#### **Writing Challenges**

## Writing Challenge 1: Pobble: The King of Winter

Read the story opener and have a go at continuing the story. Think about WHO could potentially put a stop to the eternal winter. Try to include descriptive phrases to describe your setting and character.

Extension: Improve the sick sentence for The King of Winter.

## Writing Challenge 2: Common letter strings with different pronunciations

Open the document for Writing Challenge 2. Copy out the words for each question and underline the word that has the same letter string but a different pronunciation to the other options.

(For example: dove, cove, love).

#### Writing Challenge 3: Pobble: The Glass House

Read the story opener and have a go at the 'sentence challenge'. Can you complete the 'ly' sentences and have a go at thinking of 5 of your own 'ly' adverbs as sentence starters.

# Writing Challenge 4: Explore simple and compound sentences

Follow the link to this Oak National Academy lesson to work on exploring simple and compound sentences:

https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/to-explore-simple-and-compound-sentences-74r3cr?utm\_source=copy-link&utm\_medium=copy&utm\_campaign=sharing-button&entry\_quiz=true&exit\_quiz=true&video=true&presentation=true&worksheet=true

Have a go at doing the worksheet for Writing Challenge 4.

#### Writing Challenge 5: Awesome Advert

Open Writing Challenge 5 and have a go at designing your own advert for a product of your choice. Your advert should include the features of a persuasive text (repetition, bossy verbs, rhetorical questions, etc). Colour in your poster and your final copy should be beautifully presented and very eye catching.

#### Writing Challenge 6: Pobble: The Greatest Library

Read the story opener and have a go at continuing the story. Think about WHICH book Lucy has opened and where she might have visited. Describe the new setting and characters that she has come across. Solve the problem of her being trapped in the book. HOW does she get home?

Extension: Improve the sick sentence for The Greatest Library

# Writing Challenge 7: Explore complex sentences

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https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/to-explore-complex-sentences-70u66d?utm\_source=copy-link&utm\_medium=copy&utm\_campaign=sharingbutton&entry\_quiz=true&exit\_quiz=true&video=true&presentation=true&worksheet=true

Have a go at doing the worksheet for Writing Challenge 7.

#### Writing Challenge 8: Book Review

Use the template provided in Writing Challenge 8 to complete a book review for a book of your choice from home. Think about the book in more detail: what is the plot of the story? What is the genre? Include your answers on the sheet.

#### Writing Challenge 9: Pobble: The Secret Quest

Read the story opener and have a go at continuing the story. Think about WHO the mystery character could be and why they are there. Plot your story idea on a story mountain. The beginning and build up have been done for you. Think about THE PROBLEM. What happens when the two characters reach the house? How is the problem resolved and do the two mysterious characters get what they came for?

# Writing Challenge 10: Save the Rhinos persuasive poster

Open Challenge 10 and create your own persuasive poster that persuades people to 'Save the Rhinos'. Include a picture with your persuasive argument. Think of 3 reasons why people should try to protect the rhinos and include them in your writing. Include the features of persuasive writing (rhetorical questions, repetition, alliteration). Your final draft should be well presented and colourful.