



Writing: Reception– Summer 2 Week 2

	Day 1 Activity	Day 2 Activity	Day 3 Activity	Day 4 Activity	Day 5 Activity
Writing	<p>Write a diary entry</p> <p>This week we are travelling to the savannah to go on safari! Put on your explorer hat and get ready to spot some wild animals. Watch this video and see which animals you can find.</p> <p>What happened on your safari? Write a diary entry to recount your exciting day. You can challenge yourself by using story language!</p>	<p>Design and label</p> <p>Listen to the beginning of the story 'A Very Strange Creature'.</p> <p>What did you think the creature was in the basket? I wonder what else it could have been...</p> <p>Design your own very strange creature by drawing a picture of the funniest animal you can imagine. Add labels to your picture to describe the different body parts.</p>	<p>Write a story</p> <p>Listen to the beginning of the story 'A Very Strange Creature'. again.</p> <p>Imagine if your own strange creature leapt out of the basket! What would happen next?</p> <p>Write your own story about what would happen.</p>	<p>Write a letter</p> <p>Listen to the story 'Giraffe's Can't Dance'.</p> <p>How do you think Gerald felt when the other animals were not kind to him?</p> <p>Write a letter to Gerald to make him feel better.</p>	<p>Write an invitation</p> <p>Plan your own dance party that you could have. What songs would you listen to? What would you wear?</p> <p>Write an invitation to Gerald or someone in your family to see if they would like to come to your party.</p>
Resources	<p>Resource 1A</p> <p>Modelled diary entry</p> <p>Resource 1B</p> <p>Story language word bank</p>	<p>Resource 2A</p> <p>Modelled creature design</p>	<p>Resource 3A</p> <p>Modelled story</p> <p>Resource 1B</p> <p>Story language word bank</p>	<p>Resource 4A</p> <p>Modelled letter</p>	<p>Resource 5A</p> <p>Modelled invitation</p>



Resource 1A - Modelled diary entry

Example

Dear Diary,

I went on a safari. I saw a big elephant. He had a long grey trunk. Next I saw a giraffe. It was so tall. After that...

Challenge

Dear Diary,

Wow! You will never believe what an exciting day I have had. I climbed into my safari jeep this morning and carefully drove through the dusty and hot savannah until I spotted something terrifying in the distance... It was a lion! It had...

Resource 1B- Story language word bank

Piggy word bank

Once upon a time...

Early one morning...

As quick as a flash...

Suddenly...

Unfortunately...

Luckily...

Next...

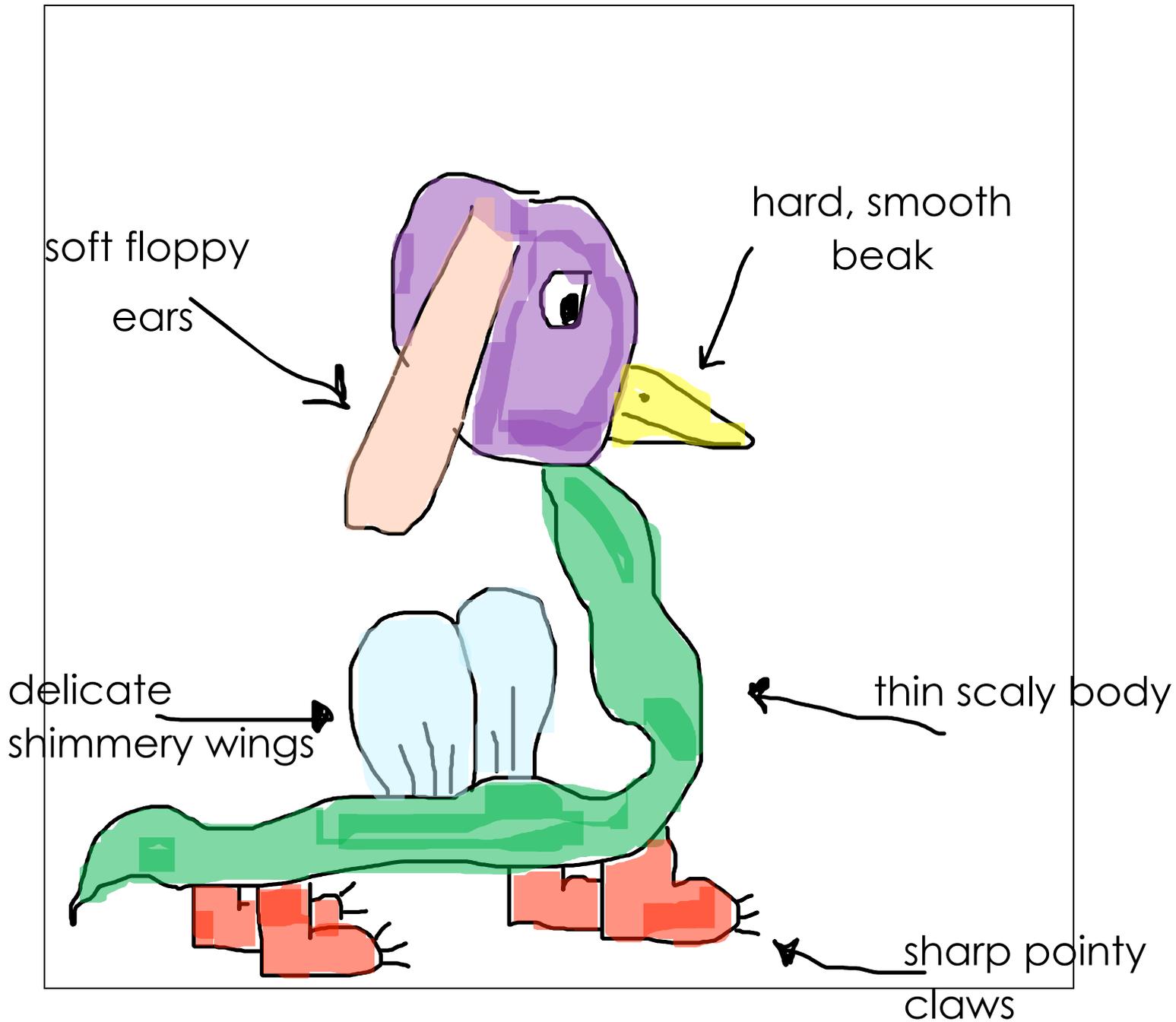
After that

... because...

... but...



Resource 2A- Modelled creature design



Resource 3A- Modelled story

Example

Suddenly a very strange creature jumped out of the basket! It had long soft ears. It had delicate wings. It had sharp claws. It made a sound- “quack!”...

Challenge

Suddenly a very strange creature emerged from the basket... It had soft ears, as long as a dog’s tail. It had delicate wings that were glimmering in the sunlight. It had claws as sharp as a knife. The creature opened its beak and a strange sound came out- “quack!”...

Resource 4A- modelled letter

Example

Dear Gerald,

Do not listen to the other animals. I like your dancing. You should ignore them...

Challenge

Dear Gerald,

I am sorry to hear that the other animals were not kind to you. That is not the right choice! I love how you dance, and I think you should keep doing what you love...

Resource 5A- Modelled invitation



Dance Party!

To: Gerald

Do you want to come to my dancing party?

Where: my house

When: this afternoon

Don't forget to wear your funkiest outfit and be ready to dance your socks off!

The best dancer will win a prize.

After we will eat some wobbly jelly. You can choose your favourite kind.

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