – Rob Siltanen	
•	faced the same circumstances and succeeded. – Jack Canfield	
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	reflects it. – Edith Wharton	
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	Schuller	

Term 4 Week 2 Tuesday 12 October 2021

Time	Activities	Optional
Daily Wel	being: Complete one of the wellbeing tasks from the matrix (see resource pack).	
Morning	English Spelling • Look, Cover, Write, Check.	

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	Verb, noun, adjective sortHidden words	
	Focus: To design a basic outline of your narrative based on the writing stimulus	typeracer.com
	Today's task: Use your knowledge of how to build a character to write dot points or create a mind map outlining the basic storyline. Think about who your main character is (are you the monster or a citizen of the city?), what is the complication, what are some ways that you can attempt to solve the problem (pick 3). If you think of any exciting words you would like to include, write them down before you forget! <u>Remember</u> to use your VCOP skills, vocabulary, connectives, openers and punctuation. Grammar Complete todays grammar activities (see resource pack).	
	Brain break: Put on your best dancing song and dance your heart out & Fruit bre	ak
	 Reading Read a book/magazine/newspaper for 20 minutes Choose one reading task from the 'reading matrix' (see resource pack). Reading Comprehension Complete todays reading comprehension text '<i>Giddy Galahs' and complete</i> activities (see resource pack). Optional: Listen to an episode of Squiz Kids or Kids News writing a summary of 	Reading Eggs BTN Squiz Kids Kids News EPIC
	what you listened to.	
	Lunch Break	
Middle	MathematicsNumber Talk70+26 =96Write 10 number sentences/equations that equal 96. Try using a variety of symbols to create these equations.	Mathletics

	You can use +, -, x, ÷ or () Skills Practice: Multiplica	tion Strategies		
	Introductory	Consolidating	More Challenging	
	1- to 2-digit (x9) 12 x 9 9 x 5 9 x 8 Create and answer 7 more questions of your own.	2-digit 82 x 39 59 x 25 96 x 80 <i>Create and answer 7</i> <i>more questions of your</i> <i>own.</i>	<i>3 or more digits</i> 382 x 539 1 159 x 205 596 x 2 380 <i>Create and answer 7</i> <i>more questions of your</i> <i>own.</i>	
	Maths Investigation: Time			
	Introductory	Consolidating	More Challenging	
	Mr and Mrs Jackson spent 35 days touring Asia. How many weeks were they away?	Charlie began the trip at 1:53pm and completed it at 11:30pm. How long did it take him to complete the journey?	The time is now 11:53am on a Tuesday. What time and day was it 27 hours and 49 minutes ago?	
	A racing driver completed each lap in 1 minute 10 seconds. How long would it take him to complete 3 laps?	If we drove for 2 ½ hours at 90km per hour, what distance did we cover?	The time is now 21:09 on a Friday. What time and day will it be in 35 hours and 12 minutes from now?	
		Break		
Afternoon	_	YouTube: PE with Joe		
	This week we are learning a Why Change States?	GoNoodle		
	For thousands of years, humans them better suited to particular Australia used heat to soften na and as a waterproofing agent. T water by stopping it from evapo This scientific knowledge conti			
	process of recycling materials s	es from solid to liquid and back aga such as plastics, metals and glass. S a different states at different tempe oss our solar system.	Scientists also use the	
	Using your knowledge of M	atter, answer the following	questions.	

Circle whether these statements about solids, liquids and gases are	e true or false.
a) A solid will only change shape if a force is applied to it.	true / false
b) The amount of space taken up by a solid changes.	true / false
c) Ice cream is an example of a solid.	true / false
d) The particles in liquids can change position.	true / false
e) Liquids have a fixed shape.	true / false
f) Liquids have more energy than solids.	true / false
g) Gases can spread out in the space they are in.	true / false
h) Oxygen is an example of gas.	true / false
i) Gases have a fixed volume.	true / false
j) Matter cannot change states.	true / false
Extension: Can you research and find any other way Strait Islander peoples change matter for a purpose? achieved this. Hint: Try this website: <u>https://australiancurriculum.edu.au/TeacherBackgrou</u>	? Detail ways they have

Term 4 Week 2 Wednesday 13 October 2021

Time				Activities				Optional
Daily Well	Wellbeing: Complete one of the wellbeing tasks from the matrix (see resource pack).							
Morning	ing Spelling Look, Cover, Write, Check. Consonant and vowel colour code Pyramid							
	Writing: View Focus: To up sentences relation Today's task today's lessor Write 'Creatur sentences, be <u>Remember</u> to punctuation. Up Leveling Complete the <u>Big (example)</u> large enormous huge massive gigantic giant colossal	 level you ate to this Wiew the hear of the total of tot	r simple sen week's Big PowerPoin own 5 simple <i>deep'.</i> You nake them d VCOP skills	Write focus t on <u>comple</u> e sentences ir task is to t escriptive a s, vocabular	on the <i>'Cre</i> ex sentenc relating to then up leve nd informat y, connectiv	ature from es to help y this fortnigh them to c ive. ves, opene	<i>the deep'.</i> you with nt's Big complex rs and	typeracer.com

