

Year 3 and 4 Expectations

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<p><u>Shared Reading</u> 2Do Tasks set for children on Purple Mash with hand-in dates There are also PDF activities for each chapter which you can access by typing in the name of the text into the search bar.</p>			
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<p align="center"><u>Text – Alien Hotel</u></p> <p><u>Week 3</u> -Read chapter 3 -complete online multiple choice questions -complete – Hotel Kazoom Guidebook task Date Set: 4.5.20 Hand in Date: 8.5.20</p> <p><u>Week 4</u> -Read chapter 4 -complete online multiple choice questions -complete – Sally Mitton Cam task Date Set: 11.5.20 Hand in Date: 15.5.20</p>		<p align="center"><u>Text – Look into My Eyes</u></p> <p><u>Week 3</u> -Read chapter 3 -complete online multiple choice questions -complete – ‘The Conversation’. Date Set: 4.5.20 Hand in Date: 8.5.20</p> <p><u>Week 4</u> -Read chapter 4 -complete online multiple choice questions -complete book review. Date Set: 11.5.20 Hand in Date: 15.5.20</p>	
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<p><u>Grammar</u> 2Do task set for children on Purple Mash Aim is for children to get 100% in each activity set. They are able to practise and complete activity/task multiple times over the week.</p>			
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<p><u>Week 3</u> -Complete Frank’s Clever Window (focus – formation of nouns using a range of prefixes) Date Set: 4.5.20 Hand in Date: 8.5.20</p> <p><u>Week 4</u> -Complete Consonant or Vowel? (focus – use of the forms a or an according to whether the next word begins with a consonant or vowel) Date Set: 11.5.20 Hand in Date: 15.5.20</p>		<p><u>Week 3</u> -Complete Story Gaps (focus- noun phrases expanded by the addition of modifying adjectives, nouns and preposition phrases). Date Set: 4.5.20 Hand in Date: 8.5.20</p> <p><u>Week 4</u> -Complete Day Out (focus – use of fronted adverbials) Date Set: 11.5.20 Hand in Date: 15.5.20</p>	

2 Week writing Project – Link to Art

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You are going to use your creative writing skills!

Descriptive writing relies on an awareness of the senses which can be addressed through good discussion and use of art work. Below, you will see that there are some photos of scenes such as, falling Autumn leaves and beautiful idyllic images of the beach.

Here are some which you could magpie some ideas from.



Autumn Leaves

Breathing in deeply, the smell of freshly mown grass wafts through your nostrils as a gentle breeze whips your flailing hair behind you. Wispy leaves are rubies settling silently in a wooden casket, layering its essence. With great reluctance, Autumn leaves let themselves be blown to the very peaks of the highest mountains and the brittle twigs follow closely behind after being stolen off their perches. Listening carefully, the swish and rustle of the whispering trees can clearly be heard amongst the silence of the early morning. Continuously, textured bark unguulates in waves around a chocolate covered centre, that unbelievably doesn't melt. Relaxing in the sun, furry moss sits in the grassy undergrowth with the oozing mud and the scurrying insects. Leaves as red as crimson cherries fall into the awaiting basket below. The ground is a mouth waiting impatiently to swallow the leaves and devour their juicy innards. Shadows silently creep on tiptoe, not daring to leave its lair. Logs barricade all entrances. There is no way to disturb the leaves that have settled and are now sleeping in hibernation. The rustle of movement gives whispering trees eyes and logs a sense of smell. Trees entwine and form borders around an Autumn filling. Winding wildly, weeds curl around its prey... a beautiful tulip decides to suddenly spring into action and suck life out of the enemy.



Mountain Landscape

As the river reflects the mountains, it is just like a mirror. Frighteningly, the forest darkness creeps up on you and grabs you with a fright. Crunching under your feet, it feels like a rocky beach. Towering above your head, the trees sway in the wind, the birds tweeting and singing above you. Sneakily, the elevated tall towering tree waits for an animal and then it drops a pinecone straight onto its head. Reflecting everything, the lake is a mirror wanting to be safe. Beautifully, the mirror's little waves move as gentle as the skin of a peach. It looks up at the mountains asking for help because it needs protection. Happily, the blue sky looks at every move that happens. Looking, the indigo blanket takes information from everything that moves.



Crashing Waves

As sharks swim swiftly and cunning crabs claw their way across the sandy floor, a brutal wave crashes into the rugged rocks as ferociously as an angry tiger. Gazing curiously in awe, a cotton wool cloud cheers on the raging ocean, that is battling against the absurdly strong boulders, in the hope of freedom. Crash! Mercilessly, a forceful wave erodes the monsters of the vast sea. Crying out loudly in pain, the angry wave attempts to weaken the rocks as indestructible as steel. Cursing, the furious wave retreats, glistening beautifully in the glorious sunlight, almost giving up. But then... the sun comes into full view, beaming radiantly. A solitary island stands alone, the ruler of all the sea. It beckons towards the wave, murmurs then sends it away. Thousands of miles away, the wave tries to find its way back. Silently watching and waiting for the wave to return, the horizon stays put, never closer yet never further. However, the sea stays moving and it will forever more... Colliding with the rocks, a wave beats on the rocks throbbing away at your eardrums. A salty aroma ascends to your nostrils and it is mistakenly the smell of sea water. A strong taste of rage and anger emerges from the ocean, and you wonder why the sea is so angry.



Beach Scene

Swiftly, the marshmallow like clouds get nibbled opulently as they vanish into thin air. Pleasantly, the fluffy clouds move out of the way of the sun light so the sun can gently spread warmth to all faraway lands. Calmly, clouds spread a thick layer of golden sand over the island. Pink pearls and scarlet red crabs sink violently into the thick moist carpet of golden honey sand... Silently, waves crash, mermaids sing as the aqua ocean sings out to the others by the smooth golden sand. While fish swim slowly through the tropical ocean, they leave a warm humid scent in the air.

Choose an image below to write about.



Getting Started

To begin with, choose an image, then draw and paint it so that you become fully immersed in the world and are able to describe it in more detail. Then, mind map your ideas about the image- sometimes the first thing that comes to mind is the best.

Thinking Questions:	What language am I going to include?	How can I improve my writing?
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ What can I see? ✓ What can I hear? ✓ What can I smell? ✓ What can I taste? ✓ What can I feel? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Modified nouns ✓ Adjectives ✓ Expanded noun phrases ✓ Metaphors and similes ✓ Range of sentence openers. ✓ Verbs and adverbs. ✓ Co-ordinating and subordinating conjunctions. ✓ Personification 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Read my work aloud to check it makes sense ✓ Check capital letters are in the correct places (at the end of sentences and used for proper nouns)? ✓ Have I included commas? ✓ Check my spellings are correct?

		✓ Have I written in my neatest handwriting and formed by letters correctly?
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After you have written your descriptive creative piece of writing, please ask your grown –up to send a photo of it to Mrs Hade’s email address, along with your painting.

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- If you want to send us a photo of you learning at home, please send it to sallyh28@bishopalexanderacademy.co.uk
- Don't forget your physical well-being, maybe go for walk, have a game of football in the garden or play on your trampoline. Joe Wicks is broadcasting at 9am live and free on YouTube-The Body Coach- for 20-30minutes daily PE activities (these are saved on his YouTube channel so can be accessed at ANY time)