

Tuesday 12th January

WALT: Write Detailed Instructions

(You need to listen to Chapter 1 & 2 of the book from your guided reading first)

Today we are going to begin writing instructions on how to catch a dragon!

We will base our writing on Chapter 1 and 2 of How to Train your Dragon by Cressida Cowell and write our own instructions on how to catch a dragon.

You will need to include all the features of instruction writing we have been learning about so far this term

- ▶ Title
- ▶ Bullet points
- ▶ You will need/equipment/ingredients
- ▶ Imperative verbs
- ▶ Numbers
- ▶ Helpful hint/top tip
- ▶ Underlined sub-headings
- ▶ Subordinating conjunctions
- ▶ Method: clear steps in sequence
- ▶ Text boxes
- ▶ Diagrams
- ▶ Adverbs to emphasise details

Plan Your Writing

Let's discuss

- ▶ What will be your title?
- ▶ What could you write for your introduction?
- ▶ What equipment will you need?

Now it's your turn

- ▶ In your book or on a piece of paper or notebook if you are at home, write the date and WALT

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- ▶ Next, write the title for your instructions in the centre of your page and underline it
- ▶ Then write your introduction for your instructions letting the reader know what they are for and getting them interested
- ▶ Miss a line and write your Equipment, underline it and write your list of what you will need using bullet points
- ▶ Tomorrow we will write the Method and conclusion for our instructions.