

# Creative Writing Challenges

<p><b>Alien Adventure</b></p> <p>Imagine that an alien visited Earth for the day. What kind of things would you do with him?</p>	<p><b>Dear Diary...</b></p> <p>Write a diary entry that describes your week/day. Focus on your feelings and emotions.</p>	<p><b>Silly Similes</b></p> <p>Write ten of your own similes. Use your imagination, they don't have to make sense.</p>	<p><b>Animal Acrostic</b></p> <p>Write an acrostic poem about animals. (It must spell out animals and the lines must link to the topic)</p>	<p><b>Ten 'T' Words</b></p> <p>Think of ten words that start with 't'. They all must be longer than six letters. Now write a story that includes these ten words.</p>
<p><b>Whale Tale</b></p> <p>Write a story that begins with this story starter; 'I will never forget the day I became a polar bear...'</p>	<p><b>Superhero Story</b></p> <p>Design your own superhero. Create a comic book strip about this character.</p>	<p><b>Walking Words</b></p> <p>Go for a walk. Write: ten things you saw, five sounds you heard and three feelings you experienced.</p>	<p><b>Letter Lists</b></p> <p>Choose a letter. Write as many words as you can beginning with that particular letter.</p>	<p><b>Rhyme Time</b></p> <p>Create a rhyming poem about a topic of your choice. It can follow the AABB pattern or ABAB.</p>
<p><b>Looney Limerick</b></p> <p>Create your own silly limerick. (Use the BBC Bitesize website for inspiration)</p>	<p><b>Word Classes</b></p> <p>Choose a paragraph from a book. Identify which word class each word belongs to e.g. noun, verb, pronoun, determiner etc.</p>	<p><b>Short Story</b></p> <p>Plan and write a short story of your choice.</p>	<p><b>Creative Characters</b></p> <p>Describe a character's facial features. Is there a feature that can help to infer something about an event that happened in the past? Eg broken nose, scar etc.</p>	<p><b>Topsy Turvy</b></p> <p>Write a story that begins with this story starter; 'My Uncle Tim lived in an upside-down house...'</p>
<p><b>Persuade your Headteacher</b></p> <p>Write a letter to your headteacher persuading her to extend play time.</p>	<p><b>The day I found out my teacher was an alien...</b></p> <p>Create a story or poem with this as the title.</p>	<p><b>Traditional Tales gone wrong</b></p> <p>Write 'Cinderella' from the point of view of one of the ugly sisters.</p>	<p><b>Fifty Word Challenge</b></p> <p>Write a story in only 50 words. It needs a start, middle and end.</p>	<p><b>In ten years' time...</b></p> <p>Write a letter to a future version of yourself in ten years' time. What do you hope you will be doing?</p>