



MOORHILL PRIMARY SCHOOL

The Language of Comparing

YEAR 1	YEAR 2	YEAR 3	YEAR 4	YEAR 5	YEAR 6
<p>Key Words: like because same different</p> <p>Sentence Stems: I like ... I don't like ... I like ... because I don't like ... because ... and ... are the same. ... and ... are different.</p>	<p>Key Words: because alike similar</p> <p>Sentence Stems: ... and ... are the same because and ... are different because ... They are alike because both ... The characters in these stories are similar because ... This story is similar to ...</p>	<p>Key Words: Compare However</p> <p>Sentence Stems: ... and ... are both and ... are alike because and ... are different in that is but ... is ... You can tell that both stories were written by ... because ... In this text the [event] is described as, however in this text the [event] is described as ...</p>	<p>Key Words: Sides of an argument difference agree disagree</p> <p>Sentence Stems: One similarity between ... and ... is that ... One point of difference between ... and ... is that The two texts agree ... The two texts disagree</p>	<p>Key Words: presented Theme Justified</p> <p>Sentence Stems: In some ways ... and ... are alike. For instance they both have ... Another feature they have in common is and ... differ in some ways, because ... is ... and ... is ... [Character] is presented differently in these two extracts, in one ..., in the other ... I think this is because ... This story has a similar theme to ... They are similar because ..., they are different because ...</p>	<p>Key Words: useful portrayed contrast</p> <p>Sentence Stems: ... is ..., whereas ... is ... The similarities I have identified between these two texts are ... Where these two texts disagree is ... Looking at this from both sides, it is clear that ... I think ... might be most useful in answering the question because is less useful in answering the question because ...</p>