

Year 5 Writing: End of Autumn



Termly Non-Negotiables

Vocabulary, Grammar and Punctuation

I can create complex sentences by adding a relative clause using a relative pronoun.

I can create and punctuate complex sentences using ed opening clauses.

I can demarcate complex sentences using commas in to clarify meaning. I must ensure that my basic punctuation is also correct.

I can identify and use brackets to indicate parenthesis.

I can link ideas across paragraphs using adverbials for time, place and numbers.

I can identify, collect and use noun phrases.

Composition: Planning

I can identify the audience and purpose for a piece of writing and to consider this carefully when selecting the language and structures to use.

I can plan my writing by drawing on a writing model. I can develop my ideas through talk, noting key events and vocabulary on a written plan.

I can examine how authors develop characters in books and use some of these techniques in my own writing.

Composition: Drafting & Writing

I can show characterisation through description and dialogue.

I can improve a piece of text by using different sentence structures.

Composition: Evaluating and Editing

I can proofread my writing to check that:

Verb tense is consistent and correct.

Subjects and verbs agree.

Spelling and punctuation errors are addressed at a Year 5 standard.

I will use my purple polishing pen to edit and improve my work.

Composition: Performing

I can use appropriate intonation, tone and volume to present my writing to a group or class, ensuring my meaning is clear to the audience.

Key Autumn Focus: To develop age-related handwriting and spelling skills.