

Week 3

Day 1. Enjoy writing a story, the theme is **Stuck** read on to find out more.

Stuck

Today you are going to write a narrative or story. The idea for your story is 'Stuck'.

It could be a person, object or animal that is stuck in your story. Where are they stuck? How did they get there? What will happen to them?

Think about the following:

- Who are your characters?
- Where is your story set?
- What is the problem or complication and how will it be solved?
- How will your story end?

Remember to:

- Plan your story with a beginning, middle and end.
- Organise your ideas into paragraphs.
- Choose your words carefully to entertain the reader.
- Write in sentences.
- Pay attention to your spelling and punctuation.
- Check and edit your work carefully.



Using Different Types of Conjunction

L.O: To recognise and use different types of conjunctions.

Choose the correct type of conjunction from the box to complete these sentences.

Coordinating Conjunctions

and but or so

Subordinating Conjunctions

although because so that even if whenever before even though until

Correlative Conjunctions

whether/or either/or both/and not only/but

Questions

1. I went to bed very late _____ I am tired today.
2. My dad has fixed my bike _____ I can take it to the park.
3. We are having _____ pasta _____ curry for dinner
4. I listened to the weather forecast _____ put an umbrella in my bag.
5. I will always support my local team, _____ they always lose!
6. The weather is forecast to be _____ hot _____ humid.
7. My brother is grumpy _____ he has got to do his homework.
8. He goes abroad on holiday, _____ he doesn't like flying.
9. My mum is _____ a brilliant doctor, _____ she is a great runner too.
10. I enjoy playing hockey _____ it's not my favourite sport.
11. We could go to the park _____ to the cinema.
12. I'm not sure _____ I'm going to the match _____ not.

3. Practice handwriting Year 3/ 4 Common Exception Words

breathe

build

busy

business

calendar

caught

centre

century

certain

circle

complete

consider

Incredible Invertebrates!

- 10 Invertebrates are a species of animal that do not have a back bone. Mammals, amphibians, reptiles, fish and birds do not fit into this category because they all have vertebrae (spinal bones), but these animals make up less than 4% of all the animal species on Earth. This means that around 96% of animal species alive are invertebrates.
- 66 These include marine invertebrates and molluscs, such as sponges, jellyfish and oysters, as well as crustaceans and insects, such as crabs, shrimp and butterflies.
- 91 The largest invertebrate ever recorded was a giant squid that measured 13m long. The smallest invertebrates are so tiny that they cannot be seen by the naked eye.



4. Comprehension – Answer questions in full sentences.

Quick Questions

1. Write a short definition of the word 'invertebrate'.



2. What percentage of animals on Earth actually have spinal bones?



3. Who do you think this information is for?



4. Write two questions that you could find the answers to in this text.



a. _____

b. _____

