Resources: 1a, 1b, 1c, 1d, 1e, 1f, Examples of newspaper

orientations.

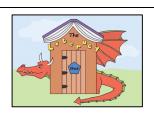
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The Lighthouse-Lesson 1

Lesson objective:

To understand the features of a report



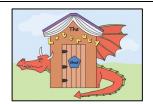
To create an orientation and suitable heading

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Hook into Session/Opening Activities	they should appear in, what do to are the characters? Now watch to predictions as to what might hap accurate? Were they surprised?	the children predic the clip. Stop whe ppen next? Contin Give out the reso Vatch the clip for a	ct the narrativn the candle bus to watch to warce 1a and al	e' ask the children about the order e would be? What happens? Who slows out. Can the children make to the end. Were their predictions llow the children some time to sort . The children should include any
Lesson Input	children why might this be news headline. Show the children the resource 1c. Can they match the Can the children think of any of note of these to be used in the particular children resource 1d. The children longer than 2 sentences to summary was are present. Not all of the 5 points of the lighthouse story are resource 1e and ask the children children how they can be a little	worthy? The child list of headlines in em up? Give the ch their own as they blenary. Next discu en need to unders marise the story. C Ws have to be cove e, what do we need in to talk in their pa more general with	ren's first job n resource 1b nildren talking discuss the he ass what an or tand that it ne an the childre ered. Discuss ved ed the reader the hirs about which	and the list of types of headline in time to do this in pairs or threes. addines in the resource? Make a lientation contains? Show the leeds to grab attention and be no in identify in each, which of the 5 with the children what the main to know. Show the children ch is best and why? Show the
Independent Activities	Simplify Give the children several examples of orientations to use for reference. Children to write their orientation for the lighthouse story. As extension, give the children 1f. How many questions relating to the picture can they come up with?	Children to write orientation for t lighthouse story As extension, give children 1f. How questions relating picture can they with?	he ve the many ng to the	Extend Children to write their orientation for the lighthouse story. Encourage precision vocabulary choices and a journalistic voice. As extension, give the children 1f. How many questions relating to the picture can they come up with?
Plenary	•	children to work	-	children a post-it note to write iscuss their ideas and support
Further Teaching Points	Can the children find and b interest?	oring in example	es of orienta	ations for stories of local

Resources: 2a, 2b, 2c

Lesson objective:

To use dramatic techniques to explore events



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The Lighthouse-Lesson 2

To use direct speech

Hook into
Session/Opening
Activities

Write on the board LIGHTHOUSE KEEPER, VILLAGERS, SHIP'S CREW. Watch the clip again Ask the children to work in pairs to come up with as much information about that person/people as they can. They can infer and deduce information. Next tell the children that today they are going to be members of the press and will interview these characters. Give the children a few minutes to write down some questions they would like to ask these characters about the incident.

Lesson Input

Next ask the children to take on different roles around the classroom. Each table needs to have one person who is the lighthouse keeper and then several crew members and villagers. Explain that they are going to move around the classroom for around ten minutes to collect information about what went on that night. Model this for the class by selecting some children who would be confident to perform. Show the children that asking a closed question will lead to a restricted answer, whereas an open question leaves more scope for the children to elaborate. Ask the children to look at the questions they formulated earlier and to select six to ask, two to each of the three people they speak to. They need to talk to the lighthouse keeper, a villager and a crew member. Remind the children that they want to find out information which will be interesting for the reader. Give out **resource 2a**. Children should complete this by moving around the class to ask each of the questions. Next look at **resource 2b**. These are examples of quotes. Demonstrate how to do this through modelling. Look at the use of quotation marks.

Independent
Activities

Children to write their information from the lesson into a series of quotes which could be used in their report.

Simplify

Use **resource 2c** to support the children.

As an extension, give out appropriate newspapers and ask the children to look for quotes.

Expect

Children to write their information from the lesson into a series of quotes which could be used in their report. Encourage the children to try to use person first then quote second. E.g. A spokesperson for the palace said, 'We will be closing the castle wall while we investigate.'

As an extension, give out appropriate newspapers and ask the children to look for quotes.

Extend

Children to write their information from the lesson into a series of quotes which could be used in their report.

Expect that the children should be using a mixture of quotation styles.

As an extension, give out appropriate newspapers and ask the children to look for quotes.

Plenary

Use a visualiser, iPad or similar to show some examples of the children's work. Talk through them together. Look at the punctuation. Is it accurate? Use the checklist in **2c** to help.

Further Teaching Points

Can the children find examples of quotes in newspaper reports and bring them in to add to a working wall?

