



Prior Learning	
This unit will build on the knowledge and skills learned in KS1. Prior learning will be knowledge of nouns, adjectives and verbs as well as the basic punctuation.	
Key vocabulary for this unit	
Proper noun Common noun Collective noun Expanded noun phrase Comma Personal pronouns Possessive pronouns	Simple sentence Compound sentence Complex sentence Conjunctions Main clause Subordinate clause Clause comma
Learning Sequence	
Nouns	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To be able to identify a noun.</li> <li>To know the difference between a proper noun and a common noun.</li> <li>To recognise collective nouns.</li> </ul>
Adjectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To be able to identify an adjective.</li> <li>To understand how to use adjectives to create an expanded noun phrase.</li> </ul>
Pronouns	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To be able to identify pronouns.</li> <li>To recognise the differences between personal and possessive pronouns.</li> </ul>
Sentence structures	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To understand the difference between simple and compound sentences.</li> <li>To be able to identify and main clause.</li> <li>To be able to identify the subordinate clause.</li> </ul>
Conjunctions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To understand how using conjunctions create a compound sentence.</li> <li>To know how to create a complex sentence by starting the sentence with a conjunction.</li> <li>To be able to punctuate a complex sentence accurately.</li> </ul>
Assessment milestones	

**Key Skills:**

- To create expanded noun phrases and know why they add to a description.
- To use the conjunctions because, although, when and if to extend and expand sentences.
- To be able to identify, recognise and use the word classes and clauses taught to improve sentence structure.
- To use capital letters, full stops and commas accurately and confidently.

**Key Knowledge:**

- To know that pronouns avoid repetition by replacing the noun.
- To know the difference between a main clause and a subordinate clause.