

Monday 1st February 2021 Literacy

Focus: Writing a Narrative

Spelling/grammar: es/s ending and Contractions (from last week).

Techniques: Using senses to add description and Word Bank.

Tense: Past tense

Person: First person

Now we have read that Laszlo has decided to visit The Dark. Your 'Big Write' will be to write the ending to this story on Friday. You will be writing in first person, as if you are Laszlo and in past tense. Throughout the week we will be completing activities to help with you with your Big Write.

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Task 1: Watch the clip about planning a story
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zpccwmn/articles/zqmkh39>

Task 2: Plan the ending of your story on Purple Mash 2do for today.

Extension: Create a word bank; add adjectives and nouns to your word bank. You can upload this with your task. Keep this safe as you can add to this over the week.

Word Bank

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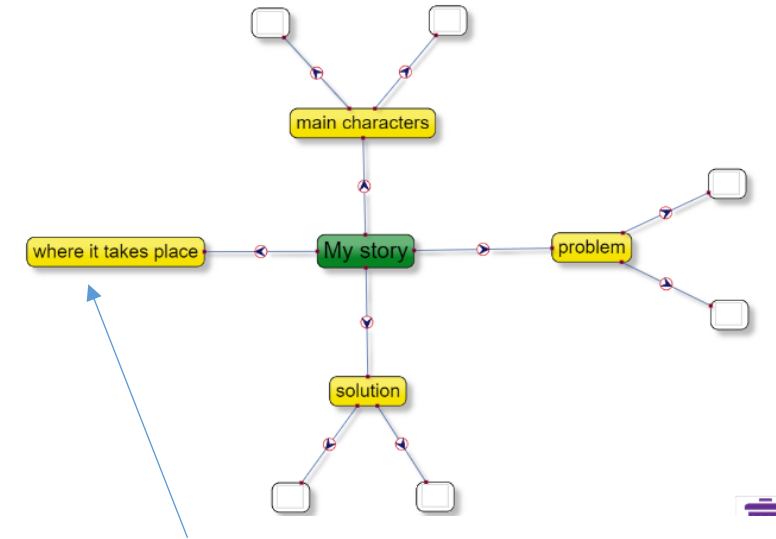
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where it takes place



You can complete all the boxes by typing inside the box. For 'where it takes place', click here and it will take you to the left where you can write in detail.

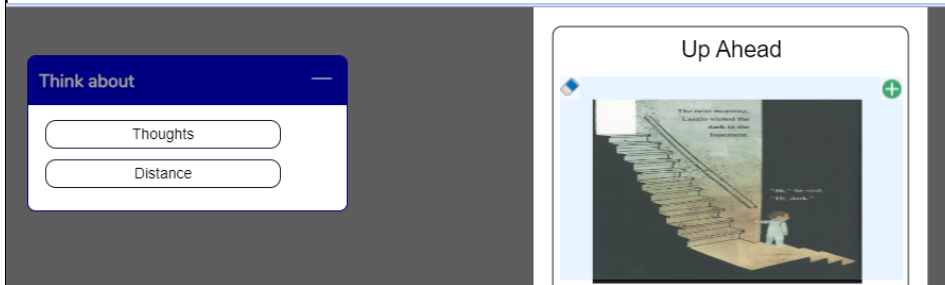
Tuesday 2nd February 2021

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Task 1: Read and understand the feelings. Choose which ones will apply to Laszlo.

Task 2: Complete Task on Purple Mash 2do.

Remember when describing something in the distance it looks smaller the further away it is and may look like something else. The closer we come it to we see its true size, shape and even colour.

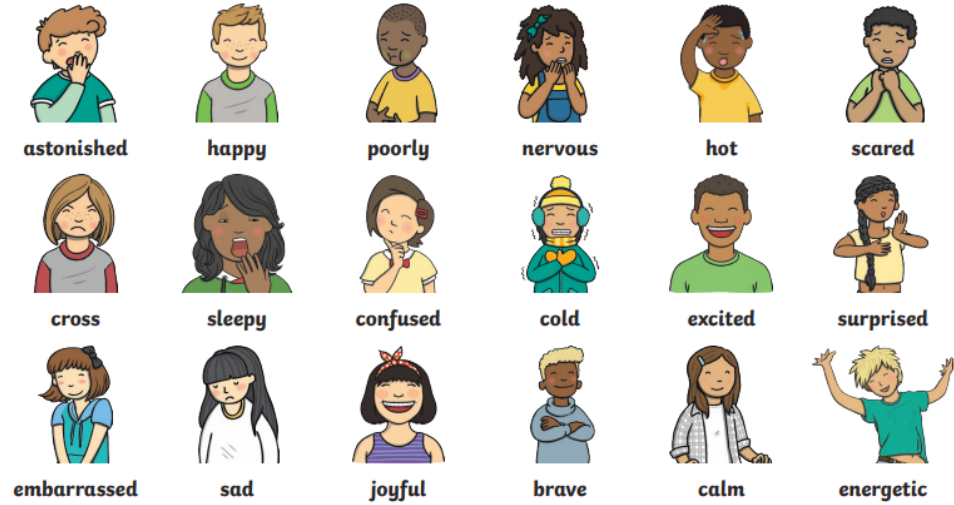


Example:

At first, I noticed a shimmering gold globe. With every step that I walked down the stairs. The golden globe became more vibrant. Slowly, it had transformed into a glowing night lamp.

