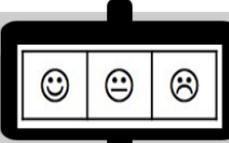


Blended Learning

7.1 A Day in the Life

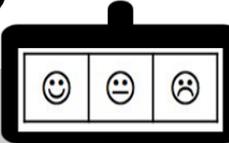


1. How do authors present their personality? Watch at least parts 1 & 2 of the clip. Make a list of the hazards Grylls faces. Explain in 2 paragraphs how Grylls presents himself as an expert



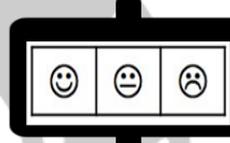
2. Why do people write autobiographies? Watch the clip. Write a bullet point summary of what happened to Malala. Watch clip 2, then outline ways Malala can positively influence people. At least 10 points

Clip 2



3. How can we access 'big picture' thinking? Click this link for the lesson on approaching non-fiction texts

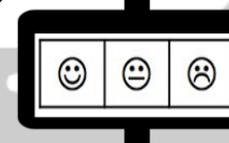
4. What makes a language choice important? Click this link for the first lesson on analysing language in non-fiction texts



7. Are stereotypes important in autobiographies? Watch the clip on this link, then clip 2. Write down your impressions of Adams. Finally, write down the ways she is what we might expect from a boxer, and also the ways she is different to what we might expect

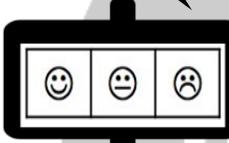
Clip 2

6. How do authors present their viewpoints? Click this link for the lesson on exploring writers' perspectives



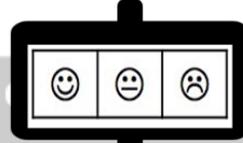
5. What makes a language choice important? Click this link for the second lesson on analysing language in non-fiction texts

8. How do we make convincing links between texts? Click this link for the lesson on summarising ideas across two texts

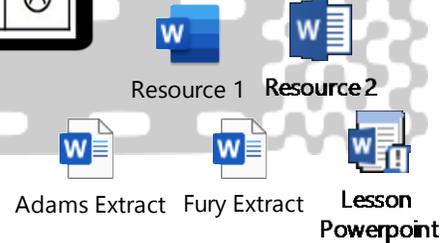


9. How do we compare the methods writers use? Click this link for the lesson on comparing perspectives and methods

10. How do authors present their personality? Click this link for the lesson on writing about comparisons



11. Can we put all the skills together? Now have a go at putting everything together. Follow the Powerpoint, which will prompt you with what resources you will need. Resources below



Subject Specialist Key Words
 Autobiography Recount Metaphor
 Simile Personification Adjective Noun
 Pronoun Verb Complacent Diabolical
 Meandering Irony Overwhelm Solitude
 Individualist Rationalise Pinnacle Debut

NRW:

Additional extract Additional extract 2

- <https://teachers.thenational.academy/lessons/what-is-memoir-writing-cngk4e>
- <https://teachers.thenational.academy/lessons/writing-about-a-memory-cru6ad>

Why is it important to use a variety of sentence types within your writing?

Recapping the basics: sentence types, statements, paragraphs, capital letters.



What is non-fiction and transactional writing?

Task: Create a mind map of key points for revision.



How much do you know about our Earth — its species, its resources and its threats?

Getting to know our planet
Task: Take the test!

How do we stop the destruction of our planet?

Task: Watch the clip. Design your own poster to raise awareness of the environmental issues in the clip.



Why is it important to consider Audience, purpose and form when creating a piece of transactional writing?

Task: Bullet point ten things you have learnt. Take the test!



'Consistent and clear communication is vital when writing a speech'

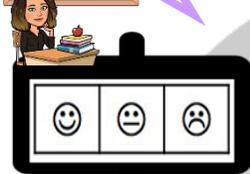
To what extent do you agree?
Task: write a persuasive speech to encourage the public to look after our planet.



Which persuasive technique do you feel is the most effective?

Persuasive devices – Take the test!

Knowledge is
POWER

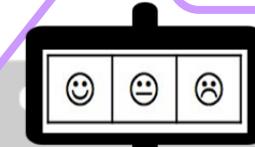


How important is public speaking for our society?

Task: Listen to David Attenborough's speech about global issues. Explain why his speech is effective.

Is there a solution to the plastic pollution crisis?

Task: Watch the clip. Write a letter to Mr Dixon, encouraging him to use less plastic in school.



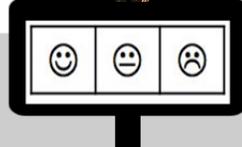
'Journalists should simply share the facts. There is no need for opinion in a newspaper article'

To what extent do you agree?
Task: Read through the information. Take the test!



How did the amazon fires impact the wider world?

Task: Watch the news report. Write your own newspaper article about the amazon fires.



'A letter is as important today as it was 50 years ago'

To what extent do you agree?
Task: Create your own success criteria for writing an effective formal letter.



Subject Specialist Key Words

Environment
Species Deforestation
Extinct Degradable Biodiversity
Biodegradable Biosphere Ecosystem Atmosphere Manufacture
Civilisation Pollution Species Solution Geological Agriculture
Catastrophe Emissions Endangered.