

Y1 English Distance Teaching and Learning

Week beginning: 8th June 2020

Lesson 4		
Learning Intention: WALT: use adjectives to plan a character description.	Key Vocabulary: Setting Noun adjective Capital Letter Full stop Finger Space Senses- smell, touch, sight, taste, hear	What you will need: Computer or tablet Pencil Paper

Starter (10 minutes)

Read the information about the characters from the Land of Never believe and look at the pictures on the next pages.



The inhabitants of Never believe are friendly, gently and doll like in stature. I took to them immediately and they were very kind in showing me their skills in caring for and developing Crop Garden. The islanders' cloven feet give them an impressive sure-footedness on the undulating island terrain, particularly on the steep hillocks where their homes are. Hats are very popular with men and women. The clothes worn by both men and women have strong decorative qualities. Some are spectacularly inventive in their use of nature materials and fabric made or found on the shores. Grasses become coats,

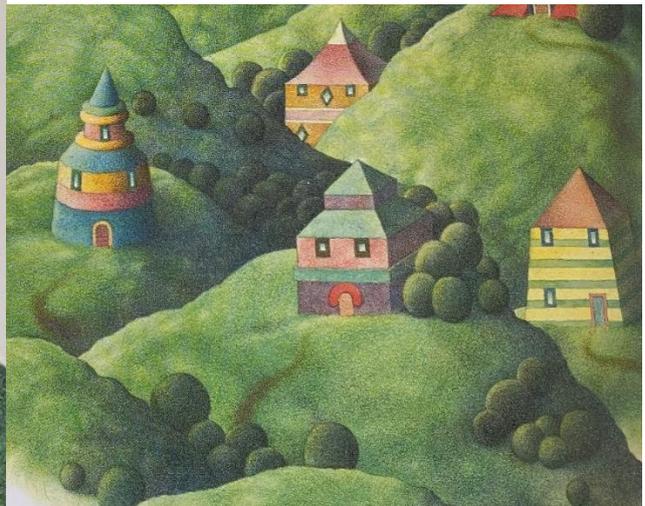
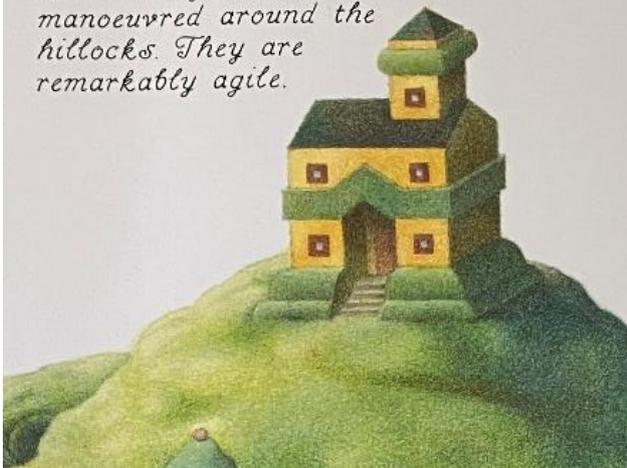
flowers become hats, leaves become jackets and so on. The islanders' crafting abilities enable them to embellish and adorn themselves so creatively.

THE HAMLET

You will never believe how delightfully colourful, fanciful and quirky the islanders' homes are. The picturesque hillocks and dwellings all seem to cuddle up together.

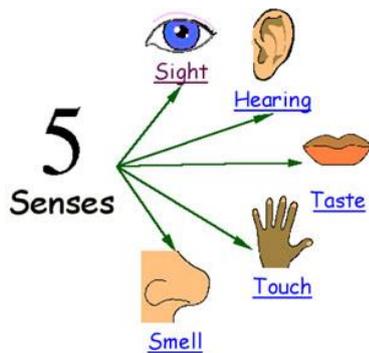
The circular Globe Trees grow on the hillocks and are very shallow-rooted, so during periods of high wind they are often blown downhill. The islanders see the trees as a symbol of their continuing life on the island and will always set about re-planting them with great vigour.

Touring around the various houses, I had many an enlightening experience being shown the huge variation in style. I observed how nimbly the islanders manoeuvred around the hillocks. They are remarkably agile.



Main Teaching

What are the five senses?



What is a noun?

A noun is a word that is a person, place, or thing e.g. Ben, London, table.

What is an adjective?

A word naming an attribute or describing a noun e.g. red, quick, delicious, huge.

Main Task

Independent Task

Fill in the character description plan with both adjectives and nouns. Choose one of the characters from the land of Never Believe to describe.

Sight:	Smell:
Hear:	Touch:

Learning Review

Does the adjective fit with the noun to describe the character?



The character has a blue petal coat.



The green leaves cover her dress with shiny sparkles.

Mark Scheme

Main Task

<p><u>Sight</u></p> <p>blue hat beautiful dress huge eyes</p>	<p><u>Smell</u></p> <p>sweet flowers fresh leaves</p>
<p><u>Hear</u></p> <p>rustling dress stomping feet delicate voice</p>	<p><u>Touch</u></p> <p>soft skin heavy basket smooth hat</p>

Learning Review

Does the adjective fit with the noun to describe the character?



The character has a blue petal coat. **Yes**



The green leaves cover her dress with shiny sparkles. **No**

The second sentence needs more information. The leaves are dark green, pink and yellow. They also do not cover the dress. They are on her shoulders and hips. If you had not seen the picture you would imagine something different from the second sentence.