Year 4 Writing Challenge 7 A Dangerous Pet



1. Answer the Talking Picture Questions

Talking Pictures

Why has the King given his children a dragon? Do you think it's a wise decision? What do you think the children will try and train their dragon to do? Can you think of any strategies that the children might use to train their dragon?

Where do the children live? Can you think of a good name for their kingdom? Why do you think the children will need 'all the help they can get' when they come to rule?

What is the boy feeding the dragon? What do you think the girl is carrying?

2. Take the Writing Challenge - use the story starter sentences to start your story

Writing Challenge

The King had known that the gift he presented to his children on their birthday was dangerous. But one day, the twins would rule the kingdom together, and they would need all the help they could get. No-one could deny that a dragon was a powerful ally! Before that day, though, the children had much work to do. They had to train their dragon!

Spelling Year3/4 Word List

The following words are from the Year 3/4 spelling list. Use some of the different strategies we discussed at the beginning of the year to learn how to spell the word - pyramid, diamond, mnemonics, pictures etc and write an extended sentence to include each word. You could then try the Growth Mindset Challenge. Give it a go!

Growth Mindset Challenge - Can you write a story that includes all the words? SET 6

appear decide fruit material possession strength

Easter Possessive Apostrophe with Plural Words Mosaic

Read the words below which all have an apostrophe. Use the key to colour in the squares to reveal the hidden picture.

Words where the apostrophe indicates plural noun possession = yellow

Words where the apostrophe indicates singular noun possession = blue

boys'	girls'	babies'	members'	suspects'	teachers'	parents'
members'	boys'	parents'	babies'	girls'	suspects'	teachers'
boys'	girls'	children's	men's	suspects'	teachers'	parents'
members'	boys'	women's	babies'	girls'	suspects'	teachers'
boys'	girls'	people's	children's	suspects'	teachers'	parents'
members'	boys'	men's	babies'	girls'	suspects'	teachers'
boys'	girls'	women's	people's	suspects'	teachers'	parents'
members'	boys'	parents'	babies'	girls'	suspects'	teachers'
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Easter Homophone and Near Homophone Mosaic

Read the different homophone words below. Use the key to colour in the squares to reveal the hidden picture.

berry	bury	berry	rain	bored	board	berry
brake	break	brake	reign	by	bye	buy
bored	scene	seen	stairs	stares	rain	by
flu	flew	flue	rain	by	bye	buy
brake	break	brake	reign	bored	board	bored
flu	flew	flue	scene	bury	berry	berry
bury	berry	break	seen	flu	flew	flue
bored	board	bored	stairs	bored	board	bored
flu	flew	flue	stares	bury	berry	break