

**Sky Primary and Eden Project Nursery Y1 Text-type with Grammar**

<u>Stories</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-sequencing</li> <li>- simple retells</li> <li>- fairy/ traditional tales</li> <li>- some simple innovations</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Writes short narratives based on real and fictional experiences</li> <li>✓ Uses a simple plan</li> <li>✓ Includes a simple beginning, middle and end</li> <li>✓ Sequences sentences to form short narratives</li> <li>✓ Begins to use question marks and exclamation marks in writing</li> <li>✓ Use co-ordinating conjunctions (and, but)</li> <li>✓ Uses some descriptive language (adjectives) (adjectives where no change is needed to the root word; adding -er and -est) ✓ verbs where no change is needed to the root word</li> </ul>
<u>Descriptions</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-simple character and setting</li> <li>- poetry</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Uses some descriptive language (adjectives) (adjectives where no change is needed to the root word; adding -er and -est)</li> <li>✓ Uses a simple plan</li> <li>✓ Use adjectives to create noun phrases</li> <li>✓ begin to spell the singular plural of words</li> </ul>
<u>Recounts</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- simple based on own experiences</li> <li>- simple based on the experiences of others simple postcards, letters, diaries</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Uses capital letters for names of people, places, days of the week (days of the week)</li> <li>✓ Uses chronological order – first, next, last</li> <li>✓ Uses regular past tense</li> <li>✓ Be aware of first person</li> <li>✓ Uses some descriptive language (adjectives where no change is needed to the root word; adding -er and -est)</li> </ul>
<u>Instructions</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- simple giving and following of verbal instructions,</li> <li>- sequencing of instructions</li> <li>- writing 1 / 2 sequential commands</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Uses 'and' to join words and clauses</li> <li>✓ Uses chronological order</li> <li>✓ Use imperative verbs</li> <li>✓ Use adjectives to create noun phrases</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Uses capital letters and full stops</li> <li>✓ <b>Numbers to twenty</b></li> </ul>
<u>Non-chronological reports</u>	<p><b>- simple fact files</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Uses 'and' to join words and clauses</li> <li>✓ Uses capital letters and full stops</li> <li>✓ Begins to use question marks and exclamation marks in writing</li> <li>✓ Be aware of technical vocabulary</li> <li>✓ Be aware of third person</li> <li>✓ Uses capital letters for names of people, places, days of the week <b>(days of the week)</b></li> </ul>

### Y2 Text Progression with Grammar

<u>Stories</u>	<p><b>- retells of more detailed stories</b></p> <p><b>- innovations</b></p> <p><b>- alternative sections (e.g. endings)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ writes narratives about personal experiences and those of others (real and fictional)</li> <li>✓ uses plans to support writing</li> <li>✓ uses expanded noun phrases for description - uses adjectives and adverbs for description <b>(words with -ly suffix; uses -ly to turn adjectives into adverbs)</b></li> <li>✓ use a range of punctuation almost always correctly (.?!)</li> <li>✓ use adverbials of manner</li> <li>✓ use similes</li> <li>✓ apostrophes for contractions <b>(words with contractions)</b></li> <li>✓ uses coordinating and subordinating conjunctions</li> </ul>
<u>Descriptions</u>	<p><b>- character and setting</b></p> <p><b>- Wanted posters</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ uses expanded noun phrases for description <b>(compound nouns)</b></li> <li>✓ uses adjectives and adverbs for description <b>(words with -ly suffix; uses -ly to turn adjectives into adverbs)</b></li> <li>✓ uses commas in a list almost always correctly ✓ uses similes</li> <li>✓ apostrophes for singular possession <b>(words using the possessive apostrophe; singular nouns)</b></li> <li>✓ uses coordinating and subordinating conjunctions</li> </ul>
<u>Recounts/Biography</u>	<p><b>- simple based on own experiences</b></p> <p><b>- based on the experiences of others (both real and fictional) e.g. postcards, letters, diaries</b></p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ uses capital letters for proper nouns accurately</li> <li>✓ use past tense correctly (inc. progressive) (adding –ing to words of one syllable ending in a single letter after a short vowel; root word ending in y with a consonant before it; words ending in e with a consonant before it)</li> <li>✓ apostrophes for contraction (words with contractions)</li> <li>✓ apostrophes for singular possession (words using the possessive apostrophe; singular nouns)</li> <li>✓ uses coordinating and subordinating conjunctions</li> <li>✓ understands and begins to use fact and opinions</li> <li>✓ be aware of rhetorical questions</li> <li>✓ use first person</li> </ul>
<u>Instructions/Explanations/ Persuasive</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- giving and following of verbal and written instructions,</li> <li>- sequencing of instructions</li> <li>- writing sequential commands</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ uses coordinating and subordinating conjunctions</li> <li>✓ Uses chronological order</li> <li>✓ Use imperative verbs</li> <li>✓ Uses capital letters and full stops</li> </ul>
<u>Non-chronological reports</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- fact files</li> <li>- non-chron. reports linking to cross curricular topics / stemming from class text</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ uses commas in lists</li> <li>✓ uses expanded noun phrases for specification (compound nouns)</li> <li>✓ use present tense correctly (inc. progressive) (adding –ing to words of one syllable ending in a single letter after a short vowel; root word ending in y with a consonant before it; words ending in e with a consonant before it)</li> <li>✓ uses technical vocabulary</li> <li>✓ begins to understand formal language choices</li> <li>✓ apostrophes for singular possession (words using the possessive apostrophe; singular nouns)</li> <li>✓ uses coordinating and subordinating conjunctions</li> </ul>

