

ALMOND HILL JUNIOR SCHOOL MEDIUM TERM PLAN

TOPIC TITLE/SUBJECT: SuperJoe does not do cuddles (English)

YEAR GROUP: 3

TERM Autumn 2

Vocabulary

Grammar:

 Capital letter, full stop, comma, noun phrase, preposition, adjective, synonym, thesaurus, verb, compound sentence, adverb, conjunction

Subject Vocabulary:

 Superhero, villan, rescue, adventure, arch-enemy, encounter, mischief, intuition, efficient, emergencies, predicament

Speaking and Listening:

- listens to key information and makes relevant, related comments
- demonstrates active listening when the detail provided is unclear, by commenting or asking for an explanation
- follows longer instructions that are not familiar
- demonstrates increased clarity and precision of ideas
 e.g. through the use of relative clauses
- explains or gives reasons for their views or choices

Skills

- Create settings and characters and plot in narrative
- Use some prepositions to describe locations of objects
- Use some conjunctions (e.g. and, because, when, even though) for cohesion and to add detail
- Use noun phrases with the appropriate punctuation if needed (commas in between adjectives)
- Choose interesting and exciting vocabulary
- Building writing stamina
- Increase the legibility, consistency and quality of handwriting

Spelling:

 Spell most common exception words and use phonics to spell unknown words

What we already know

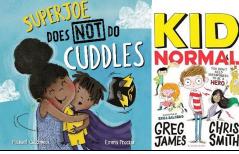
<u>Word - Spell common exception words correctly</u>
Use phonic knowledge and other knowledge of spelling to spell many words relating to KS1

<u>Sentence</u> - Subordination (using when, if, that, because) and co-ordination (using or, and, but) Expanded noun phrases for description

<u>Text -</u> Correct choice and consistent use of present tense and past tense throughout writing

<u>Punctuation</u> - Use of capital letters, full stops, question marks and exclamation marks to demarcate sentences

Key Texts / Wider Reading



Application/ Outcomes

Main writing outcome is a 3rd person past tense recount

Smaller outcomes include:

- Character description
- Word banks
- Sentences using conjunctions
- Questions for the author

Concepts

- Good vs Evil
- Diverse characters
- Families

Other/Cross Curricular Links with English/Maths/Adaptation for SEND

SEND – pictures for writing, word banks, scaffolded sentences

PSHE - families

