

Thursday 4th February 2021

Non-chronological reports

WALT: plan our own non-chronological report.

Today we are going to plan our own report all about elephants. You will need to use the information for this from your reading comprehensions this week. We will need to organise our ideas to make sure to include all of the structural and language features we found on Monday.

Features	Think about!	Example from 'Wild Cats'	Plan for 'All about elephants'
Title	Tell the reader the title of your report.	Wild Cats	
General statement including the most important point	Tell the reader the most important or interesting fact and why it is important. Ask the reader a question. Write a few sentences to tell the reader what the report is about using technical vocabulary. Write in the present tense.	Have you ever wondered about the different types of cat around the world? There are many species of cat ... All cats are predators... All cats are mammals...	

Other key facts for your subject.	Write a few sentences about each of the other important facts about the subject. Organise your writing using <u>subheadings</u>. Try to add information that will interest the reader. Using technical, factual vocabulary. Use connectives to link ideas. <i>(and, so, if, but, because, when, which, before, after)</i>	<u>Lion</u> - Habitat - Size - Hunting Surprisingly, Also, <u>Cheetah</u> - Appearance - Habitat - Hunting Did you know...? As well as... Though taller than... <u>Puma</u> - Habitat - Hunting Like other cats... As a result,...	
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Picture/ Diagram	Label a diagram to inform the reader.	Picture of: ● Lion ● Cheetah ● Puma	
Conclusion	Write one or two sentences that remind the reader about the most important point.	So next time you think about cats... Luckily, ...	