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	Reading Comprehension Read the text <i>Bats</i> (see res Create <u>4 literal questions</u> re			EPIC
	Optional: Listen to an epise what you listened to.	ode of Squiz Kids or Kids N	News writing a summary of	
		Lunch Break		
Middle	Number Talk	Mathematics		Mathletics
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	Skills Practice: Division S	trategies		
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GoNoodle

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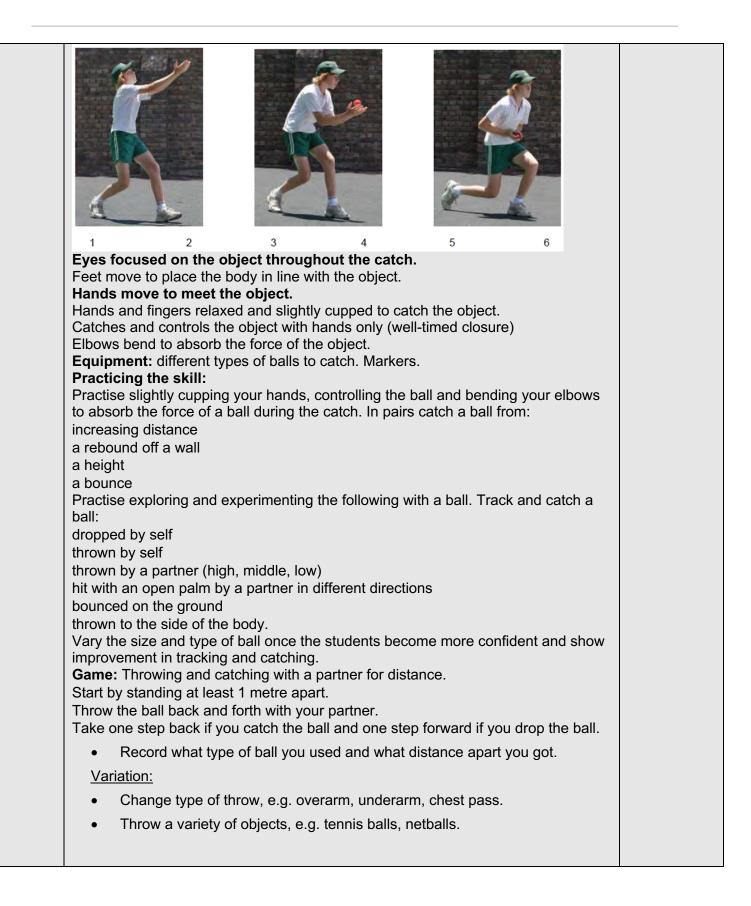
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Morning	English Spelling • Look, Cover, Write, Check. • Fancy words						
	Writing: Focus: Write an exciting introduction Today's task: Write an introduction based around your Big Write topic <i>'Creature</i> <i>from the deep'</i> . Consider how can you make your introduction exciting? You	typeracer.com					

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	Davis has 5 pieces of rope, each 1.4m long. If he joins them to become one long piece, how long will it be? At the school long jump, Jasper jumped 4.4m and Max jumped 3.9m. How much further did Jasper jump than Max?	A stack of books weighs 2.7kg. How much would 10 similar stacks weigh altogether? (Hint: don't forget to include the original stack!) This time last year, I measured 112.6cm. Since then I have grown 8.7cm. What is my present height?	A car travels 8.9km per litre of petrol. How far will it travel on 10 litres? Oliver has 4.5m of rope. How many 50cm pieces can he cut from the original piece?	
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Daily Wel	Ibeing: Complete one of the wellbeing tasks from the matrix (see resource pack).	
Morning	English Spelling Look, Cover, Write, Check. Alphabetical order Upper and lower case words	
	 Writing Focus: Writing using more than one 'problem' Today's task: Sometimes in stories, there is more than one problem that the main character faces. Sometimes they have a little problem, then a huge one. Look at the problem you created for your main character on Tuesday. <i>Is it a little problem, or a big one?</i> Write a second problem (big or little, being the opposite of what you've already got). It could be a lead up to the big problem – connect one problem to the other! For example, say your character is the King of Kingsville. A little problem may be that a monstrous sea creature has been wreaking havoc in the surrounding villages. A big problem may be that it travels up the coast to the major city. The king is expecting the big problem to occur, but first is having to deal with the little problem. This is a climactic event. Once complete, re-write/type your Big Write. Putting together everything you have prepared for today. <u>Remember</u> to use your VCOP skills, vocabulary, connectives, openers and punctuation. 	typeracer .com
Brain bre	ak: Meditation, put some calming music on for 10 minutes and control your breathing	
	 Reading Read a book/magazine/newspaper for 20 minutes Choose one reading task from the 'reading matrix' (see resource pack). Optional: Listen to an episode of Squiz Kids or Kids News writing a summary of what you listened to. 	Reading Eggs BTN Squiz Kids Kids News EPIC
	Lunch Break	
Middle	Mathematics Number Talk Each triangle the 2 numbers in the circle add up to the number in the rectangle between them! See the example and complete the blank one.	Mathletics

