Composition

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| Composition | Write sentences by: | Saying out loud what they are going to write about | | | | | |
| | | Composing a sentence orally before writing it | | | | | |
| | | - Sequencing sentences to form short narratives | | | | | |
| | | - Re-reading what they have written to check that it makes sense | | | | | |
| | | Discuss what they have written with the teacher or other pupils | | | | | |
| | | Read aloud their writing clearly enough to be heard by their peers and the teacher. | | | | | |
| | Develop positive attitudes towards and stamina for writing by: | | Writing narratives about personal experiences and those of others (real and fictional) | | | | |
| | | | Writing about real events | | | | |
| | | | Writing poetry Writing for different purposes | | | | |
| | Consider what they are going to write before beginning by: | | Planning or saying out loud what they are going to write about | | | | |
| | | | Writing down ideas and/or key words, including new vocabulary | | | | |
| | | | Encapsulating what they want to say, sentence by sentence | | | | |
| | | | Read aloud what they have written with appropriate intonation to make the meaning clear. | | | | |
| | Plan their writing by: | | | Discussing writing similar to that which they are planning to write in order to understand and learn from its structure, vocabulary and grammar | Discussing writing similar to that which they are planning to write in order to understand and learn from its structure, vocabulary and grammar | Identifying the audience for and purpose of the writing, selecting the appropriate form and using other similar writing as models for their own | Identifying the audience for and purpose of the writing, selecting the appropriate form and using other similar writing as models for their own |
| | | | | Discussing and recording ideas | Discussing and recording ideas | Noting and developing initial ideas, drawing on reading and research where necessary | Noting and developing initial ideas, drawing on reading and research where necessary |
| | | | | | | In writing narratives, considering how authors have developed characters and settings in what pupils have read, listened to or seen performed | In writing narratives, considering how authors have developed characters and settings in what pupils have read, listened to or seen performed |

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| | | | Composing and rehearsing sentences orally (including dialogue), progressively building a varied and rich vocabulary and an increasing range of sentence structures (English Appendix 2) | Composing and rehearsing sentences orally (including dialogue), progressively building a varied and rich vocabulary and an increasing range of sentence structures (English Appendix 2) | Selecting appropriate grammar and vocabulary, understanding how such choices can change and enhance meaning | Selecting appropriate grammar and vocabulary, understanding how such choices can change and enhance meaning |
| Draft and write by: | | | Organising paragraphs around a theme | Organising paragraphs around a theme | In narratives, describing settings, characters and atmosphere and integrating dialogue to convey character and advance the action | In narratives, describing settings, characters and atmosphere and integrating dialogue to convey character and advance the action |
| aft and | | | In narratives, creating settings, characters and plot | In narratives, creating settings, characters and plot | - Précising longer passages | - Précising longer passages |
| - D | | | In non-narrative material, using simple organisational devices [for example, headings and subheadings] | In non-narrative material, using simple organisational devices [for example, headings and sub-headings] | Using a wide range of devices to build cohesion within and across paragraphs | Using a wide range of devices to build cohesion within and across paragraphs |
| | | | | | Using further organisational and presentational devices to structure text and to guide the reader [for example, headings, bullet points, underlining] | Using further organisational and presentational devices to structure text and to guide the reader [for example, headings, bullet points, underlining] |
| | | | Assessing the effectiveness of their own and others' writing and suggesting improvements | Assessing the effectiveness of their own and others' writing and suggesting improvements | Assessing the effectiveness of their own and others' writing | Assessing the effectiveness of their own and others' writing |
| edit by: | | | Proposing changes to grammar and vocabulary to improve consistency, including the accurate use of pronouns in sentences | Proposing changes to grammar and vocabulary to improve consistency, including the accurate use of pronouns in sentences | Proposing changes to vocabulary, grammar and punctuation to enhance effects and clarify meaning | Proposing changes to vocabulary, grammar and punctuation to enhance effects and clarify meaning |
| Evaluate and | | | | | Ensuring the consistent and correct use of tense throughout a piece of writing | Ensuring the consistent and correct use of tense throughout a piece of writing |
| Ev; | | | | | - Ensuring correct subject and verb agreement when using singular and plural, distinguishing between the language of speech and writing and choosing the appropriate register | - Ensuring correct subject and verb agreement when using singular and plural, distinguishing between the language of speech and writing and choosing the appropriate register |
| | | | Proof-read for spelling and punctuation errors | Proof-read for spelling and punctuation errors | Proof-read for spelling and punctuation errors | Proof-read for spelling and punctuation errors |
| | | | Read aloud their own writing, to a group or the whole class, using appropriate intonation and controlling the tone and volume so that the meaning is clear | Read aloud their own writing, to a group or the whole class, using appropriate intonation and controlling the tone and volume so that the meaning is clear | Perform their own compositions, using appropriate intonation, volume, and movement so that meaning is clear. | Perform their own compositions, using appropriate intonation, volume, and movement so that meaning is clear. |