Resources: 3a, 3b, a selection of news stories.

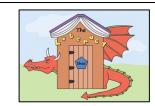
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The Lighthouse-Lesson 3

Lesson objective:

To understand and appropriately use formal language



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Hook into Session/Opening Activities	opposite walls. If this is no whiteboard. Show the character unforeseen circumstance trouble with snow so the simply contain contraction board and ask the children	aper write FORMAL and INFORMAL. So to possible the children could do this sildren a series of formal and informates, tonight's performance will be cance school's going to be shut today. Give ons to add an element of challenge. Seen to go and stand by the formal or inclidren move through the task and challenge move through the task and challenge.	s from their seats with a I sentences. E.g. Due to elled. We're having a bit of the children some which how the sentence on the nformal sign. Support any
Lesson Input	we use in professional, or serious, when we don't k importance. Can the child important? What do we t idioms or clichés. It avoid precise language, statistic of complex sentences. No	stion- what is formal language? Ascer fficial and impersonal situations. It is know our audience personally and who dren come up with ideas for when for think the features are? There are no classifications the first person, uses the passive voices are often used, it uses Standard Entext show the children the resource 3 accomplete the last 4 examples.	used when we need to be nen the topic is of rmal language would be contractions, colloquialisms, pice more often, it uses iglish and is often made up
Independent Activities	Simplify Give the children appropriate articles from newspapers to locate the formal language examples.	Give the children appropriate articles from newspapers to locate the formal language examples. Can the children write the informal version of the vocabulary/sentence?	Extend Give the children newspaper letters page. Resource 3b. The children need to change these letters from informal to formal. They will also need to look at the punctuation used.
Plenary	the groups. Do all of th	of the formal language found in the children agree it is formal? Look ow have they changed it? Do we a	at one of the letters from
Further Teaching Points	· · ·	next lesson the children could find bring it in for the working wall.	l examples of formal and

Resources: 4a, 4b, 4c, 4d

Lesson objective:

To note and develop initial ideas



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The Lighthouse-Lesson 4

Hook into
Session/

Opening Activities

Watch the clip again and this time ask the children to jot down the key facts that would be important in responsible journalism. Explain that the detail we might use in a piece of narrative is not necessarily relevant in report writing. It is important that we stick to the facts and report accurately what happened. Witnesses might provide additional information. The children should record the facts of the evening in a list or as additional information into their 5Ws sheet. Ask the children to feedback and ensure there are no misconceptions. Show or explain the information in **resource 4b** which will be of importance for their report.

Lesson Input

Look at the example in **Resource 4a**. Ask the children to comment upon what they learn in the first paragraph. We do not learn all of this information from the clip and so some of this has to be added by the writer. Explain that in professional journalism this would not be invented by the journalist. The paragraphs should develop the 5ws, though the children should not restrict themselves to writing the paragraph solely about one of the Ws each time. They should also be made aware that they may have more information to add into some paragraphs. Together, as a shared write, construct the next paragraph. Show the children the information in **resource 4c** or other suitable information. Tell the children that this is the information that I have decided will go into paragraph two. Explain also that some of the information may be relevant to the story but gives contextual information. E.g in a report about an earthquake it might be relevant to include information about any previous earthquakes which had occurred, and their magnitude. Construct the paragraph together. Focus on verb forms, chosen for effect, particularly when moving from the reported events to contextual information.

Independent
Activities

NOTE

The children can plan their work in whatever form they wish. The bullet planner is one suggestion and should be the medium through which to record their ideas. Other fast visual planners may be explored.

Simplify

Bullet point plan the report ensuring all 5Ws are covered. Leave section for re-orientation. Begin to construct the first paragraph. The orientation should have been constructed on Monday.

Children may need additional adult support to help structure their paragraph.

Expect

Bullet point plan the report ensuring all 5Ws are covered. Leave section for re-orientation. Begin to construct the first paragraph. The orientation should have been constructed on Monday.

Extend

Bullet point plan the report ensuring all 5Ws are covered. Leave section for re-orientation. Begin to construct the first paragraph. The orientation should have been constructed on Monday.

Greater focus should be placed upon contextual information and shifts in tenses/verb form.

Plenary

Give out the selection of images in **resource 4d**. Can the children decide upon the caption they would write to go with each of the images?

Further Teaching Points

Can the children find any examples of contextual information within newspaper articles? Could children find out the history of lighthouses?

