

Creative Writing Adventure with Pip the Caterpillar

Learning objective: To understand and use key elements of creative writing including adjectives, verbs, and sentence structure.

Read the front of each flashcard to help Pip the Caterpillar build a story. Think about the answer, then check the back of the card.

What do we call a word that describes a noun, like 'shiny' or 'soft'?	What do we call a word that shows an action, like 'jump', 'run', or 'read'?
An adjective.	A verb.
What is the special mark we put at the very end of a sentence?	Every sentence must start with which type of letter?
A full stop.	A capital letter.
What is the name for the place where your story happens?	Who is the person or creature that your story is about?
The setting.	The character.
If Pip is eating a red apple, which word is the adjective?	Is 'The cat sat on the mat' a complete sentence?
Red.	Yes, it has a capital letter and a full stop.
Which word is the verb in this sentence: 'Max climbs the tall tree'?	Why do we use capital letters for names like 'Zara' or 'Leo'?
Climbs.	Because they are proper nouns.
What do we call a group of words that makes sense and tells a thought?	In a story, what should happen at the beginning, middle, and end?
A sentence.	The events of the plot.