### Y3 Text Progression with Grammar

<u>Stories</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- alternative / additional sections / chapters</li> <li>- own simple stories based on those read</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ begin to use inverted commas to punctuate direct speech</li> <li>✓ use a rich and varied vocabulary</li> <li>✓ use a range of punctuation accurately and effectively .?! </li> <li>✓ varies sentence openers (participle openers -ed, -ing)</li> <li>✓ varies sentence length for impact</li> </ul>
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ express time, place and cause using conjunctions, adverbs and prepositions</li> </ul>
<u>Descriptions</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>character and setting</b></li> <li>✓ begin to use apostrophe for plural possession (<b>possessive apostrophe with regular plural words</b>)</li> <li>✓ expresses time and place using conjunctions, adverbs and prepositions</li> <li>✓ use a rich and varied vocabulary (<b>words using prefixes and formation of nouns using a range of prefixes</b>) (<b>figurative language</b>)</li> <li>✓ use commas in a list</li> <li>✓ use alliteration, simile and metaphor</li> <li>✓ apostrophe for singular possession</li> </ul>
<u>Recounts</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>simple based on own experiences</b></li> <li>- <b>based on the experiences of others (both real and fictional) letters, diaries, simple newspaper reports</b></li> <li>✓ expresses time and place using conjunctions, adverbs and prepositions</li> <li>✓ understands main clauses</li> <li>✓ use facts and opinions</li> <li>✓ begins to understand subordinate clauses</li> <li>✓ varies sentence openers</li> </ul>
<u>Instructions/Explanations</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>written instructions based on a concrete idea / notion</b></li> <li>✓ uses a or an according to whether the next word begins with a consonant or a vowel</li> <li>✓ expresses time, place and cause using conjunctions, adverbs and prepositions</li> <li>✓ use commas in a list</li> <li>✓ use formal language and technical vocabulary</li> <li>✓ begin to use paragraphs to structure writing</li> <li>✓ apostrophes for possession</li> </ul>
<u>Persuasion/Discussion</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>adverts</b></li> <li>- <b>simple leaflets (cross curriculum content or content from class text)</b></li> <li>✓ expresses cause using conjunctions, adverbs and prepositions</li> <li>✓ uses pronouns to avoid repetition</li> <li>✓ use present perfect form of verbs instead of simple past (<b>adding suffixes beginning with vowel letters to words of more than one syllable</b>)</li> <li>✓ select words for effect to support purpose</li> <li>✓ use alliteration for effect</li> <li>✓ use emotive/exaggerated language</li> </ul>
<u>Non-chronological reports</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>simple fact files</b></li> </ul>

- ✓ Uses conjunctions
- ✓ Uses wider range of punctuation
- ✓ Uses present perfect tense
- ✓ Uses third person

## Y4 Text Progression with Grammar

### Stories

- alternative sections
- simple own stories

- ✓ using correctly punctuated fronted adverbials (words using suffixes -ly)
- ✓ punctuates direct speech correctly
- ✓ use expanded noun phrases with modifying adjectives, nouns and prepositional phrases
- ✓ identifies parts of speech
- ✓ uses relative clauses
- ✓ uses figurative language
- ✓ use a wide range of conjunctions in a range of sentence structures (simple, complex and compound)
- ✓ write with grammatical accuracy (possessive apostrophes with irregular plurals)

