

Y3 English Distance Teaching and Learning

Week beginning: 1st June 2020

Lesson 4

<p>Learning Intention WALT: write a report and improve our writing</p>	<p>Key Vocabulary: Headline – a title at the top of an article Quote - what somebody says, between inverted commas/speech marks Caption - a comment that goes with a picture Adjective – describes the noun</p>	<p>What you will need: Blue, red, green and orange pens, highlighters or pencils Exercise book we provided Computer, tablet or phone (if available) Video: Year 3 English – S2 Week 1 – Lesson 4 Video</p>
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Starter

Listen to Miss Robbins read extract one on the video or read it yourself...

EXTRACT ONE

From Chapter thirty: Charlie's Chocolate Factory (181 words)

The great glass lift was now hovering high over the town. Inside the lift stood Mr Wonka, Grandpa Joe and little Charlie.

"How I love my chocolate factory," said Mr Wonka, gazing down. Then he paused, and then he turned around and looked at Charlie with a most serious expression on his face.

"Do *you* love it too, Charlie?" he asked.

"Oh yes," cried Charlie, "I think it's the most wonderful place in the whole world!"

"I am very pleased to hear you say that," said Mr Wonka, looking more serious than ever. He went on staring at Charlie. "Yes," he said, "I am very pleased indeed to hear you say that. And now I shall tell you why." Mr Wonka cocked his head to one side and all at once the tiny twinkling wrinkles of a smile appeared around the corners of his eyes, and he said, "You see, my dear boy, I have decided to make you a present of the whole place. As soon as you are old enough to run it, the entire factory will become yours."



Why do you think Charlie was given the factory and not any of the other children? What was Charlie like?

Main Teaching

Newspaper article

We are going to write a newspaper article about Charlie winning the Chocolate factory. To do

this we need to know what the features of a newspaper article are. Have a look at this one...

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These are important features of a newspaper article. This isn't a good example of a newspaper article. Whilst it includes all the right features, does it really grab the reader's attention? Does it have an exciting headline? Does it contain lots of information? Does it give the reactions of the people involved? No!

So now we are going to improve it. Reread extract one. How do you think Charlie felt? Make a list of 'wow adjectives' to describe Charlie's feelings.

You might have thought of...

Excited, ecstatic, stunned, amazed, pleased, elated, shocked

To write an article for a newspaper the reporter has to interview the main character in the story. We are now going to imagine that we have interviewed Charlie. Answer the following 6 questions as if you were Charlie. After each question, except question 4, I have put an extract from the book to help you to answer each question. You can use these in your answers or you can think of your own way of answering them.

1. How did you feel when you first found the Golden Ticket?

Extract...

Charlie picked it up and tore off the wrapper...and suddenly...from underneath the wrapper... there came a brilliant flash of gold. Charlie's heart stood still.

Charlie hadn't moved. He hadn't even unwrapped the Golden Ticket from around the chocolate. He was standing very still, holding it tightly with both hands while the crowd pushed and shouted all around him. He felt quite dizzy. There was a peculiar floating sensation coming over him, as though he was floating up in the air like a balloon. His feet didn't seem to be touching the ground at all. He could hear his heart thumping away loudly somewhere in his throat.

Your answer should be like this...

When I saw the brilliant flash of gold underneath the wrapper, my heart stood still. I felt dizzy. I then began to feel like I was floating in the air like a balloon and I could feel my heart thumping away loudly somewhere in my throat.

2. What did your family think when you found the ticket?

Extract...

Mrs Bucket simply stood and stared, while the four old grandparents, who were sitting up in bed balancing bowls of soup on their laps, all dropped their spoons with a clatter and froze against their pillows. For about ten seconds there was absolute silence in the room. Nobody dared to speak or move. It was a magic moment.

Then very slowly, with a slow and marvellous grin spreading all over his face, Grandpa Joe lifted his head and looked straight at Charlie. The colour was rushing to his cheeks, and his eyes were wide open, shining with joy, and in the centre of each eye, right in the very centre, in the black pupil, a little spark of wild excitement was slowly dancing. Then the old man took a deep breath, and suddenly, with no warning whatsoever, an explosion seemed to take place inside him. He threw up his arms and yelled 'Yippeeeeeeee!' And at the same time, his long bony body rose up out of the bed and his bowl of soup went flying into the face of Grandma Josephine, and in one fantastic leap, this old fellow of ninety-six and a half, who hadn't been out of bed these last twenty years, jumped on to the floor and started doing a dance of victory in his pyjamas.

