

English Department

Year 7

Topic: Grammar Skills Learning Journey

Prior learning:

-KS2 creative writing and grammar skills

- link to upcoming narrative writing SOL in Y7

Learning sequence – topic title					Endpoint
Main learning steps	Understanding of key grammar concepts at word level, including: root words, verb tense agreement, verbs and adverbs, word choice	Creative writing: using our grammar skills to write an accurate and engaging story	Understanding grammar concepts at sentence level: sentence types, conjunctions, coordinating and subordinating clauses	Understanding grammar concepts at whole text level: paragraphing	<p>Creative Writing: using all our grammar skills to write an accurate and engaging story using an image stimulus.</p> <p>Teachers to use progress map.</p> <p>End of unit reflection in purple pen.</p>
Key Vocab	plot climax theme noun verb adverb adjective conjunction subordinating clause synonym antonym plural				independent clause singular
Possible Assessment Topics		<p>Write a ‘10 minute’ short story – students to choose specific genre. Use grammar principles learned.</p> <p>Teacher to diagnostically mark with WWW and EBI. Students to respond in purple pen.</p>			<p>Write your own story, using an image stimulus.</p> <p>Teacher to mark with WWW and EBI, using progress map.</p> <p>Students to answer EBI question.</p>

Where will we use these ideas again: All key vocab will be relevant to novel study, poetry study, and writing SOL later in Year 7.