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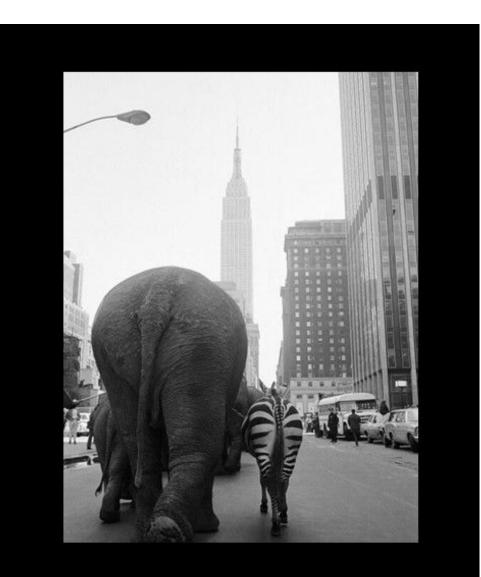




Year 5 Resources

Spelling Lists						
Week 1	Week 2					
Focus: Prefix un- The prefix un- means not (negative) uncooked = not cooked	Focus: sc as in scissors					
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unpack	obscene					
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unbiased	transcend					
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Writing – Big Write Stimulus



Writing Prompt: Creative Story Escape from the Zoo

Tell the story about escaping from the zoo from the view point of one of the animals. Describe your day as you wander the concrete streets of this strange new jungle.

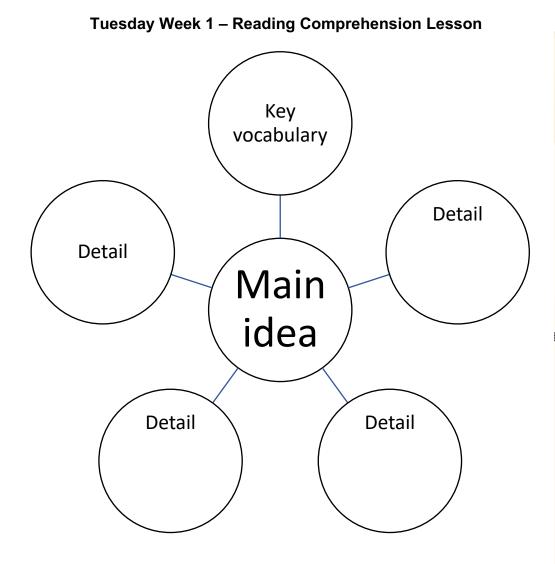
Put in the setting, dialog, vivid descriptions and precise verbs.



<u>Character profile</u> Draw a picture of a character in your text. Label your character. Write a short biography for this character.	Different Ending Change the ending of your story/chapter. Illustrate after you have written.	<u>Summarising</u> Jot down as many very important Points from the text as you can.	<u>Character comparison</u> Choose two characters and compare. How are they different? How are they the same?
<u>Mapping it out</u> Have a go at drawing a map of one of the places from the text you have just read. See how much detail you can include in your map, including different places, keys and colour.	<u>Visual Poem</u> Create a concrete found poem about the text you have read. To create a concrete found poem, students must only use words, phrases or even whole sentences "found" in their text. Then, they must shape these words into a visual representation on paper.		<u>Social Profile</u> Write & draw a social media profile for your character/object you have read about in your text. This will include: Character Name, Hometown, School, Works at, Family, Places visited, Music favourites, Book favourites, Photos
Status Update Write 3-4 'status updates' on your character/object in your text. This might be what they are doing right now, what their opinion is on a topic, what they are thinking about.	<u>Predicting</u> Before you read your text predict what you might be reading, use the images and subheadings to guide your predictions.	<u>Visualising</u> Draw a picture of what is happening from what you visualised in your head. Write about this scenario.	<u>Character poster</u> Create a wanted poster, based on a character from your text. This should include a picture of them, their interests, personality traits etc.

Reading Matrix





Honey bees



The honey is used to feed the larvae that have been produced

develop into fully grown bees.

Within a few weeks the larvae will

Soon, young honey bees will be

flying around looking for nectar ...

by the queen bee.

The honey bee sucks nectar from flowers using its long, tube-like tongue and stores the nectar in its nectar sac. A bee's nectar sac is also known as a honey stomach.

If the bee gets hungry, some nectar is released from its honey stomach and passed to its real stomach to give the bee energy. When the bee's nectar sac is full, the bee returns to the hive, where it passes on the nectar to other worker bees.



Inside the hive, the bees chew the nectar to reduce its water content. The nectar needs to thicken to become honey. The bees then put the nectar into the cells of a structure called a honeycomb.

The bees also fan their wings to dry the chewed-up nectar, helping it turn into honey.

