

# Writing

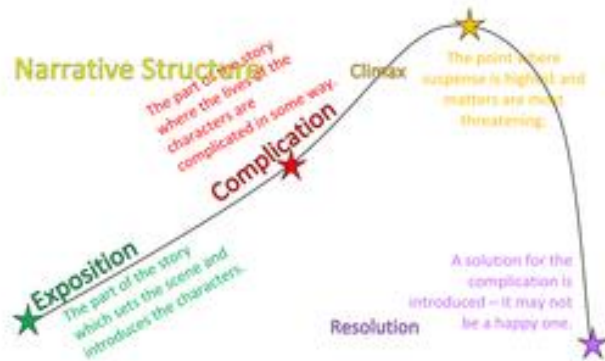
## Year 7: Summer: Earth

### Punctuation

- Full stop
- Question mark
- Exclamation mark
- Comma
- Apostrophe
- Brackets
- Speech marks
- Hyphen
- Ellipsis

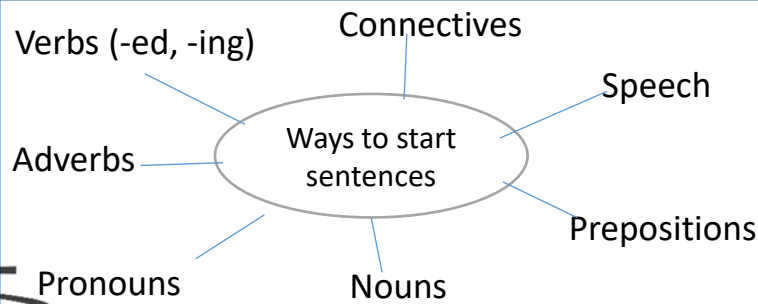


### Narrative writing Top Tips



#### Descriptive techniques

- Simile**- a comparison using like or as e.g. as tall as a tree
- Metaphor**- a comparison where you say something is something else e.g. The traffic is murder
- Personification**- where you give objects human qualities e.g. Lightning danced across the sky
- 5 senses**- sight, smell, sound, touch and taste
- Adjectives**- words which describe nouns
- Adverbs**- modify verbs, adverbs, adjectives and full sentences



### How to write an article

- A**lliteration
- F**acts
- O**pinions
- R**hetorical question
- E**motive language
- S**tatistic
- T**hree line list
- E**xaggeration
- R**epetition

### Heading

- P1. Introduction- explain why you are writing and your 3 main ideas.
- P2- main idea 1
- P3- main idea 2
- P4- main idea 3
- P5- conclusion

- T- text type
- A- Audience
- P- purpose
- S- style

#### Simple Sentence

- Contains a subject and a predicate
- Expresses a complete thought.

#### Examples:

The boys went to the park.  
We like pizza.

#### Tip:

A simple sentence is also called an independent clause.

#### Compound Sentence

- Contains two or more independent clauses.
- Clauses are joined by a coordinating conjunction.

#### Examples:

The boys went to the park, but they did not go to the zoo.  
We like pizza, and we like spaghetti.

#### Tip:

Look for these conjunctions: *for, and, nor, but, or, yet.*

#### Complex Sentence

- Contains an independent clause and a dependent clause.
- Dependent clause begins with a subordinating conjunction.

#### Examples:

Because the boys went to the park, they did not go to the zoo.

The boys did not go to the zoo because they went to the park.

#### Tip:

Look for these subordinating conjunctions: *after, before, because, although, when, since, if, whenever, unless, while, so that, even though, wherever.*

