

A Night of Lights: Bonfire Night Writing Frame

Learning objective: To use descriptive language to write a recount about Bonfire Night.

Use the prompts below to help you write your story about Bonfire Night. Think about what you can see, hear, and feel. Use the word bank to help you write longer sentences.

Max the monkey stood outside in the dark, watching the sky fill with bright colours.

Word bank: bright · loud · sparkling · whizzed · crackled · warm · firstly · next · then · finally · because · suddenly

1. What did you see in the night sky? Start your sentence with: Firstly, I saw... (2 marks)

2. What sounds did you hear? Start your sentence with: Next, I heard the fireworks go... (2 marks)

3. How did the bonfire feel? Start your sentence with: The fire was very warm because... (2 marks)

4. How did you feel at the end of the night? Start your sentence with: Finally, I felt... (2 marks)

Extension challenge: Can you use one of these words in your writing: 'magnificent', 'shimmering', or 'glowed'?