

## Writing: Year 5 – Summer 1 Week 4

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<b>Writing</b>	<p><b>Answer questions about Captain Tom Moore</b></p> <p>This week, you will be writing a letter to someone who you admire.</p> <p>Read this <a href="#">article</a> about Captain Tom Moore.</p> <p>Complete the comprehension questions in Resource 1A using the article.</p>	<p><b>Separate fact and opinion</b></p> <p>Read resource 2A. Write the sentences you think are facts in one colour. Write the sentences you think are opinions in a different colour.</p> <p>Check your work using resource 2B.</p> <p>Read the example text in Resource 2C.</p> <p>Separate the facts and opinions into a table using Resource 2D. Two have been done for you as an example.</p>	<p><b>Do your own research</b></p> <p>Read Resource 3A. In which 3 sentences does Barry sound scary? Explain your answer.</p> <p>Complete task in Resource 3B.</p> <p>Tomorrow, you will be planning a letter to someone you admire. Research 7 facts about this person and use the mind map (Resource 3C) to take notes.</p> <p>Choose from one of the following people or choose your own:</p> <p>Frontline workers, Malala Yousafzais, Tom Moore, a sports person, a musician or an artist.</p>	<p><b>Plan a letter</b></p> <p>Use the planning format to organise your ideas into:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Introduction</li> <li>● Two paragraphs about why this person inspires you, including facts and opinions about them</li> <li>● Conclusion</li> </ul>	<p><b>Write a letter</b></p> <p>Today, you will write your letter to someone you admire.</p> <p>Remember to...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Use GSV and VSG for your introduction and conclusion</li> <li>● Include fact and opinions in each paragraph</li> <li>● Use cohesive devices</li> <li>● Edit work using CUPS</li> </ul> <p>If you would like to, ask an adult to help you send your letter.</p>
<b>Resources</b>	Resource 1A - Comprehension Questions	Resource 2A - Fact and Opinion Activity Resource 2B - Answers to check work Resource 2C - Example text Resource 2D - Fact and Opinion table	Resource 3A - Commas for Ambiguity Activity Resource 3B - Cohesive Devices Activity Resource 3C - Mind map	Resource 4A - Planning format	Resource 5A - CUPS



**Reading: Year 5 – Summer 1 Week 4**

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<b>R e a d i n g</b>	Whole class	<a href="#">Chapter 11 - What I Heard in the Apple Barrel</a>	<a href="#">Chapter 12 - Council of War</a>	<a href="#">Chapter 13 - How I Began My Shore Adventure</a>	<a href="#">Chapter 14 - The First Blow</a>	<a href="#">Chapter 15 - The Man of The Island</a>
	*	<a href="#">The World of Olympics</a> Pages 1-5	<a href="#">The World of Olympics</a> Pages 5-10	<a href="#">The World of Olympics</a> Pages 10-15	<a href="#">The World of Olympics</a> Pages 15-20	<a href="#">The World of Olympics</a> Pages 20-25
	**	<a href="#">The Ghost Who Haunted The Capitol</a> Chapter 1 and 2	<a href="#">The Ghost Who Haunted The Capitol</a> Chapter 3 and 4	<a href="#">The Ghost Who Haunted The Capitol</a> Chapter 5 and 6	<a href="#">The Ghost Who Haunted The Capitol</a> Chapter 7 and 8	<a href="#">The Ghost Who Haunted The Capitol</a> Chapter 9 and 10
	** *	<a href="#">Soccer Surprise</a> Chapter 1 and 2	<a href="#">Soccer Surprise</a> Chapter 3 and 4	<a href="#">Soccer Surprise</a> Chapter 5 and 6	<a href="#">Soccer Surprise</a> Chapter 7 and 8	<a href="#">Soccer Surprise</a> Chapter 9
<b>Spelling</b>		available average awkward bargain bruise				



## Resource 1A: Comprehension Questions



A fact is something you know is true and can be proved.



An opinion is something you think or believe to be true which can't be proved.

1. Complete the table below to show whether the statements below are fact or opinion

<b>Statements</b>	<b>Fact</b> 	<b>Opinion</b> 
Captain Tom Moore could have walked 10 laps and he would have raised just as much money.		
Artists have produced illustrations based on his fundraising.		
Captain Tom had originally wanted to raise £1,000.		
Captain Tom Moore is the greatest fundraiser of all time.		

2. At the time of this article being written, how much money was raised?
3. For what reason did Tom Moore begin this challenge?

