

Subject: English



## 'The Highwayman'

Publisher: Oxford University Press

Author: Alfred Noyes

Final writing Outcome:	Creative narrative based on poem
Incidental pieces of writing:	Recount Setting description Play script Letter Wanted poster Character descriptions Diary entry

Success Criteria		
Continuous skills		
Vocabulary, grammar and punctuation	<ul> <li>Expanded noun phrases, adverbs and preposition phrases</li> <li>Relative clauses using a wide range of relative pronouns (who, which,</li> <li>where, when, whose, that)</li> <li>Modal verbs and adverbs</li> <li>Passive voice</li> <li>Brackets or commas to indicate parenthesis</li> <li>Commas to clarify meaning or avoid ambiguity</li> <li>Inverted commas</li> <li>Colons to introduce lists and semi-colons to separate items within lists</li> <li>Colons and semi-colons to mark the boundary between independent</li> <li>clauses</li> <li>Dashes to indicate parenthesis</li> <li>Hyphens to avoid ambiguity</li> <li>Consistent punctuation of bullet points</li> <li>capital letters, full stops, question marks, commas for lists and apostrophes for contraction</li> <li>use synonyms to avoid repetition</li> </ul>	
Composition Transcription (Spelling)	<ul> <li>write for a range of purposes</li> <li>use paragraphs to organise ideas</li> <li>in narratives, describe settings and characters</li> <li>in non-narrative writing, use simple devices to structure the writing and support the reader (e.g. headings, sub-headings, bullet points)</li> <li>spell correctly most words from the year 5 / year 6 spelling list,* and use a dictionary to check the spelling of uncommon or more ambitious vocabulary</li> <li>spell correctly most words from the year 3 / year 4 spelling list, and some words from</li> </ul>	
	the year 5 / year 6 spelling list*	
Handwriting and presentation	write legibly, with consistent and fluent joined handwriting.	
	Differentiated focus skills	
<ul> <li>Describe settings, character and atmosphere.</li> <li>Recap direct speech and punctuation</li> <li>Recap prepositions.</li> <li>Use of expanded noun phrases to enhance descriptions.</li> </ul>		

- Recap fronted adverbials.
- Use of expanded noun phrases to enhance descriptions.
- Use figurative language for effect such as metaphors, similes and personification.
- Recap parenthesis.