

Tuesday 26th January

Skills burst



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Dialogue

You use dialogue in story writing - which is your task for this week, so we'll do a bit of practice now.

Inverted commas

A word that isn't said!

"Cyclops you will let me out of the cave!" shouted Odysseus

Punctuation to close speech

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This is right....

This is wrong.....correct it please.

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men dont fear the cyclops we will defeat him whispered
Odysseus

Read the sentences carefully. Then convert each telling sentence into dialogue.

Example: I asked my mum if we could go to the shop.

"Mum, can we go to the shop?" I asked _____

1. My mum wanted to know why I needed to go to the shop.

2. I told her that I needed to buy some flowers.

3. My mum said we could go, but she wondered whom the flowers were for.

4. I excitedly explained that they were for my teacher because her birthday is tomorrow.

Just write the speech please....

This week you will be writing a longer peice of writing.

Yesterday you made a timeline of events that should look something like this.....

Odysseus made sure he took gold and wine with him

They found livestock, cheese and milk in the cave

They hid in the cave as the cyclops returned to his home

The cyclops claimed he didn't fear Zeus

Odysseus and his men beached their ship at the island

They walked up a hill and found a cave.

They sat by the fire, eating and drinking milk and cheese.

The cyclops sees the men and Odysseus tries to barter with him

This week you are going to write a 6 paragraph story based on this story.

We leave the story on this point.....

"Zeus, don't you know what I am? I am a Cyclops. We Cyclopes are the son of the Sea God Poseidon. We have no fear of your blustering Zeus. Then the Cyclops grabbed one of the men and...

You are going to carry the story on from here....

Write your 6 paragraphs

and end your story with Odysseus back on his ship

So it's up to you how he gets there and what happens in the middle

Cyclops grabs one of
the men.....

Write a plan for your 6
paragraphs

Odysseus is back on his boat.....