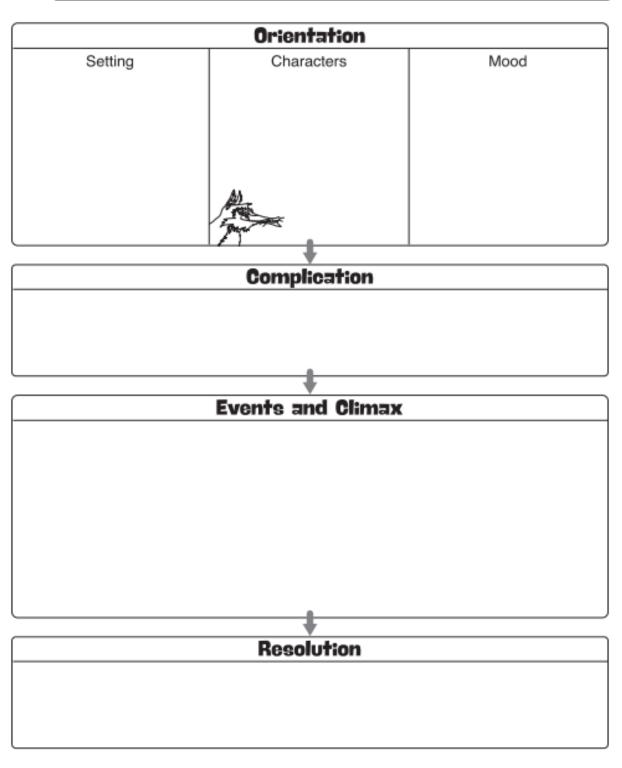
When the honey is thick enough, the bees cover the cells of the honeycomb with a layer of beeswax. The beeswax comes from glands on the sides of the bees' bodies.



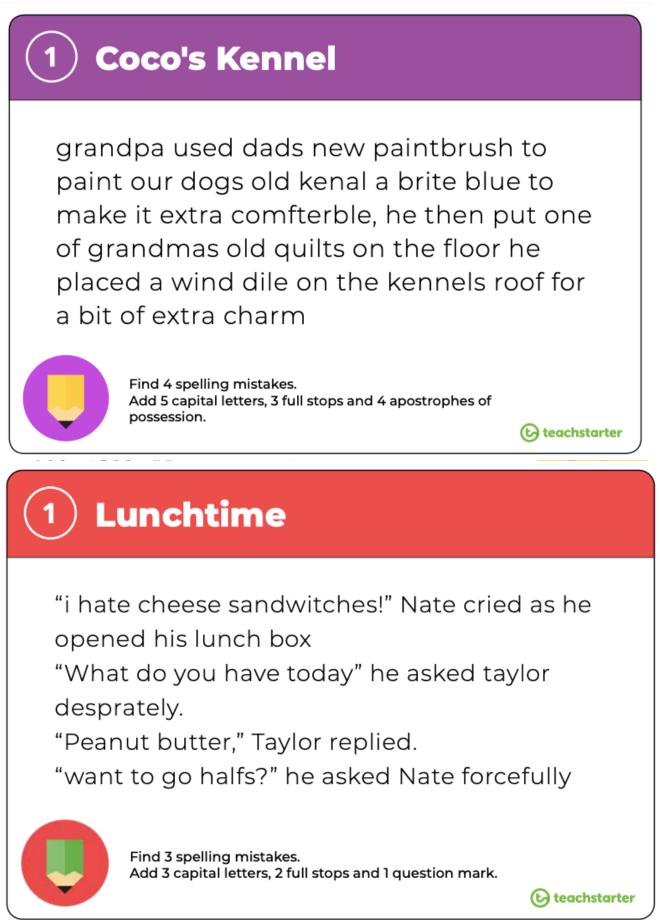
Wednesday Week 1 – Narrative Scaffolding

Narrative Planning Template

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Wednesday Week 1 – Reading Comprehension

What Is Minecraft?

Minecraft is a super popular video game. In this game, players build and create with a variety of different blocks in digital, three-dimensional worlds. The purpose of the game is to build and explore. There are no points or levels to work through.

There are two main modes, or ways to play, Minecraft. They are Survival and Creative.

In Survival mode, players need to find their own building supplies and food to be able to continue playing the game. They can also interact with mobs, which are block-shaped creatures that move. Some of these creatures are friendly, but some are definitely not!

In **Creative mode**, players are given the supplies they will need to build and break all kinds of blocks. Players do not need to eat to survive when playing in Creative.

To play Minecraft, you will need a computer or digital device. There are compatible versions of the Minecraft game for a variety of different computers, tablets and smartphones. You will also need to create an online account. Any players aged 12 or under will need to have a parent create their account for them.

Don't forget, you should always ask a parent before going online!



ask

- 1. Select the best definition for Minecraft.
 - a. Minecraft is an online game.
 - b. Minecraft is a popular videogame in which players use blocks to build and crate digital, three-dimensional worlds.
 - c. Minecraft is a fun game that can be played on a computer.
- 2. What are the two main modes or ways to play Minecraft?
- 3. Which Minecraft mode do you think you would prefer to play? Explain your answer.

