

Following Instructions: Pip's Bookshelf Challenge

Learning objective: Year 4 English: Understand and follow instructions to complete a task.

Imagine you are Pip the bookworm. Pip's bookshelves are a mess, and she needs your help to put the books in order. Use this template to write down the instructions you would follow to help Pip.

Word bank: bookshelf · books · authors · alphabetical · dewey decimal

1. Write down the first instruction to help Pip sort her books. (2 marks)

2. What would you do next to help Pip put the books in order? (2 marks)

3. How would you make sure the books are put in the correct place on the shelf? (2 marks)

4. What would you do if you came across a book that was not in alphabetical order? (2 marks)

5. Write a short paragraph explaining why it's important to follow instructions carefully. (4 marks)

Draw: Draw a picture of Pip's bookshelves before and after you helped her sort the books.



Extension challenge: Write a short story about a time when you had to follow instructions to complete a task. What did you learn from the experience?