

## LITERACY W/B 08/03/21

This week you are going to continue writing your story...

You should have written and edited your opening paragraph by now and sent it to us to check.

So now you're going to complete the rest of your story!

Please remember to vary your sentence structures- think about the Alan Peat sentences that you have used in the past to improve your work!

Try to include SIMILES, ALLITERATION, METAPHORS and PERSONIFICATION in your story- we have revised these this term so you can always look back at this work if you've forgotten what they are!

Varying your PUNCTUATION is really important! Try to include speech (remember a new line for each speaker), colons, commas, semi-colons (we revised these last week), question marks and exclamation marks please.

Make your paragraphs clear.

Use a thesaurus (a real book or online) to improve vocabulary within your story.

Ensure that your story has a clear beginning, dilemma/problem, resolution and ending to it. If your PLOT isn't strong enough you will not engage your reader and they won't want to continue reading to see what happens!

**EDIT YOUR WORK!- Do not send it to us until you are completely happy that it is the BEST POSSIBLE STORY that you can come up with-** check that capitals are in the right place, spelling of high frequency words (e.g. with, couldn't) is accurate and that you have included apostrophes for possession (Harry's bike, the tiger's tail) and apostrophes for omission (won't, didn't, don't)

If possible, write out your opening paragraph on paper (don't type it) and focus on your handwriting!

Have a look at the prompt sheets to support you if you need some inspiration!

GOOD LUCK 😊