



Grammar and Punctuation Overview: Years Three & Four Cycle A Spring Term

English Unit	Grammar	Punctuation
Stories as a theme (3-4 weeks)	Use prepositions for where e.g. above, below, beneath, within, outside, beyond	Use inverted commas to punctuate direct speech
	Create complex sentences using a range of conjunctions	Group related material into paragraphs
	Identify, collect and use noun phrases	Commas to separate clauses in complex sentences
		Commas within noun phrases
Discussion (2-3 weeks)	Create complex sentences using a range of conjunctions	Group related material into paragraphs
	Linking ideas through paragraphs	Commas to separate clauses in complex sentences
Novel as a theme (3-4 weeks)	Fronted adverbials	Apostrophes- singular
	Verb inflections	Apostrophes- possession
	Singular and plural	Paragraphs
	Linking paragraphs	Commas after fronted adverbials
Recount: Diaries (2-3 weeks)	Use the determiner 'a' or 'an'	Paragraphs
	Use of pronouns	Commas after fronted adverbials
Poems on a theme (1-2 weeks)	Rhyming words	Apostrophes- singular
	Noun phrases	Apostrophes- possession
	Pronouns	