



Autumn 2 English Varmints

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Writing Outcomes:

1. Cinquains and Personification based on the power and strength of nature.

Grammar:

1. Use and identify adverbials of time, place and number used across paragraphs to aid cohesion.
2. Use expanded noun phrases for concision.
3. Select precise synonyms and antonyms to specify.
4. Identify and use relative pronouns at the beginning of relative clauses (who, which, where, when, whose, that).
5. Identify modal verbs.
6. Use modal verbs and adverbs to show certainty/possibility.

Composition:

1. Select appropriate grammar and vocabulary, understanding how such choices can change and enhance meaning.
2. Propose changes to vocabulary, grammar and punctuation to enhance effects and clarify meaning.
3. Perform their own compositions, using appropriate intonation, volume, and movement so that meaning is clear.
4. Identify the audience for and purpose of the writing, selecting the appropriate form and using other similar writing as models for their own.

Speaking and Listening:

1. Demonstrate active listening by justifying ideas or expanding on the ideas of others.
2. Use adventurous and sophisticated vocabulary.
3. Expand and justify ideas across the curriculum.
4. Perform in improvised role play, group or class performances considering the effectiveness of delivery.

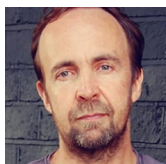
Reading:

1. To elicit meaning from the inference within a text.
2. Participate in discussions about books that are read to and read independently, building on own and others' ideas and challenging views courteously.

Inspirational Individuals:



Helen Ward



Marc Craste



Carol Ann Duffy

Key Text



Linked Texts:

The Last Wild - Piers Torday

The Tin Forrest - Helen Ward

The Ocean's Blanket - Carol Ann Duffy

Key Theme:

Destruction

Key Vocabulary:

Vocabulary Ninja:

insane
ecstatic
plummet
infamous
blistering
stout
acquire
glide
spooked
exciting
obtain
whopping
continue
splendid
seaweed
ecstatic
despise
occupy
advise
camouflage
roasting
maim
captivating
effervescent
bounce
massacre
inactive
equivalent
compact
inspect
raucous
treasure
adorable

Subject-specific:

an expert stated
heroic actions
increasingly concerned
raised questions
unsung hero
can reveal
since records began
not yet confirmed
unbelievable
without any warning
incredible
crucial witnesses
critics argue
sensational
just confirmed
scientists conclude
sources
iconic
close to the scene
miraculous escape

abloom
fauna
riverbank
evergreen
celestial
verdant
moonglade
grove
perennial
breath-taking
captivating
enchanted

Spelling:

financial
commercial
provincial
initial
spatial
palatial
controversial
initially
controversially
financially
appreciate
cemetery
conscious
convenience
environment
immediately
language
sufficient
thorough
vegetable
abundant
brilliant
constant
distant
dominant
elegant
fragrant
ignorant
tolerant
vacant
abundance
brilliance
elegance
extravagance

relevancy
vacancy
dominancy
abundance
innocence
decent
frequent
emergent
confidence
competence
transparent
eloquence
violent
intelligence
dependable
comfortable
understandable
reasonable
enjoyable
reliable
possible
horrible
terrible
incredible
reliably
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comfortably
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