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- 4. What are mobs?
- 5. What do I need to be able to play Minecraft?
- 6. What is something you should always do before going online?
- 7. What is the main idea of this text? (use no more then 15 words)



various sizes. A spear-dodging game called tambil tambil (refers to the blunt spears used) was played by the Jagara (Jagera) people of the Brisbane area, as part of sham fights and mock war. These sham fights taught the boys how to manage when it was

required as they grew into manhood.

other. These included sticks, mud and stones of

In parts of Australia the girls were taught to fight and use the digging stick (called *kalgur* in one area) so they could protect themselves later on in life.

Language

In the Wembawemba language from western Victoria the word ngalembert referred to a 'champion dodger' or 'expert at dodging spears'.

- A small shield (bat) for protection only -optional.

Game play and basic rules

- One player represents a kangaroo. The kangaroo stands 10-15 metres in front of a group of players, who are spread out along a line.
- · The 'kangaroo' hops or runs around in front of the group, dodging the throws until he or she is hit by a thrown ball. When hit the player falls over, and the player who hit him or her becomes the new kangaroo.
- · A supply of balls is provided for the throwers. Players do not move out past the line to retrieve thrown balls unless the game is stopped and they are directed to do so.

Variations

- · Players throw their weapons 'weakly' at each other by lobbing, rolling or bouncing tennis or sponge balls towards each other. (This is recommended for younger players.)
- Circle dodge: One player (dodger) is in the centre of a circle of six to eight players. Throwers use a fleece or sponge ball to throw, or they roll/bounce a large soft ball to attempt to hit the dodger. Players take turns to stay in the middle as long as they can.
- The game can be made more difficult by having the dodger stay inside a small circle or hoop, or by using a number of balls. (This game works well for class groups of younger students.)
- Obstacle dodge: One or more players acting as kangaroos (targets) start at one end of a course and 5-10 metres in front of several throwers. The 'targets' start with four to six small beanbags in their hands and run/walk through a line of markers in a zigzag, slalom-like course. Each time they are hit by a sponge or fleece ball they drop a beanbag. Count the number of times they are hit.
- A number of players walk across 5–10 metres in front of a line of throwers who have fleece or sponge balls. As the kangaroo 'target' moves across the area they step up and walk along benches. They can only be hit when they are on the benches. When hit they step off the back of the bench and start again. Count the number of hits.

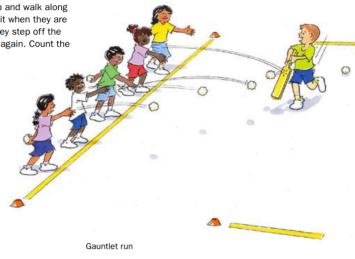
- · Gauntlet run: The 'kangaroo' starts at one end of a line of players and 5-10 metres in front. They run past the line of players as they either roll or underarm throw a soft ball to attempt to hit their legs. Swap around the kangaroo.
- Use two to four players as the kangaroos. Throwers may be required to take turns rather than all throw at once.

Safety

Safety factors needed to be considered to avoid injury to the dodging player. The use of a helmet, eye and face protection and a tracksuit could be considered. It is possible to substitute a person for some types of targets.

Teaching points

- Move around 'kangaroo'. Duck and weave.
- · Aim below the shoulders.
- Throw and wait for the signal.





Thursday Week 1 – Reading Comprehension

The Clever Crab

There lived a heron by a big lake. He used to catch fish and eat them. But he had become old and could not catch fish like before. He went without food for many days together.

"I have to think of a plan. Otherwise I won't live for long," thought the heron. Soon he came out with a clever plan. The heron sat at the water's edge looking depressed and thoughtful. In the same lake lived a crab who was friendly and thoughtful. As he went past, he noticed how the heron looked and asked him, "Why are you looking depressed my friend?"

"What can I say," said the heron in a sad voice. "Something terrible is going to happen."

"What is that?" asked the crab anxiously.

"When I was on my way here this morning, I heard an astrologer say that there will be no rains in these parts for the next twelve years. The lake will dry up and we will all die. I am quite old. It does not matter if I die. But you all are so young. There is so much for you to see and enjoy," said the heron.

The crab went to the fishes in the lake and told them what the heron had told him. They were all filled with fear. "O no! What do we do? We will all die." they cried.

"There is a very big lake some distance from here. I can take you all there one by one." offered the heron. All the fishes were comforted and they agreed to be carried to the bigger lake one by one.

Every day, the heron would fly the fishes one by one. He would hold one gingerly between his long beak and fly away. But instead of taking them to any lake, he would land on a rock some distance away and eat them. Then he would rest till evening and return to the lake.

After some days, the crab went up to the heron. "You have been taking the fishes to the other lake. When will you take me?" he asked.

The heron thought to himself, "I am tired of eating fish. Crab meat should be a pleasant change."

The heron agreed to take the crab to the other lake.