### Descriptions

- character and setting (beginning to compare and contrast)

- ✓ use expanded noun phrases with modifying adjectives, nouns and prepositional phrases
- ✓ use participle openings (-ed and -ing)
- ✓ Uses similes, metaphor, personification, assonance and alliteration
- ✓ understands grammatical difference between plural and possessive -s
- ✓ use apostrophes for singular and plural possession

### Recounts

- simple based on own experiences
- based on the experiences of others (both real and fictional) letters, diaries, newspaper report

- ✓ use correctly punctuated fronted adverbials of time and place (words using suffixes -ly)
- ✓ use appropriate choice of pronoun/noun within and across sentences
- ✓ use relative pronouns and clauses
- ✓ use paragraphs effectively
- ✓ use co-ordinating and subordinating conjunctions

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ use emotive language</li> </ul>
<u>Instructions/Explanations</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>detailed instructions with precise language</b></li> <li>- <b>simple explanations with cyclical diagrams / captions to support based on cross curricular content</b></li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ use vocabulary appropriate to task, audience and purpose</li> <li>✓ use fronted adverbials</li> <li>✓ write with grammatical accuracy</li> <li>✓ use correctly punctuated fronted adverbials (words using suffixes – ly)</li> <li>✓ uses Standard English, inc technical vocabulary</li> <li>✓ use statements including the pronoun ‘you’</li> </ul>
<u>Persuasions</u>	<p><b>adverts</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>leaflets</b></li> <li>- <b>brochures (cross curriculum content or content from class text)</b></li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ use vocabulary appropriate to task, audience and purpose</li> <li>✓ experiment with the position of subordinate clauses in sentences</li> <li>✓ use appropriate organisational devices</li> <li>✓ use emotive/exaggerated language</li> <li>✓ use triples/sentences of 3</li> </ul>
<u>Non-chronological reports</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>non-chron. reports linking to cross curricular topics / stemming from class text</b></li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ use vocabulary appropriate to task, audience and purpose</li> <li>✓ use apostrophes for singular and plural possession</li> <li>✓ use appropriate organisational devices</li> <li>✓ write with grammatical accuracy</li> <li>✓ use detailed, descriptive language</li> </ul>

### Y5 Text Progression with Grammar

<u>Stories</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>own stories</b></li> <li>- <b>additional / alternative sections</b></li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ use relative clauses with/without a relative pronoun</li> <li>✓ use brackets, dashes and commas to demarcate relative clauses</li> <li>✓ use a thesaurus to refine word choice</li> <li>✓ link ideas across paragraphs using tense choices</li> <li>✓ choose vocabulary to complement purpose</li> <li>✓ use a range of sentence lengths for effect</li> <li>✓ use modal verbs</li> </ul>
<u>Descriptions</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>character and setting (compare and contrasts)</b></li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ use a thesaurus to refine word choice</li> <li>✓ use commas to clarify meaning or avoid ambiguity</li> <li>✓ choose vocabulary to complement purpose (<b>convert nouns or adjectives into verbs using suffixes</b>)</li> <li>✓ use relative clauses with/without a relative pronoun (for description)</li> <li>✓ use colloquial language</li> <li>✓ use a range of punctuation for effect</li> </ul>
<u>Recounts</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>simple based on own experiences</b></li> <li>- <b>based on the experiences of others (both real and fictional) letters, diaries, newspaper reports, eye-witness accounts</b></li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ link ideas across paragraphs using adverbials of time and place</li> <li>✓ use brackets, dashes and commas to indicate parenthesis ✓ use passive voice</li> <li>✓ use conjunctive adverbs</li> <li>✓ punctuate correctly, including direct and indirect speech</li> </ul>
<u>Instructions</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>written instructions based on a concrete idea</b></li> <li>- <b>from other areas of the curriculum</b></li> <li>- <b>written instructions with fictional content</b></li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ link ideas across paragraphs using adverbials of number</li> <li>✓ use devices to build cohesion within and across paragraphs</li> <li>✓ use modal verbs to indicate degrees of possibility</li> <li>✓ use brackets, dashes and commas to indicate parenthesis</li> </ul>
<u>Discussion</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>discussions based on cross curricular content</b></li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ use brackets, dashes and commas to indicate parenthesis</li> <li>✓ link ideas across paragraphs using adverbials of cause and time</li> <li>✓ use commas to clarify meaning or avoid ambiguity ✓ use conjunctive adverbs</li> </ul>
<u>Persuasion</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>leaflets</b></li> <li>- <b>brochures</b></li> <li>- <b>letters (cross curriculum content or content from class text)</b></li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ selects appropriate forms and formats to suit audience and purpose</li> <li>✓ use modal verbs and adverbs to indicate degrees of possibility</li> <li>✓ use adverbs to indicate degrees of possibility</li> <li>✓ use emotive language</li> <li>✓ use conjunctive adverbs</li> </ul>

