# Writing Progression English Curriculum: Year 5 Sentence Level

Phonics & Spelling	Vocabulary, Grammar, Punctuation	Sentence Types
Secure Y4 words	Parenthesis	See Y4 - BOYS, 2A, ly, question, simile, If, then,
Doubt	Use brackets.	
Lamb	To use brackets whatever is outside the brackets <b>must</b> be	Connective opener
Practice	able to stand alone as a sentence.	Because of the rain, we had to stay indoors at playtime.
Practise	eg The president (and his assistant) travelled by private	As we had worked hard, Mrs Kiddle said we could have five
Serial	jet. CORRECT	minutes extra playtime.
Cereal		
Telephone	The president (and his assistant) were expected to arrive	Short sentence
Television	at 10:00am INCORRECT	''Up there'' ''At the window''
Vicious		"'What?" A gun!"
Infectious	Use a dash to draw attention to , introduce or	
Precious	emphasize information	<u>List sentence</u>
Cautious	eg He took a deep breath, began to sprint toward the	Exhausted and worried, they did not know how much further
Artificial	finish line-and collapsed a few feet before he crossed it.	they had to go.
Essential	I need three things from you - patience, kindness and	
Tolerance	understanding.	<u>De:De</u>
Assistance		The vampire is a dreadful creature: it kills by sucking all the
Adorable	Use a comma to show non-essential information	blood from its victims.
Forcible	Eg While on holiday, Simon Jones, a fireman from New	
Considerably	York, rescued a cat from a tree.	-ing opener
Possibly		Creeping down the corridor, Liam tried not to disturb the
Official		sleeping teacher.
Crucial	Use commas to clarify meaning:	
Essential		Outside.(Inside). Sentence
Impartial	- continue to use relative clauses beginning with who,	He smiled and shook the man's hand warmly.(Inside,
Preference	which, where, when, whose, that or with an implied	however, he was angrier than he had ever been.)
Referred	relative pronoun to convey more information concisely	
Advise/advice	Complex sentences using relative clauses:	Emotion word,
Devise/device	A relative clause is a type of subordinate clause.	Terrified, she froze instantly on the spot where he stood.
Licence/license	A relative clause usually adds more detail about the noun	
Practise/practice	in the main clause.	Noun, which, who, where
Guessed/guest	Relative clauses turn simple sentences into complex	Cakes, which taste fantastic, are not so good for your
Heard/herd	sentences.	waistline.
Lead/led	We use relative clauses to make clear which person or	Some; others
	thing we are talking about	Some people love football; others can't stand it.

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Morning/mournin g Past/passed Isle/I'll Allowed/aloud Affect/effect The main clause could stand alone as a simple sentence, but the relative or subordinate clause cannot.

Key words to signal the use of a relative clause are who, whose, which, where, that, when

Eg The boy, who was caught stealing apples, was chased by the farmer's dog.

The man, <u>who was a sailor</u>, was waiting in the queue. The snarling beast, <u>whose breath smelled like rotting eggs</u>, roared with all his might.

Use commas to mark **embedded clauses** eg The pirate, **with his cutlass clenched in his teeth**, swung on to the ship.

Use commas when using a drop-in clause: The giant, **howling with rage**, raced after Jack.

# Use of adverbs to indicate degrees of possibility

Certainly

Definitely

Maybe

Possibly

Clearly

Obviously

Perhaps

Probably

Eg Perhaps the weather will be fine.

Maybe it will rain

#### Modal verbs

We use modal verbs to show we believe something is possible, probable or certain.

We also use modals to seek permission, make requests and offers

#### Personification

The wind screamed through the branches.

# The more, the more

The more upset she was, the more her tears flowed.

#### -ing, -ed

Skipping to school, he looked around just in time to see a mysterious figure.

#### Irony sentence

The 'trip of our dreams' was, in fact, our worst nightmare.

# **Imagine 3 examples**

Imagine a time when people were not afraid, when life was much simpler, when everyone helped each other: this is the story of that time

Teach the children how to use similes, metaphors, personification, alliteration, idioms and onomatopoeia to improve narrative

Jack agreed to exchange the cow for the **handful of handsome** beans. (alliteration)

**Like a rat up a drainpipe**, Jack bolted up the beanstalk. (simile)

The **beanstalk was an emerald tower** with medusa-like branches. (metaphor)

The car complained as the key was turned.

The stairs groaned as we walked on them.

The cactus saluted those who drove past.

(personification)

Cross your fingers

Get your act together

It's in the bag! (Idioms)

### **Extension Sentence - for narrative**

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can may could should might would shall will

eg Shall we go to the shops? Can I go to the toilet?

#### Subordination conjunctions

Subordination conjunctions are used between, at the beginning and within sentences.

We wore our wellies when we played in the puddles. When we played in the puddles we wore our wellies.

# **Conjunctions and Openers**

Teach the children which conjunctions and openers would move time on in the story, which will move time on in non-fiction, e.g explanation, instructions and recounts

Early the next morning..... Later that day..... A little later.... Shortly after that..... Meanwhile.... Initially.... Having done that.... As a result...... In conclusion Addition..... furthermore.... meanwhile.... On the other hand.... However....

# Language of cause and effect:

Because.... Then..... so... if the reason that this happen....this results in.....when...this causes...therefore

The alien species (AKA the Blorgans) invaded earth in the year 2156.

Robert Smith (AKA light fingered Bob) was a notorious pick pocket.

# Additional Alan peat sentences to support with use of commas

# Verb Simile:

Towering like a wooden army, the giant Redwoods stood silently in the forest.

#### Two-place sentences

Underneath the newspaper, right beside the coffee cup, Annie saw what she had been looking for.

### **Description**, repetition

Oliver lifted his hands, his quivering bone-like hands

# **HEADINGLEY sentences**

# (using a range of -ed, -ing or,ly words to start a sentence)

Excited, he set off on his journey.

Screaming, he fled from the Haunted House

Cautiously, the batsman walked onto the cricket field.

# Whatever, wherever, whenever (any order)

Whatever he did, things wouldn't be the same. Wherever he went, he would always be remembered. Whenever he looked back, the sadness would return.