

English

Wednesday – Thursday 27-28<sup>th</sup> January

Writing your story

Inspired by the artwork  
Stormy Weather  
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**Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> January**

Today you should write the beginning of your story, including the problem that happens.

Use your ideas and planning sheets to help you.

# How to write a good story:

**Opening**  
Introduce the characters and location/setting of the story

**Build-Up**  
Begin to write about what is happening at the start of the story. Use the characters you have introduced.

**Problem**  
Write about the problem in the story. What has gone wrong?

**Fixing the problem**  
How will the problem be fixed?  
Think about how the characters might work together to solve the issue.

**Closing**  
Bring everything in the story to an end and make sure the problem has been fixed.  
**THE END**



Here is the beginning of my story =

Loud thunder crashed above and the rain poured outside. I felt a cold shiver running down my back as I thought of the task ahead of us... As I looked out of the window I saw the reflection of where we needed to go, I took a deep breath and left to meet the others.

What kind of story do you think mine is going to be?

You can see I have used three of the ideas on my senses sheet in my writing.

Use story start the from your planning sheet yesterday.



HEAR

the loud, crashing thunder

rain pouring down

the shed door banging in the wind of the storm



FEEL

cold, shivers down my back





worried - I don't like this storm.

scared - Will we get message to the lighthouse on time?

When you are writing, make sure you remember the Golden Sentence rules.

## Golden Sentence

A Golden Sentence must...

- Begin with a capital letter 
- Have finger spaces 
- End with a full stop 
- Make sense to the reader 

Star learners will:



- Use amazing adjectives
- Write a story with a clear beginning, middle and end

**Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> January**

Finish your story.

Start your writing today by reading back what you wrote yesterday – this will help you get back inside your story.

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