<u>Non-chronological reports</u>	<p>- non-chron. reports linking to cross curricular topics / stemming from class text</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ builds paragraphs around a topic sentence</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ selects appropriate forms and formats to suit audience and purpose</li> <li>✓ use modal verbs to indicate degrees of possibility</li> <li>✓ use a wide range of punctuation correctly</li> </ul>

### Y6 Text Progression with Grammar

<u>Stories</u>	<p>own stories (following a theme), additional / alternative sections, short stories</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Describe settings, characters and atmosphere</li> <li>✓ Integrate dialogue in narratives to convey character and advance the action</li> <li>✓ Use a range of devices to build cohesion (adverbials, synonyms)</li> <li>✓ Punctuating direct speech</li> <li>✓ Use expanded noun phrases to convey complicated information concisely</li> <li>✓ Use a range of sentence lengths, structures and openers</li> </ul>
<u>Descriptions</u>	<p>character and setting (complex compare and contrast and development / change of characters)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Describe settings and create atmosphere</li> <li>✓ Bring characters alive through 'show, not tell' the reader</li> <li>✓ Understand how words are related by synonyms and antonyms</li> <li>✓ Use expanded noun phrases to convey complicated information concisely</li> <li>✓ Use figurative language</li> </ul>



<u>Recounts</u>	<p>simple based on own experiences, based on the experiences of others (both real and fictional), letters, diaries, newspaper reports, eye-witness accounts, biography and autobiography (based on real/fictional people/characters)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Writes making conscious links to reading</li> <li>✓ Use verb tenses consistently and correctly throughout their writing               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Use active voice</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ Use subjunctive verb forms</li> <li>✓ Use suitable forms with appropriate features for different text types (structuring letter, headlines, headings, subheadings etc.)</li> </ul>
<u>Instructions/Explanations</u>	<p><b>Instruction/explanations based on cross curricular content or fictional content stemming from class text</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ use hyphens to avoid ambiguity</li> <li>✓ use passive voice to affect how information is presented in a sentence</li> <li>✓ ensure consistent use of tense throughout a piece of writing</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ use colons semi colons and dashes to mark boundaries between independent clauses</li> </ul>
<u>Persuasion</u>	<p><b>Leaflets, brochures, letters, speeches, (cross curriculum content or content from class text)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Use modal verbs to suggest degrees of possibility</li> <li>✓ Use cohesive devices (adverbials, repetition)</li> <li>✓ Demonstrate appropriate use of vocabulary and grammar to suit formal situations</li> <li>✓ Recognise the subjunctive form and its uses (hypothetical)</li> </ul>
<u>Discussion</u>	<p><b>written balanced arguments debating 2 sides of an issue (either current affairs, topical issue, cross curricular, content from class text)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Use passive verbs to affect how information is presented</li> <li>✓ Use modal verbs to indicate degrees of possibility</li> <li>✓ Link ideas across paragraphs</li> <li>✓ Introduce, develop and conclude paragraphs appropriately</li> </ul>



**Non-chronological reports**

**non-chron. reports linking to cross curricular topics / stemming from class text / based on fictional content**

- ✓ Use of passive voice (know the difference between active and passive)
- ✓ Punctuate bullet points consistently
- ✓ Use further organisational and presentational devices to structure texts and guide the reader (headings, subheadings, bullet points, lists)
- ✓ Use colons to introduce a list and semi colons within lists
- ✓ Use expanded noun phrases to convey complicated information concisely
- ✓ Use hyphens to avoid ambiguity