But the crab was too large for the heron to carry in his beak. So the crab climbed on to the heron's back and they started the journey. After a while, the crab grew impatient.

"How far is the lake?" he asked the heron.

"You fool," laughed the heron. "I am not taking you to any lake. I am going to dash you against those rocks and eat you like I ate all those fishes."

"I am not a fool to allow you to kill me," said the crab.

He held the heron's neck in his powerful claws and strangled the wicked heron to death.



Monday Week 2 – VCOP Daily Task Cards

Up-Level Me!

Use what you have learnt so far to edit and up-level this sentence...

stop annoying me or I will leave

You might need to add more, take some away, or fix some mistakes, but a long sentence isn't always a good sentence. So read it aloud to check.



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Like Great, But... Not

In a small group, going through the alphabet, take it in turns to suggest alternatives for the word '**great**'.

The first student starting with A, second with B, then C, D, and so on.

Use as many letters of the alphabet as possible.

Compare with another small group.

Challenge: Pick your favourite word to create a sentence showing its use.



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The wave

Looking at the clear blue water gives him a strange ache. The water at home, in the far west, is nothing like this. It is always brown, or at least never clear. There the water seems to settle reluctantly. It never quite seems permanent but rather it seems borrowed — about to dry up completely at any time. But here on this glittering beach, with the giant cobalt Pacific Ocean rolling and pulsing towards him, the water seems infinite and eternal. He breathes deeply, drawing in the brackish air whose salt clings to him like a scaly coating. The cool seawater creams around his ankles then drains away in clear sheets over the firm golden sand.

He is part of a program showing country kids another place, letting them experience the unfamiliar. He's learning to surf and it's his second day. So far he's been less than successful. The instructor has given him the lessons, shown him the basic actions: when to paddle, when to crouch then stand, where to place his feet. But surfing has eluded him. He has fallen and thumped his knee on hard sand in shallow water. He's been dumped and pounded under a freak breaker that spun him like a washing machine. He's had saltwater forced straight through his mouth and nose until he couldn't even cough.

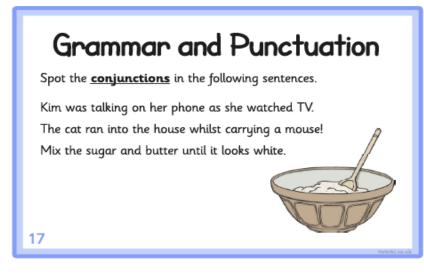
He paddles out again this morning in the sharp sunlight, ducking his way through the peaks and troughs and foam of the surf. And then he sees it. To him it looks just right: a wave not too full, curving at the right angle, that will crest as he begins his catch. He has no time to think—in the moment he just feels—and the next thing he knows he has turned and is paddling. He feels the energy of the wave lift and project him. He rises into a practised crouch and stays there. Then steadily he straightens his legs and it's like he's riding the whole ocean. He lets out a long howl of pure elation.



Monday Week 2 – Reading Comprehension

- 1. In the first paragraph the boy is portrayed as feeling
 - a. Resentful
 - b. Out of place
 - c. Full of regret
 - d. Frightened
- 2. In paragraph 2, the information after the colon (:)
 - a. Provides detail about the actions involving surfing.
 - b. Explains the safety rules of surfing.
 - c. Describes the boy's thoughts about surfing lessons
 - d. Analyses different techniques used in surfing.
- 3. What does the narrator describe as *curving at the right angle?* (Paragraph 3)
 - a. The size and shape of a surfboard
 - b. The perfect beach to surf from
 - c. The movements of a surfboard on a wave
 - d. The perfect wave for surfing
- 4. In Paragraph 3, what word could replace project?
 - a. Arrange
 - b. Extend
 - c. Launch
 - d. Tumble
- 5. *...it's like he's riding the whole ocean.* (Paragraph 3)
 - This statement suggests the boy feels as if he has
 - a. Finally conquered his fear of the ocean.
 - b. Become one with the power of the ocean.
 - c. Defeated and diminished the oceans
 - d. Exhausted the possibilities of the ocean.

Tuesday Week 2 – Grammar Lesson



Grammar and Punctuation

Use the **preposition** that makes sense in these sentences.

I went to the party _____ school.

The new girl sat _____ me on the bus.

after during beside before



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Grammar and Punctuation

What is the correct **<u>spelling</u>** of the missing words in these sentences?

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you're	going	on holiday	soon.

We _____ you at school today.

The hamster died so we had to ______ it. berry/bury

Mum needed some _____ and quiet.



here/hear

missed/mist

piece/ peace

Grammar and Punctuation

In the following sentences the **<u>apostrophe</u>** is used to make one word instead of two. Which two words would these be?

We haven't had a spelling test for ages.

"Don't shout!"

"Who's your class teacher?" asked the secretary.

"How's your Gran doing?" my neighbour asked me.



