

Year 6 Writing Targets 2018-2019

Name: _____

Ideas	1. I can describe a setting, the time, characters and atmosphere/mood in narrative writing.			
	2. I can select the appropriate structure, vocabulary and grammar considering my audience and the formality of the text.			
Voice	3. I can use dialogue to advance the action.			
	4. I can proofread my writing checking for spelling and punctuation errors, and propose changes to improve my work.			
Word Choice	5. I can use verb tenses consistently and correctly.			
	6. I can use figurative language effectively (e.g. simile, metaphor, onomatopoeia, personification).			
	7. I can use colloquialisms in speech.			
	8. I have not repeated words in the text and have used synonyms.			
Spelling	9. I can use a dictionary and thesaurus when editing.			
	10. I can spell most words correctly from the Year 5 and 6 spelling list.			
Organisation	11. I can use a range of cohesive devices (e.g. adverbials, conjunctions, repetition, prepositional phrases and ellipsis)			
	12. I can use a wide range of clauses and vary their position within a text.			
	13. I have used all 6 different sentence openers (2 per paragraph) Although... However... Having...			
	14. I have included both long and short sentences in paragraphs.			
Grammar	15. I can use modal verbs eg should, might, could, would.			
	16. I can include a relative clause.			
	17. I can use commas accurately after subordinate clauses.			
	18. I can use expanded noun phrases.			
Punctuation	19. I can use semi colons accurately.			
	20. I can use colons for lists and emphasis.			
	21. I can use dashes and hyphens accurately.			
	22. I can use brackets accurately.			
Present-ation	23. I can use paragraphs accurately.			
	24. I can use joined handwriting of a consistent size, which is legible when I am writing at speed.			