Your answer should be like this...

When I arrived home and told my family about the Golden Ticket, my mum stood and stared. My four grandparents, who were in bed at the time, dropped their spoons with a clatter and froze against their pillows. There was absolute silence and then my ninety six and a half year old Grandpa Joe seemed to explode, he yelled, "Yippeeeee," and then started doing a dance of victory.

3. What was it like inside Willie Wonka's chocolate factory?

Extract...

'How lovely and warm!' whispered Charlie.

'I know. And what a marvellous smell!' answered Grandpa Joe, taking a long deep sniff. All the most wonderful smells in the world seemed to be mixed up in the air around them – the smell of roasting coffee and burnt sugar and melting chocolate and mint and violets and crushed hazelnuts and apple blossom and caramel and lemon peel. And far away in the distance, from the heart of the great factory, came a muffled roar of energy as though some monstrous gigantic machine were spinning its wheels at breakneck speed.

Your answer should be like this...

Inside the chocolate factory was amazing. There was this marvellous smell. All the most wonderful smells in the world seemed to be mixed in the air around us. In the heart of the factory there was this roar of energy as though it was some monstrous gigantic machine spinning its wheels at breakneck speed!

4. What happened to the other children in the chocolate factory? (I've written below what happened to each of the other children. Don't just copy this. Try to write a more general sentence about it.)

Augustus Gloop was pulled up by a pipe in the chocolate river, Violet Beauregarde ate chewing gum and turned into a blueberry, Veruca Salt was put down a shoot by squirrels who thought she was a bad nut and Mike Teavee got transported through television which made him tiny.

Your answer should be like this...

The other children that came into the factory unfortunately didn't make it to the end because they all did something Mr Wonka had asked them not to and because of that some dreadful things happened. One of them was even put down a shoot by squirrels. Would you believe?!

5. How did it feel to be given the chocolate factory by Mr Willie Wonka?

Extract...

'You see, my dear boy, I have decided to make you a present of the whole place. As soon as you are old enough to run it, the entire factory will become yours.'

Charlie stared at Mr Wonka. Grandpa Joe opened his mouth to speak, but no words came out. 'It's quite true,' Mr Wonka said, smiling broadly now. 'I really am giving it to you. That's all right, isn't it?'

'Giving it to him?' gasped Grandpa Joe. 'You must be joking.'

'I'm not joking, sir. I'm deadly serious.'

'So that is why you sent out the Golden Tickets!' cried Charlie.

'Exactly!' said Mr Wonka. 'I decided to invite five children to the factory, and the one I liked best at the end of the day would be the winner!'

Your answer should be like this...

When Mr Wonka told me he was going to give me the chocolate factory, I couldn't believe it, my jaw dropped and I stared at him. He then told me that was why he'd sent out the Golden Tickets, that he'd liked me the best and that's why I'd won. I felt ecstatically happy and delighted for me and my family...we are no longer poor!

6. What are you going to do now?

'There's no time for arguments!' cried Mr Wonka. 'We must go at once and fetch the rest of the family – Charlie's father and his mother and anyone else that's around! They can all live in the factory from now on! They can all help to run it until Charlie is old enough to do it by himself!'



Where do you live, Charlie?’

Your answer should be like this...

Well, Mr Wonka has already moved me and all my family, including my 4 grandparents, into the chocolate factory. They are going to help run the factory until I'm old enough to run it myself.

You now need to choose which challenge to complete. We expect you to complete either challenge 1, 2 or 3.

Independent tasks

Challenge 1

Using the answers I've written to the questions in the last activity you now need to complete the newspaper article below. You will need to change it from Charlie answering to you reporting on it. For example instead of saying 'When I saw the brilliant flash of gold' you'd write 'Charlie saw a brilliant flash of gold'.

You also need to use a quote in your last paragraph. I have put the inverted commas in for you so you just need to copy my answer to question 6 here without changing how it's written. You don't have to use all of the answer, just parts.

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Charlie's Champion Challenge

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_____. His mum _____.

Like everybody else I was fascinated to hear that inside the chocolate factory _____

Amazingly the 4 other Golden Ticket winners _____

Shockingly, when Charlie was told by Mr Willie Wonka that he was giving him the factory he said that _____

Draw a picture of Charlie and his chocolate factory here...