Extension: Use the 'Emotion Thesaurus' on the next slide and find the synonyms for the feeling words

My Feelings



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Emotions Thesaurus Vocabulary Grid

content	glad	joyful	cheerful	elated
jovial	overjoyed	thrilled	ecstatic	delighted
on cloud nine	pleased	gleeful	jubilant	upbeat

annoyed	irritated	fuming	livid	cross
irate	frustrated	enraged	outraged	infuriated
incensed	agitated	furious	upset	bitter
raging	exasperated			

uneasy	terrified	alarmed	startled	anxious
upset	panicky	worried	afraid	distraught
troubled	in a state	petrified	fearful	frightened

depressed	gloomy	miserable	cheerless	heartbroken
shattered	demoralised	gutted	crushed	devastated
tearful	unhappy	dejected	blue	despondent
glum	pitiful			

astonished	dazed	shocked	alarmed	stupefied
shaken	astounded	startled	bewildered	aghast
stunned	flabbergasted	thunderstruck	speechless	taken aback

thrilled	exhilarated	elevated	animated	delighted
exuberant	enthused	inspired	giddy	eager
roused	provoked			

repelled	revolted	sickened	repulsed	nauseated
shocked	appalled	distaste	horrified	loathed
disliked	horror-stricken	aghast	offended	outraged
grossed out	put off			

calm	peaceful	tranquil	care free	blissful
content	unruffled	composed	serene	stress free
at ease	laid-back	mellow		

Key	
Happy	Surprised
Angry	Excited
Scared	Disgusted
Sad	Relaxed

Wednesday 3rd February 2021

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Task 1: Think about the senses, see, touch, hear and smell. This is a basement, a little bit like our attics, garages and cupboards we just store items in. Often these places do not have heating, flooring and only some light. Write a sentence under each picture. Remember to add prepositions to show the reader where something is (at least for a picture).

Task 2: Complete Task on Purple Mash 2do.

The screenshot shows a worksheet with two main sections. The left section, titled 'Think About', has a list of senses: see, smell, hear, and touch, each with a corresponding line for writing. The right section, titled 'Laszlo's senses', contains six small images of a character named Laszlo in different settings, each with a line for writing a sentence.

Examples:

I breathed in the musty air.

I pointed my torch across the wooden stairs.

Extension: Add a simile to show comparison.

It smelt like rotten eggs.

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Similes

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A simile is when you say that something is like something else. A simile always uses the words 'as' or 'like' to compare two things.



For example: My nan is as wise as an owl.



Thursday 4th February 2021

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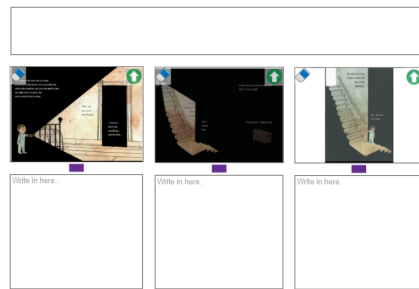
Task 1: Plan your writing by listing key words under each picture that you will use in your writing. The first box; you visit The Dark, second picture; you open the door and the final picture; you enter the basement and next...you decide!

Use the hyphen key on your keyboard in place of a bullet point.



Example for the first picture:

-torch
-The Dark
-enter
-slowly
-opened
-door



Task 2: Use some of the words from your list and write 1 sentence underneath.

Example: *I opened the wooden door slowly.*

Extension: Write another sentence with the remaining words from your list.

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Senses
feelings



What A Good One Looks Like

Example

My heart sank to the ground and I felt tingles in my stomach.. Nevertheless, the time had come. I walked over to the heavy wooden door and turned the sliver handle.

At first, I noticed a shimmering gold globe. With every step that I walked down the stairs. The golden globe became more vibrant. Slowly, it had transformed into a glowing night lamp.

I towered over the lamp and glared at the mesmerising colours that it projected. Hues of yellow, orange and gold beamed deep into my eyes. The basement, doesn't have a source of electricity. This must have a battery pack I thought.

Carefully, I held the lamp and examined every part. yet I couldn't find the source of energy. Thoughts of awe and wonder raced through my mind.

As I breathed in the musty air, I held the warm lamp close towards my chest. Just then, a note fell to the floor and it read, for you Laszlo, from The Dark.

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Paragraph 2 is the example from Tuesday's lesson.