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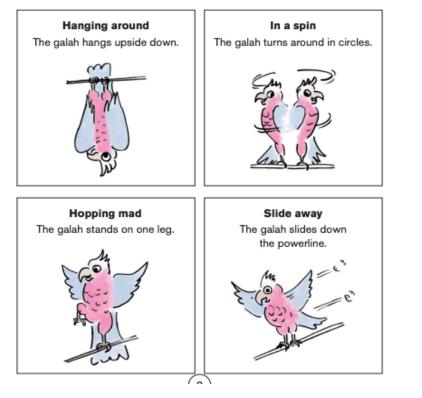
Giddy galahs

Most Australians will have seen a galah. It is a colourful bird that is found all over Australia. The galah has a pink front, a grey back and a striking white crest.

Galahs are usually found in groups. They can be seen sitting in trees, foraging for seeds on the ground, or frolicking on powerlines. When a flock of galahs flies towards you, it looks like a bright pink cloud.

When galahs get together in the evenings, they can be very noisy. So, if you haven't seen a galah, you will have probably heard one!

Galahs are intelligent birds that seem to like having fun. Here are some of their antics.



Tuesday Week 2 – Reading Comprehension Lesson

- 1. The text suggests that galahs are:
 - o Uncommon
 - o Quiet
 - o **Gentle**
 - o Playful

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- 2. So, if you haven't seen a galah, you will have probably heard one! What does this suggest about galahs?
 - Galahs can be very loud.
 - o Galahs can see in the dark.
 - o It is unusual to see a galah.
 - o Galahs sound like other birds.
- 3. When galahs are foraging,
 - o they are doing tricks.
 - o making a noise.
 - o looking for food.
 - o cleaning their feathers.
- 4. According to the text, where do galahs play?
 - \circ on a special perch
 - \circ on tree branches
 - o on powerlines
 - o on the ground
- 5. Which sentence best matches the information in the text?
 - The early bird catches the worm.
 - A forest bird never wants a cage.
 - Birds of a feather flock together.
 - $\circ~$ A bird in the hand is worth two in the bush

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Wednesday Week 2 – Reading Comprehension Lesson

Bats

Types of bats

Bats can be subdivided into two main groups: microbats and megabats. This is determined by their diet and the way they navigate when flying.

Microbats are very small. They are mostly insectivorous, which means their diet consists of flying insects such as beetles, moths and mosquitoes. They usually live beside rivers and creeks, so they have access to fresh water. They also live in parks, reserves and even residential areas. During the day they roost in trees and hollows. They feed at night and although they have good eyesight they use sound waves and echoes to find their prey in the dark. This 'bat sonar' is called echolocation.



Kitti's hog-nosed bat

Did you know?

- · Bats are the only mammals that can fly.
- Bats have been known to live more than 30 years.
- A group of bats is called a colony.
- There are about 1240 different species of bats in the world.
- Australia is home to over 90 different species of bats.
- The Kitti's hog-nosed bat is the smallest bat in the world. It weighs up to two grams: about the same as a tea bag!
- The giant golden-crowned flying fox is the biggest bat; it weighs up to 1.6 kilograms with a wingspan of 170 centimetres!



Megabats tend to be larger than microbats (but not always!). They are frugivorous, which means their diet consists of fruit and nectar from flowering plants. Like microbats, megabats are nocturnal but they rely on their good eyesight and excellent sense of smell to find food.

Some megabats are called flying foxes because of their fox-like faces and the red-coloured fur on their bodies. Although megabats hunt at night, large groups can often be seen during the day hanging from tall trees.



Flying fox mother and baby

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Playing area

Equipment

the hand.

Use a designated indoor or outdoor area. The

through the centre is ideal.

Game play and basic rules

centre circle of a basketball court with the line

• A tennis ball, small beach ball, paketa or a small,

soft ball (such as a covered sponge ball)

· Players form a circle. The ball is thrown into

the air and each player passes it to another

by striking the ball upwards with the palm of

· In this game, teams are presented with a set of

activities that can be performed and after some

practice develop a performance that highlights their ball skills, body handling and originality.

Background

This is a version of a game from the Torres Strait Islands, using the thick, oval, deep-red fruit of the kai tree which is quite light when dry.

Language

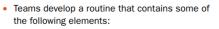
Mer is the name of one of the islands in the Torres Strait. A kai fruit was often used for playing.

Short description

This is a hand-hitting (volley) game where players attempt to keep the ball in the air for as long as they can.

Players

Groups of six players



- random hitting to other players in the circle
- hit to every player in the circle in a set order
- hit around the circle in one direction then back the other way
- hit up to the middle of the circle and the person next to the hitter steps into the middle and hits it up — all players then have a turn, continuing around the circle twice
- hit and follow to replace the person the ball is hit to as he or she hits it to another player --pass and follow
- a player in the middle who hits the ball back to each person in order — all players have a turn in the middle
- hit back and forth at speed in a zig-zag pattern to the three players in opposite halves of a circle
- walk/march/jog around in a circle and hit the ball over the head for the next person (for advanced groups).

