Year 4 English Week Commencing 22nd November 2021



Monday 29 th November	Tuesday 30 th November.	Wednesday 1 st December.	Thursday 2 nd December.	Friday 3 rd December.
SPAG Mats + Spellings	LO: To plan a news article.	LO: To write a news article.	LO: To complete and edit my news article.	Pobble Activity
Select and complete a SPAG Mat that is the right challenge for you. Use the answer sheets provided to check and self- mark your work.	Spag starter- Reported speech. This week we will be writing a news article about the events of 'Tuesday'. Look at the last few pages, in which pigs begin to fly. Follow the lesson presentation and explore the difference between fact,	Spag starter-Passive sentence structures. Follow the lesson presentation to write the beginning of your report. The first paragraph of your news story is the most important part, and should give an overview of the key	Spag starter- Semicolons. Today your task is to complete your news article using your plan. Follow the lesson presentation and look at the inverted pyramid of journalism. In a news story, you should convey the key facts	Sun city.
Complete LSCWC for your spelling task, words that have 'tion' or 'ation' endings. Look Cover Write Check WB 29 th November Year 4 This week's spellings focus is on words that have 'tion' or 'ation' ending.	opinion and fantasy. Activity 1. Make a mind map of suggestions of things the pigs might get up to while they are flying. Who are the witnesses? What is the evidence they left behind?	ideas of the article. Re-read the beginnings of a few of the articles you studied last week. How much can you understand from reading only the headline and the first paragraph?	right away, then fill in other information later. Activity 1. Continue your report using the information from your plan and your self- assessment criteria.	
Ist Attempt 2nd Attempt 3nd Attempt oction	Activity 2. Think like a reporter-what are the facts of the story? Underline the provable facts in your mind map.	Activity 1. Write the first paragraph of your news article, answering the main questions- What, who, where, when and how.	Year 4 should ensure you have used direct speech to quote one witness in their own words, then used reported speech to explain what one further witness saw.	 Complete Pobble tasks: Story Starter Grammar/ Punctuation Challenge
station relation education creation operation preparation subtraction calculation circulation mitation	Activity 3. Use the planning template to plan your article. What will the key facts be? Make sure you can answer the key questions- What, who, where, when and how.	Activity 2. You can also begin your next paragraphs, introducing a quote from one of your witnesses. Use the self-assessment criteria to help you. Self- assessment. Read carefully	Activity 2. Complete your report by writing a concluding paragraph. You should bring the story up to the present date by explaining what happened next, or is happening now.	
	Challenge: Use the news article word mat given to add some sentence starters to your plan.	through your work and look for evidence to tick off each of your success criteria.	Optional Challenge: Explain how you feel about writing news articles. What do you like or dislike about this text type?	

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