

Summer 1 - Week 1 - Lesson 2

LO: To generate descriptive vocabulary

Task

Look at this picture and think about answers to these questions:



Where is this?

What is happening?

What can be seen?

What sounds might there be?

Write **five descriptive sentences**, following the success criteria below.

Success Criteria:

1. Look at the picture
2. Choose a fronted adverbial or come up with one of your own
3. Choose a noun (from the word bank or one of your own)
4. Choose two adjectives (from the word bank or one of your own)
5. Choose a verb or come up with one of your own
6. Create your sentence. Make sure you read it back to check it makes sense!
CHALLENGE: Can you add an adverb or even a simile ?

Word bank:

Fronted Adverbials	Nouns	Adjectives	Verbs	
As the sky darkened, Suddenly, Above the windmill, As the wind blew faster, As the sails started to turn,	bolt (of lightning) clap (of thunder) clouds ground lightning rain rumble sails (of the windmill)	sky storm thunder wind windmill	bright dark jagged ominous sudden terrifying	boom/boomed light/lit up spin/spun strike/struck turn/turned

e.g. As the wind blew more strongly, the long sails of the windmill began to spin faster and faster.

Can you add a simile?

e.g. As the wind blew more strongly, the long sails of the windmill began to spin like a catherine wheel.



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Create **two expanded noun phrases** to describe the picture. Use the word bank to help you.

Success Criteria:

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| 1. Look at the picture |
| 2. Choose a noun (from the word bank or one of your own) |
| 3. Choose two adjectives to describe the noun (from the word bank or one of your own) |
| 4. Remember your comma! |

Word bank:

Adjectives	Nouns
bright	bolt (of lightning)
dark	clap (of thunder)
jagged	clouds
ominous	ground
sudden	lightning
terrifying	rain
	rumble
	sails (of the windmill)
	sky
	storm
	thunder
	wind
	windmill

e.g. the bright, jagged lightning bolts