

My Magical Story Planner with Pip the Caterpillar

Learning objective: To plan a narrative story by using descriptive language and organising key events into a beginning, middle, and end.

Hello! Pip the caterpillar is ready to help you write a fantastic story. Use this template to plan your characters, setting, and plot. Remember to use exciting adjectives to make your story come alive for the reader!

Word bank: enormous · glittering · suddenly · mysterious · brave · whispered · adventure · happily · curious · thoroughly

1. Character Creation: Who is the main character of your story? Describe what they look like and what makes them special. (2 marks)

2. Setting the Scene: Where does your story take place? Use your senses to describe what your character can see, hear, or smell in this place. (2 marks)

3. The Beginning: How does your story start? Introduce your character and explain what they are doing at the very start of the day. (3 marks)

4. The Middle: What is the main problem or 'hiccup' in your story? What does your character need to solve or overcome? (3 marks)

5. The Ending: How is the problem solved? Write how your character feels at the end of the adventure. (2 marks)

Extension challenge: Challenge: Once you have finished your plan, write your story on a separate piece of paper. Can you include one sentence that uses the word 'suddenly' to show something exciting happening?