



Spring 2 English Varjak Paw

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Writing Outcomes:

1. Write a playscript about a new adventure for Varjak Paw.

Grammar:

1. Use commas after fronted adverbials.
2. Use inverted commas/speech marks to punctuate direct speech.
3. Use a/an correctly.

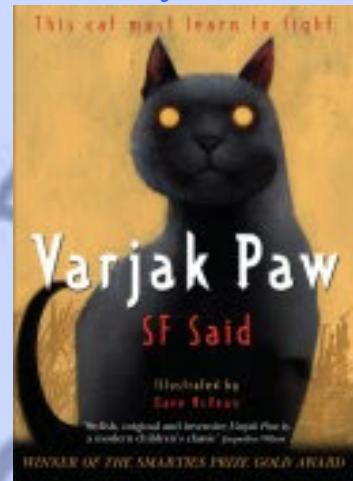
Composition:

1. Compose and rehearse sentences orally (including dialogue), progressively building a varied and rich vocabulary and an increasing range of sentence structures.
2. Propose changes to grammar and vocabulary to improve consistency, including the accurate use of pronouns in sentences.

Speaking and Listening:

1. Ask for specific additional information to clarify.
2. Explain a project or concept to a group of peers.
3. Seek clarification by actively seeking to understand others' points of views.

Key Text



Linked Texts:

Wolves in the Walls - Neill Gaiman

Mouse, Bird, Snake, Wolf - David Almond

The Savage - David Almond

Key Themes:

Ancient Civilisations
Animals and Habitats

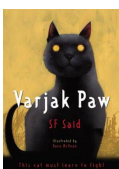
Reading:

1. To find clues in order to answer **inference** questions.
2. To use information provided in a text to make a **comparison** between two different situations.
3. To use the context of a text in order to work out more complex **word meaning**.

Inspirational Individuals:



S F Said



Varjak Paw



Nelson Mandela

Key Vocabulary:

Vocabulary Ninja:

wound
fascinating
cheery
hop
eliminate
sluggish
similar
tiny
gape
deafening
cherish
appealing
produce
vast
transfer
ambled
puzzling
pristine

Subject-specific:

cower
majestic
intruder
trepidation
sinister
vanquish
conceal
vengeance
agile
ominous
stealth
slink

Spelling:

build
describe
imagine
library
natural
ordinary
promise
recent
suppose
weight
arrival
burial
comical
magical
emotional
national
personal
optional
survival
tropical
battle
settle
article
humble
struggle
terrible
possible
example
capable
adjustable

gently
simply
humbly
nobly
durably
terribly
incredibly
responsibly
wrinkly
possibly
basically
frantically
logically
tragically
magically
publicly
dramatically
historically
automatically
specifically
truly
slyly
fully
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wholly
dryly
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happily
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