Champion Charlie, the chocolate factory winner

Finally I asked Charlie what he intended to do now. His reply was, " _____

_____”

Challenge 3

Using your answers to the questions in the last activity you now need to complete the newspaper article below. You will need to change it from Charlie answering to you reporting on it. For example instead of saying 'When I saw the brilliant flash of gold' you'd write 'Charlie saw a brilliant flash of gold'. You don't have to use all of the answer, just parts. You will also need to write an eye catching heading, a caption for the picture and an opening statement (for an example for all of these things you can look at mine in challenge 1).

Success criteria...

- Write an eye catching heading, using alliteration (two or more words near each other that start with the same sound) if you can
- Write an opening statement
- In first paragraph use your answers to questions 1 and 2
- In your second paragraph use your answers to questions 3 and 4
- In your third and final paragraph on the left use your answer to question 5
- Write your last paragraph using your answers to question 6 underneath the box for the drawing on the right
- Include a quote in one of your paragraphs
- Write a caption for the picture
- Draw the picture to go with your caption

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Learning Review

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Mark Scheme

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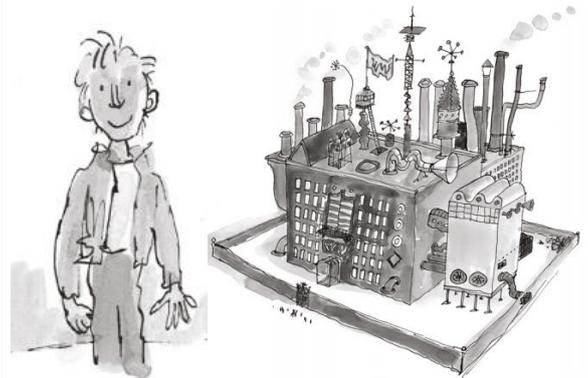
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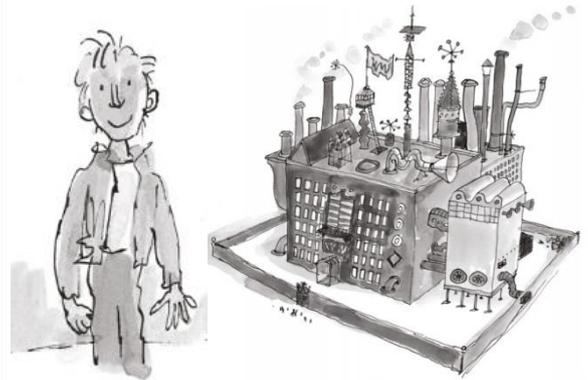
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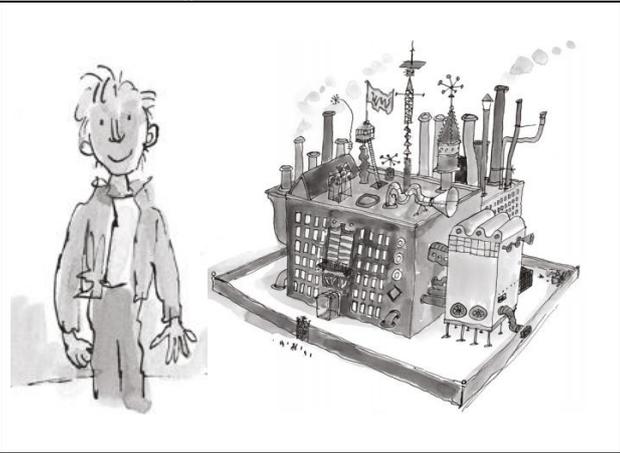
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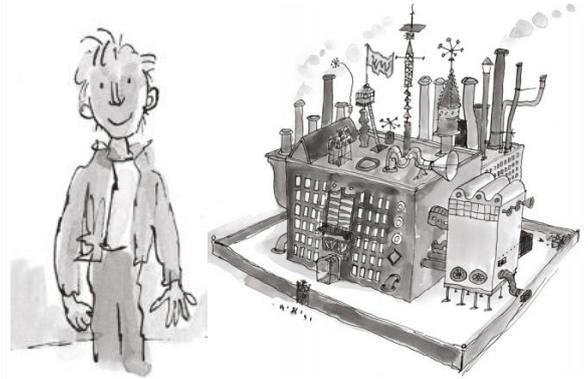
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