

GGA – Writing (Newspaper Reports) for Year Three: Spring 1

Adverbials of Time

Firstly	Before long	Afterwards
To begin with	After a while	At that point
Now	Later	A few minutes later
Then	In the meantime	Initially
Next	Immediately	Finally
Secondly	When	To finish
Soon after that	After some time	Eventually
10 minutes later	After that	At last
Meanwhile	A little while later	Until then

Success Criteria

- I have a headline that grabs attention.
- My introduction sets the scene with the five Ws.
- I have recounted events in chronological order.
- My closing statement brings the writing to a conclusion.
- It has a well thought out last line to grab attention.
- It is in the past tense.
- I have used the third person.
- I have used time adverbials to link paragraphs.
- I have used speech marks for direct quotes.



Why are we learning this?

Newspaper reports are the format used by newspapers to report on events that have happened.

Why is it important?

We need to be able to read newspapers to find out about news in the world.

Remember that in Year Three you must always:

Make sure that all sentences have a subject and a verb and make sense.

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Use the punctuation that you have been taught correctly.



Reread your writing and uplevel it to make it more exciting.



Check your spellings using a dictionary.



Use neat handwriting with correctly formed letters and try to join your handwriting.