Stage E Learning Objectives

Writing

- I can write using the correct genre features.
- I can use detail to develop characters, settings and 'atmosphere' in my writing.
- I can re-read and edit my writing to make sure I have not made any grammar or spelling mistakes.
- I can use the teacher's comments to improve and redraft my writing.
- I can use connectives and phrases to link my sentences within a paragraph.
- I can link my ideas across several paragraphs.
- I can use speech to move the action along when I am writing a story (not just use the narrator to tell the reader what is happening).
- I can choose my words and phrases carefully e.g The beetle scuttled. Tom uttered his response grudgingly. 'Where will the ceremony be held?' Tom enquired.
- I can use metaphors and personification e.g. The wind whistled through the eerie forest.
- I can use verbs or adverbs which give the reader a greater amount of detail e.g Tom could... Tom may... Tom must... Tom will... I can use embedded clauses e.g Tom, although he was terrified, crept through the forest.

- I can use clauses beginning with who, which, where, when, whose and that e.g. It's a brilliant day out that everyone will enjoy. Tom, whose heart was beating furiously, ran for his life.
- I can use commas correctly in my sentences.
- I can use brackets and dashes in my writing
 e.g. Dr. William (a leading expert in
 cardiology) completed the ground-breaking
 operation. It will be really great to see you
 next week I'm looking forward to it.
- I can spell words correctly from my Stage E spelling list.
- I can write at speed and it is still neat and tidy.