Suggestion

Players learn the basic aspects of the routine and then work out their routine. When this is mastered they look to include more creative aspects to the performance.

Performance considerations

- Introduce two or more balls as part of the routine (for advanced groups only).
- Show hits with both hands/arms up to the elbows.
- No gymnastic stunts such as handstands are allowed, but under the legs, high hits, kneel or sit down, behind the back, jumps into the air to hit the ball, turns, hand claps (individually or as a group) can help with a creative performance.
- For some stunts players may tap/block the ball in the air with one hand and hit it with the other.
- · Players must not move more than 1 metre back from the marked circle.

Judging

The overall performance of groups can be judged on criteria related to skill, teamwork, elements of the routine, flow and movement, originality, and overall appeal.

Dropped balls, etc. are 'penalised' in the final assessment.

Comment

Different age groups will have different elements to include in their routines. For very young players it may be a case of compiling as many hits as possible in a set time, hitting in a set order, and basic 'tricks' or skill variations.

Teaching points

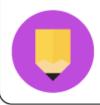
- · Players in a circle. Palms of hand up.
- Ready and go.
- · Well done. Keep going.



Thursday Week 2 – Editing Task Cards



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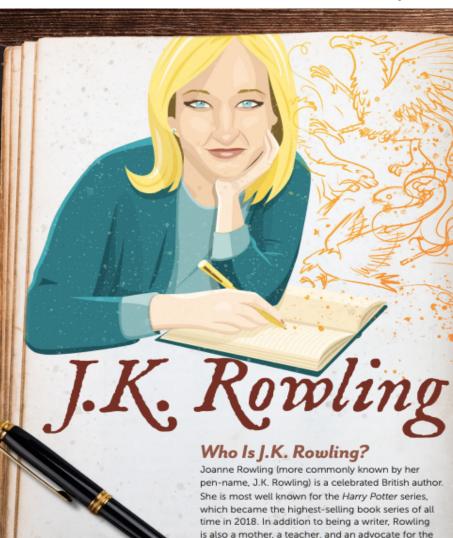


Find 4 spelling mistakes. Add 6 capital letters, 3 full stops and 3 apostrophes of contraction.

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Thursday Week 10 – Reading Comprehension

Early Life

J.K. Rowling was born in Yate (a town in Gloucestershire, England) on 31 July 1965. Her father, Peter, was an aircraft engineer, and her mother, Anne, was a science technician. Joanne's sister, Dianne, is two years younger than her. Books were highly valued in the Rowling household, as both parents were prolific readers. As a result, Joanne decided from an early age that she wanted to be a writer.

Education

Rowling began her school education at St Michael's Primary School in Gloucestershire. When she was nine years old, she moved to the town of Chepstow in Wales. Joanne attended secondary school at Wyedean School, and then studied French and Classics at the University of Exeter. After graduating from university in 1986, Rowling worked for Amnesty International (a charity that campaigns against human rights abuses) in London. She also worked as an English and French tutor.

The Boy Who Lived

The idea for Rowling's most famous works, the *Harry Potter* series, came to her on a train journey from Manchester to London in 1990. She immediately began writing the story of the famous boy-wizard, although it would take several years to plan out the entire seven-book series. The first book was finally released in 1997 by Bloomsbury Publishing. It was an instant success, adored by children and adults alike. Six more novels followed, the last of which became the fastest-selling book to date.

Awards and Activism

J.K. Rowling continues to write; however, she has informed the public that there will be no further additions to the *Harry Potter* series. She has won multiple awards throughout her writing career, including an OBE (Order of the British Empire) award for services to children's literature. Joanne continues to donate to charities that fight to reduce poverty and social inequality, making her not only one of the world's greatest novelists but also one of its most generous philanthropists.

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Wellbeing V

A matrix to help students and families focus on their wellbeing with a variety of 'unplugged' activities. A great complimentary matrix to the <u>'R U OK? Day' Matrix</u>.

Sit under your favourite tree and read.	Find a penpal (a family member, friend or neighbour). Draw them a special picture and send it in the mail.	Learn a new skill or hobby like origami, knitting, scarp booking, photography, gardening or magic.	Go for a bush walk. Take a special journal and write or draw some special things you noticed.
Make your own healthy treat. This could be trail mix, a muesli bar, muffin or slice.	Write some special affirmations for yourself on your mirror or next to your bed to read each morning and night.	Make a board game using recycled materials based on your favourite book or television show.	Transform a cardboard box into a time machine. Draw pictures of places you visit on your adventures.
Make a pillow fort and have an adventure with your siblings or teddies!	Design and make a friendship bracelet. Consider using recycled or natural materials.	Find a quiet spot to lay on the grass and look at the clouds. What pictures or patterns do you see?	Organise a special sit down meal with your family
Listen to your favourite songs. Try and paint or draw how the music makes you feel.	Write a poem about how you are feeling and recite it to someone special.	Make a gratitude jar. Add in all the family, friends and joys of nature that you are grateful for.	Create some new yoga moves. Use animals or plants as inspiration.

