



Reading Task



THE BOASTFUL TURTLE

Read the story of The Boastful Turtle (attached) and then complete the comprehension task. Begin by answering the 'Inference Focus' questions and then complete the 'Vipers Questions'. Make sure you EXPLAIN your ideas carefully and try to answer using full sentences, rather than just one word answers. For example, the first question:

- Why was Turtle so mean to the other animals?
Turtle was so mean to the other animals because he was frustrated that he couldn't fly.
See how I looked BACK and used the question to help me write my answer in a sentence.

Writing Task - Instructions

Before Christmas, we were looking at writing instructions. Let's see what you can remember - think back!

Write out a set of instructions for something. It might be a recipe for something (a marvellous medicine for sorting out your grumpy granny!?), the instructions for some incredible invention (turning your dog into a vessel for flying to Portugal?) or maybe it's instructions for how to detain a dragon! Whatever you want!

Remember these sections:

Title

Introduction (What are the instructions for and who might need them?)

What you need

What to do

Conclusion (what will be the result of following the instructions?)

Extra tips!

Don't forget to include time connectives, imperative verbs and adjectives! I'm looking forward to seeing what you come up with!

4 children describe their birthdays.



My birthday is the first day of the second month.

Mo



I was born on the 15th of June.



Teddy



I was born on the last day of the year!

Eva



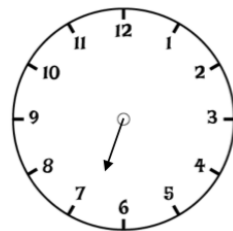
I was born two days before Mo.



Dora

Can you work out their birthdays and order them from earliest to latest in the year?

Numeracy Focus - Time



This clock has lost its minute hand.

What time could it be?
Justify your answer.

Is Teddy correct?
Prove it.

If the time has an 8 in it,
it has to be 8 o'clock.



Teddy

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

In this month, there are no school holidays.

In this month we have to come to school for 31 days.



Teddy

Do you agree with Teddy?
Explain your thinking.
Which month could it be?

Which THINKING MOVES will you need to use for this task?

History

Know where people/events fit into a chronological framework timeline.



Follow the links to begin your adventure! Find out about 3 exciting explorers from History! Ibn Battuta, Amelia Earhart and Neil Armstrong. Play the game and help the explorers complete their journeys, finding out about why they are famous along the way!

Back in time with... Exciting Explorers



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