Resources: 5a, wordbanks for some children if necessary

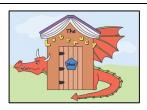
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The Lighthouse- Lesson 5

Lesson objective:

To write a report with a suitable ending



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Hook into Session/ Opening Activities	Watch the clip again and stop at 0:46s. Tell the children that you will play the clip again and that this time you would like the children to note down any preposition phase that springs to mind as they watch the clip e.g. on the clifftop, above the village, inside the houses. Ask them to write down as many as they can. Next see if the children can find a partner who has the same preposition phrase as them. Ask the children to move around the room to find a partner with the same preposition phrase. How could they make them different? Remind the children to use factual adjectives and not overly descriptive adjectives e.g. along the coastline could become- along the dangerous stretch of coastline or along the rocky coastline or along the coastline dotted with villages. Look at how each has been expanded.		
Lesson Input	examples. Give the childr of their adjective use. Loo the end. Explain this as the past tense to the presare now assisting Mr Thoremotely-operated lante the adjectives local and the reorientation ready to ad	ren some examples which at the differences being ending of the piece. It sent. Look together at the switch the repairs to the clifftop as a the memorary and the struid to their piece. It does are drafting their reori	hildren's writing today and share some good ch would suit narrative and not non-fiction because etween the two. Next discuss the reorientation at It brings the story up to date and often moves from the reorientation Members of the local community to Briar's Rock lighthouse and are planning to fit a emporary measure. Discuss the tense, the use of cture of the sentence. Children to write their s not matter that the children have not finished entation ready to add it to their work. Move around
Independent Activities	Simplify Children will write the remainder of their report. They should begin where they had finished during the previous session and add their reorientation at the end. Children may need wordbanks/table mats to support with the process.	Children will write the remainder of their report. They should begin where they had finished during the previous session and add their reorientation at the end.	Children will write the remainder of their report. They should begin where they had finished during the previous session and add their reorientation at the end. Children should be encouraged to write with greater emphasis upon management of shifts in formality between the witnesses and the remainder of the text. There should also be a greater focus upon the selection of verb form.
Plenary	would they place at the t which would be in the bo	op in the hot, hot, hot ottom section and woul at it warms up or even	• 5a. Ask the children to select 3 sentences. Which section, which would be in the middle- warm and d be too cold. Now can the children develop the becomes hot hot hot. What could they do to
Further Teaching Points	_		ren could turn the news report into a script or another suitable app.

Resources: 6a, 6b, Image of choppy seas

Literacy Shed clip and link:

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The Lighthouse-Lesson 6

Lesson objective:

To combine information about the life of



a character and a setting to provide an introduction to narrative

Hook into Session/

Play the clip and stop at 0m40s. Our writing this week will be a mixed first-person/third person narrative. Therefore we will include many references to the character's emotions and thoughts about the incident. To open we are going to try to set the scene and introduce our character together. Look together at **resource 6a**. This could be enlarged. Children need to add information, which they know already, about the character. They also need to look out for setting information in the first seconds. E.g. full moon, cloudy, waves were gathering. Look at the opening in **resource 6b**. Highlight together where there is information about the man and information about the setting.

Opening Activities

Lesson Input
This week's focu

This week's focus will be on writing a mixed first person/third person narrative. For children who are not secure with these elements of writing it may be necessary to ask the children to write in either tense and not both tenses. Look together at how the children can begin to weave information together in their opening paragraph. Discuss that by giving an insight into the life of the lighthouse keeper, we are providing information to his background. It is also an exciting way to explore the movement between different forms of the past tense. Explain to the children that today they are going to focus upon weaving the details from the lighthouse keeper (and his past) with the setting. One way to do this is to have some pre-prepared sentences, enlarged, on single pieces of paper. Split the board and decide together is it about the lighthouse keeper or the setting. Next look at how to select a few of the sentences to begin to put together. Use a sheet of flipchart paper to do this or another suitable space, Do we need to add anything? E.g. I was always fond of the sea and would spend hours, as a child, out on the beach collecting shells and staring at the waves (Lighthouse keeper). The rocks below the lighthouse were perilous and constantly gnawed by the waves (setting). These could then be combined. I was always fond of the sea and would spend hours, as a child, out on the beach collecting shells and staring at the waves. Though I learned as an adult that the peace and tranquillity of the sea could change at any moment. The rocks beneath the lighthouse were perilous and constantly gnawed at by the waves, and the walks I'd had as a child were rare because of the high tides and dangerous currents.

Independent
Activities

Children should use resource 6a to formulate sentences about the lighthouse keeper and the setting.

Simplify

Expect

Children should use resource **6a** to formulate sentences about the lighthouse keeper and the setting. These should be written as a paragraph with a focus on a balance of setting and character sentences.

