

Weekly English Planning

Genre and text: Poetry

Year 6

w/b: 24.5.2021

	Learning objective	Main teaching	Activity	Resources	Vocabulary
Monday	LO to manipulate language to write a poem	<p>Simon Mole Poetry - word to poem https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=r3FZyXFS6bU</p> <p>Look at the work you have done. What are you proud of? What can you improve?</p>	<p>Read the poems the children have written.</p> <p>Pair-share their poems. Can they offer any advice to their partner?</p> <p>Be ready/rehearse to perform your poems</p> <p>Class performances</p>	<p>Poem video clip</p> <p>English book</p> <p>Thesaurus/dictionary</p>	<p>Poem stanza vocabulary</p> <p>Language Senses</p> <p>Description Adjective Adverb</p>
Tuesday	LO to structure a poem based on feedback	<p>Simon Mole Poetry - word to poem https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=c5NaDfdynNg</p> <p>Look at the work you have done. What are you proud of? What can you improve?</p>	<p>Read the poems the children have written.</p> <p>Pair-share their poems. Can they offer any advice to their partner?</p> <p>Be ready/rehearse to perform your poems</p> <p>Class performances</p>	<p>Poem video clip</p> <p>English book</p> <p>Thesaurus/dictionary</p>	<p>Poem stanza vocabulary</p> <p>Language Senses</p> <p>Description Adjective Adverb</p>
Wednesday	LO to select vocabulary to fit a theme	<p><u>Newspaper Blackout Poetry</u></p> <p>Look at the Powerpoint for the Newspaper Blackout Poetry (saved on Google Drive).</p> <p>Discuss the construction of these poems. Have you seen one before?</p> <p>Look at the text (pasted below this plan). It's a newspaper article from March 23rd 2020 when the first lockdown was announced. What's the key message of the article? What will the title of our poem be?</p> <p>Work as a class to blackout words to leave a 'Lockdown poem' behind.</p>	<p>If there's time, use the First News articles and work in pairs to see if you can blackout some words and leave a poem (relating to the article) behind.</p> <p>Share poems as a class.</p>	<p>News article (pasted below)</p> <p>English books</p> <p>Black marker pens</p> <p>First News newspapers</p>	<p>Article Topic Blackout Newspaper Poetry Relating Stanza Adjective Verb Noun Proper Noun Conjunction Stylistic license</p>

Thursday	LO to think about the word class of the words in my poem	<p><u>Newspaper Blackout Poetry</u></p> <p>Class sharing of poems from yesterday.</p> <p>What was tricky about 'writing' your poem? What tips do you have?</p> <p>Write a class guide to selecting the vocabulary for and writing your poem.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 	<p>Give children a range of newspaper articles on their desks to look at.</p> <p>Which captures your interest?</p> <p>Try to create your own blackout poem.</p> <p>Can you make sure you've included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - a verb - a conjunction - a noun - a proper noun - an adverb - (what else might you include?) 	<p>Newspapers</p> <p>English books</p> <p>Black marker pens</p> <p>First News newspapers</p>	<p>Article Topic</p> <p>Blackout Newspaper Poetry</p> <p>Relating Stanza</p> <p>Adjective Verb</p> <p>Noun Proper Noun</p> <p>Conjunction Stylistic license</p>
Friday	LO to edit and improve my poem	Read through poems in pairs – how could you improve?	<p>Make the edits to your poem.</p> <p>Perform poem to class.</p>	<p>Newspapers</p> <p>English books</p> <p>Black marker pens</p> <p>First News newspapers</p>	<p>Article Topic</p> <p>Blackout Newspaper Poetry</p> <p>Relating Stanza</p> <p>Adjective Verb</p> <p>Noun Proper Noun</p> <p>Conjunction Stylistic license</p>

Matt Hancock has made a statement on the lockdown measures introduced by the UK Government yesterday, which aims to slow the spread of coronavirus.

On 23 March 2020, the Government announced measures to stem the coronavirus pandemic. These included a 'lockdown': citizens should now stay at home apart from essential travel or risk fines and all non-essential shops were to close.

Today, the Health Secretary updated MPs on these measures.

Matt Hancock: a "national effort"

Health Secretary Matt Hancock told MPs that people should only be leaving their houses for four reasons:

- to buy food
- to exercise once a day alone or with members of the same household
- because of a medical need or to provide care for a vulnerable person
- to travel to or from work that cannot be done from home. For work that cannot be done at home, Mr Hancock recommended a 2 metre gap between employees.

The Minister said that any non-essential shops must close and that gatherings of more than two people were not allowed. He stressed that "these measures are not advice. They are rules and will be enforced, including by the police", and noted that fines will be issued for those that do not comply.

He also updated MPs on "shielding". This is comprised of the Government writing to up to 1.5 million of the most vulnerable people in the UK who need to "shield themselves" to advise them on the supplies and support they need.

Mr Hancock concluded:

"Home is now the frontline and in this national effort, working together, we can defeat this disease. Everyone has a part to play."

