

9 - 10 Writing Ideas

Paper 1	<p>The extract on 'Raffia' is 115 words long. Write notes on the extract. How many words do you need to use to note all the important information on raffia?</p>						
Paper 2	<p>Write a poem with the title <u>A Week of Summer Weather</u>. Structure your poem in the same way as <i>A Week of Winter Weather</i> i.e. two lines for each day of the week. Begin by writing a list of different types of weather you might have in the summer. Then experiment with rhyming words you might use to link the two lines about each day.</p>						
Paper 3	<p>Imagine you are the stranger watching Robinson Crusoe. Write your account of the extract. Begin it like this. <i>For days this strange man didn't move from his home. Then one day, he went along the beach to where I think he found a footprint of mine...</i></p>						
Paper 4	<p>Write about a school trip you have been on. Remember to include the date, place, how you got there, what you did, anything unusual that happened and the time you got home.</p>						
Paper 5	<p>Copy the table. Using the information in the extract fill the table in.</p> <table style="margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left;">Animal</th> <th style="text-align: left;">Environment lived in</th> <th style="text-align: left;">Type of camouflage</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td style="text-align: left;"><i>polar bear</i></td> <td style="text-align: left;"><i>snow</i></td> <td style="text-align: left;"><i>white fur</i></td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Can you add three more animals to the table?</p>	Animal	Environment lived in	Type of camouflage	<i>polar bear</i>	<i>snow</i>	<i>white fur</i>
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Paper 6	<p>Read the poem <i>The Night Mail</i>. Write a paragraph about the poem. Include what you like and dislike about it. Pick out two lines you like and in your own words explain what the poet is describing.</p>						
Paper 7	<p>Rewrite the fable <i>The Hyena and the Dead Ass</i> in a modern day situation. For example you might imagine setting it at school. Think carefully about the characters and the setting.</p>						
Paper 8	<p>The <i>101 Dalmations</i> is written from the point of view of the dogs. Include the same information found in the extract but write it from the point of view of the humans, Mr and Mrs Dearly.</p>						
Paper 9	<p>Write your own poem about a journey you have made home. It could have been in a car, on a bus or even a plane. Before you write your poem write notes on where you were, how you felt and the things you saw and tasted.</p>						

Paper 10	Write a scene using the same characters, Sophie and the Giant Person, but have Sophie visit the Giant Person's bedroom. Think of a good opening to the scene and a clear description of the setting. What happens when the Giant Person discovers Sophie!
Paper 11	A hobbit has been discovered for the first time by a family walking in a wood. They reported their finding to the local newspaper. Write a newspaper article about the discovery of the hobbit. Remember to include when, where and who found it as well as a detailed description of what it was like.
Paper 12	Imagine you are the first person ever to stretch your arms around the Iron Pillar. Write a short story describing what it was like on the first day when all your wishes came true. What did you wish for? Was it an enjoyable day? Think of something unusual that might happen to make your story more interesting.