Extend

Children should begin to write their opening paragraph and should try to weave information about the lighthouse keeper's life into the text. Share ways like- I used to, I have always etc

Plenary

Ask the children to look at an image of choppy seas. How many different similes or metaphors can they come up with? These will be used tomorrow.

Further Teaching Points

Encourage the 'Expect' group to complete their paragraphs. In an art lesson this week it would be exciting for the children to create lighthouse pastel pieces.

Resources: 7a, 7b, 7c, sentence openers if needed by the

children

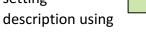
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The Lighthouse-Lesson 7

Lesson objective:

To write a setting description u





a variety of sentence styles

Hook into Session/ Opening Activities	feel about the people of does it make us feel ab be (perhaps New Year at night- resource 7a we notes if they wish. Togo 3 preposition phrases,	out the man and the cheering peror Christmas). Next ask the childreatch the clip again and focus uponether complete a 4,3,2,1 of ideas. 2 short snappy sentences and 1 sexample. Only focus on the village	this? Why is this in the clip? How ople? What time of year could it en to look at the image of a village on the setting- children can take Write 4 expanded noun phrases,
Lesson Input	together into a setting and the discuss why the the word 'friendly' and	thed look at how, with some editidescription- resource 7c. Look at a author has done this. Discuss the fact some of the sentences his their work. Model the process	the edits which have been made e repetition for effect, the use of ave been combined. Today the
Independent	Simplify	Expect	Extend
Activities	Children should complete the paragraph of setting description. Provide the children with support in the form of sentence openers where necessary.	Children should complete the paragraph of setting description. The children should include a repetition. The children should also look to combine their sentences to create more grammatically complex structures.	Children should complete the paragraph of setting description Expect that they should look at more complex sentence constructions. Can the children go on to describe the inside of the lighthouse? Books on the bookshelf, bed in the corner, austere, ship's wheel etc
Plenary	back to our first-person the clip together note of distracted by the sound	on of film between 0.44 sec and 1 narrative again. This will be a sin down what happens in sequence. It is hat the window, the light were blows open, the candle blows out	nple series of steps. As you watch I was working at a table, I was nt out, the villagers ceased
Further Teaching Points		plore what the lighthouse kee opened the day before? Or a p	

Year: 5/6 Lesson objective: Resources: 8a, 8b, 8c, 8d To write action as a first person **Literacy Shed clip and link:** narrative http://www.literacyshed.com/the-lighthouse.html The Lighthouse-Lesson 8 **Hook into** Look together at the work you completed yesterday during the plenary. You Session/ should have noted the steps up to the point where the candle blows out. Recap this then share **resource 8a**. Ask the children to look at the openers. Look at the variety of sentence lengths. Show the children resource 8b then ask the children to edit and improve these sentences. Talk to the children about the ways in which **Opening Activities** they can do this and provide modelled examples for the children using their ideas. **Lesson Input** Share the children's work from the opening activity. Where have the children been particularly successful? Ask the children to then write their sequences into a paragraph, much like the last paragraph in the example in **8a**. Before the children begin, ask them to consider avoiding over repetition of a noun by selecting a different synonym. E.g. Light, beam, beacon, glow, lantern. Next ask the children to look at **resource 8c.** Watch the clip until 1m 34s. Allow the children to make notes about how the actions are performed, what details are missing? Talk about the example on 8c. The children DO NOT need to fill in sheet 8c, rather they should use it to help them construct their next paragraph about the lighthouse keeper reaching the top of the lighthouse. To simplify, some of the steps could be combined or removed. **Independent** Simplify **Extend Expect Activities** The children should The children should The children should complete the next complete the next complete the next paragraph paragraph using 8c as a paragraph using 8c using **8c** as a support. support. Explain that you as a support. Use will be looking for a range the wordbank in 8d of sentence openers. Use to help. DADWAVERS at the bottom of resource 8d to help.

Show the children the 10 seconds between 1m36s and 1m46s. As a table, can the

children create a descriptive sentence to explain that the boat was approaching?

Look at how to use DADWAVERS further to improve sentence construction.

Write onto large sheets of sugar paper. This will be used tomorrow.

Plenary

Points

Further Teaching

Resources: 9a, 9b, 9c

Lesson objective:

To create atmosphere including an

appropriate level of detail



Literacy Shed clip and link:

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The Lighthouse-Lesson 9

Hook into	Watch the clip from 1m36s until the point where the lighthouse keeper throws open the		
Session/	door. To begin we will write a short first person account of what the lighthouse keeper		
	does up to the point where the dome smashes. Put three large hoops on the floor or		
	draw these on the board. Use the following headings I INSPECTED THE LANTERN, I HEARD		
Opening Activities	A SHIP, THE GLASS COVERING WAS BROKEN. Now ask the children to make other		
Opening Activities	suggestions which would mean the same thing. Use 9b to help look at how to add detail		
	to the sentences. All of the children need at least one sentence for each and these need		
	to be written on separate pieces of paper or post-it notes. Children need to add these to		
	the correct hoop.		

Lesson Input

Take three good examples of the sentences. Use a strip of masking tape on the board or floor and explain that this is the timeline. Place the sentences in the correct chronological order. Then ask the children what actions or thoughts happened between these points. They may or may not have seen them in the clip. E.g. After looking inside the lantern he peers through the glass door. Ask the children to help write 2 or 3 linking sentences with the three main sentences in the paragraph. Next look at resource 9a. Discuss with the children where we see the first person/third person perspectives. Today we will complete the first paragraph. Look at the use of the word CRASH and also the repetition involved in the first paragraph. Children use their sentences from the start of the lesson to help them.

Independent
Activities

Children to write the first person narrative paragraph up to the point where the glass smashes. Work with this group to explore sentence lengths and

constructions.

Simplify

Expect

Children to write the first person narrative paragraph up to the point where the glass smashes.

Challenge the children to use onomatopoeia and a repetition for effect.

Extend

Children to write the first person narrative paragraph up to the point where the glass smashes.

Challenge the children to use repetition for effect, verb opening sentences, at least two conjunctions and if possible a relative clause.

Plenary

Look at the second paragraph in 9a. This returns to third person. The children need to use this paragraph to explain how he is feeling. In preparation to this, show the children the image in 9c and ask them to write words, phrases and sentences around it to explain his feelings about the situation. Ask the children to fill the page.

Further Teaching Points

Explore the use of first person narrative and exploration of character feeling through a range of books.

Year: 5/6 Lesson objective: **Resources: 9a, 9b, 10a, 10b** To use appropriate **Literacy Shed clip and link:** vocabulary and http://www.literacyshed.com/the-lighthouse.html grammatical structures, including a variety of sentence openers. The Lighthouse- Lesson 10- children may need a double session to complete their narrative **Hook into** Use the children's work from the plenary yesterday and ask the children to construct a second paragraph about the lighthouse keeper's feelings. Can they include a repetition of a comparative Session/Opening adjective? Faster and faster, closer and closer, nearer and nearer? If children finish this ask them to **Activities** consider how we will make the urgency of the situation clear in the next paragraph. Ask the children what 'show, don't tell' means. Ensure the children are clear about the meaning of **Lesson Input** the phrase and give the children examples to assess their understanding. Next look at the idea of 'panic'. What does this LOOK like? Look at the two examples in resource 10a. Which is more successful at conveying the sense of urgency? The longer example certainly contains some successful descriptions, however the shorter version actually coveys the urgency and tension of the situation. In this case, less is more. Look at the shorter sentence constructions, the explanation of what is happening to the character's breathing, the use of well-chosen words and phrases to describe speed- quick, short, glance, brief. Together create a shared paragraph using ideas from the children. Children to write this into their books at the same time as the teacher. Watch the clip from 2m03s to the end. We will return to third person for the final part of the lesson. Watch the clip again and on a separate piece of flip chart paper note down everything which happens, include information that the children don't see but which must have happened-e.g. he got to his feet, he went back up the lighthouse. Look at the example text on resource 9a. Discuss the openers. Which of the DADWAVERS sentences are used here? A mixture of description, action, verb, estimation of the time and adverb. Could we have used a preposition or a simile or rhetorical question? Give out the DADWAVERS support sheet- resource 10b. Ask the children to complete the final paragraph by using the chronological timeline of events and the DADWAVERS support sheet to help. Set the following challenges. **Independent Simplify Expect** Extend **Activities** Children to use at least-Children to use at least-Children to use at least-Description Description As with the EXPECT group but also... Action Action Verb **Rhetorical Question** Adverb Simile Verb Estimation of the time Short snappy sentence Where things are Estimation of the time Short snappy sentence Short snappy sentence Ask the children to share the last paragraph with a partner. Swap books. Can the children find **Plenary** evidence of each of the sentence openers they have been asked to include? Can the children find evidence of well chosen vocabulary? Highlight these. Children to offer each other a 'praise' and a 'progress' comment. What did they do well? What do they do next to improve? **Further Teaching** Complete the editing process as part of a word processing lesson where the **Points** children clearly mark the difference between the first and third person

paragraphs.