4. Name 3 people in this article who thanked or congratulated Tom Moore.
5. What is Tom Moore's grandson's name?
6. Why do you think he was able to raise such a vast amount of money?
7. Where is Tom Moore from?
8. Why do you think the author has left the messages from famous people until the end of the article?
9. Summarise the events that took place for this article to be written in 4 or 5 sentences.

## **Resource 2A: Fact and Opinion Activity**

In the paragraphs below, some sentences are fact and some are opinion. Can you write facts in one colour and opinions in another colour?

Remember, a fact is something you know is true and can be proved. An opinion is something you think or believe to be true which can't be proved.

1. "This has to be the most exciting game of football that I've ever seen so far. David Beckham is easily the best player on the pitch. He has scored five goals so far this season. I think he'll score a lot more."

2. Tomorrow is an important day for the pop group, BoysRUs. They release their third single tomorrow. Their last two singles have gone straight into the charts at number one. This new single, however, is an awful mix of pop and blues music. It's not as good as the previous two hits. It certainly looks to me like BoysRUs should ask for their day job back at the toyshop.

3. Buy the new Super Clean bathroom cleaner. It'll leave your bathroom sparkling clean! Super Clean uses a mixture of soap and bleach which attacks dust and grime. You won't be able to believe your eyes when you see what Super Clean can do for you. Only £1.99 a bottle.

## **Resource 2B: Answers to check**

**Yellow = Opinion**

**Green = Fact**

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## **Resource 2C: Example Text**

Dear Captain Tom Moore,

It has never been more important for us to care for others in our community. Your courageous effort during the lockdown of 2020 touched the hearts of many. I was inspired by your thoughtful and brave efforts and wish to commend you on your achievements.

As a WW2 veteran, you have already contributed greatly to our society. 75 years ago, the efforts of the British and our allies secured our freedom and we have lived in peace and harmony since then. I think we should all be grateful to you and to many others for your service and commitment to our futures. Additionally, I believe it is incredibly selfless and brave to take such risks in order to protect our country not only for your friends and family but also for future generations.

More recently, you have raised over 30 million pounds for the NHS. This incredible fundraiser captured the attention of millions of people worldwide. In my opinion, this is one of the greatest acts of fundraising I have seen in the last ten years. The hundred laps that you completed around your garden touched the hearts of everyone in my community and inspired us to do more to help our beloved NHS. As a result of your fundraising, the NHS has been able to cope better with the current situation.

I and many others were inspired by your quote: "The sun will shine on you again, and the clouds will go away." It is actions and words like this that make us proud to be British. The total amount of money you have raised keeps growing and growing. What an astonishing act of kindness in a time of uncertainty.

Yours sincerely,

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## **Resource 2D: Fact and Opinion Table**

<b>Facts</b>	<b>Opinion</b>
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Tom has raised over 30 million pounds for the NHS	I was inspired by your thoughtful and brave efforts

### **Resource 3A**

1. In one of these sentences Barry is killing Tom and in the other he has spare time.

Which one is which?

A) "I've got some time to kill, Tom," said Barry.

B) "I've got some time to kill Tom," said Barry.

(If you are killing time it means that you have spare time!)

Circle the correct answer:

Barry has spare time = A            B

Barry is going to kill Tom = A        B

**2. In one of these sentences, Barry is eating Grandma and in the other he wants to eat with Grandma. Which one is which?**

A) "Let's eat Grandma!" exclaimed Barry.

B) "Let's eat, Grandma!" exclaimed Barry.

Circle the correct answer:

Barry is going to eat Grandma = A        B

Barry wants to eat with Grandma = A    B

**3. In one of these, Barry wants to cook his family and pets and in the other he likes cooking and he likes his family. Which one is which?**

A) "I like cooking my family and pets," said Barry.

B) "I like cooking, my family and pets," said Barry.

Circle the correct answer:

Barry wants to cook his family and pets = A                      B

Barry likes cooking and he also likes his family and pets = A                      B

### **Resource 3B**

Use the missing words to fill the passage of writing:

Missing words: They, Consequently, Firstly, Moreover, Furthermore, This, Even though

\_\_\_\_\_, I'd like to say thank you for raising so much money for the NHS. \_\_\_\_\_ are  
incredibly grateful and so are we. \_\_\_\_\_, I am so impressed with your stamina and  
or walking for so long. \_\_\_\_\_ you are 100-years-old you kept going and didn't  
give up. \_\_\_\_\_ is very inspiring and your story had a big impact on my household.  
\_\_\_\_\_, many members of my family donated to support you.

### **Resource 3C: Notes**

Make notes about the person who inspires you.

Use Mr M's example about Captain Tom Moore if you need an idea:

- **Why do they inspire you?**

Example: Age, amount of money raised, generosity

- **What specific thing have they done that impressed you?**

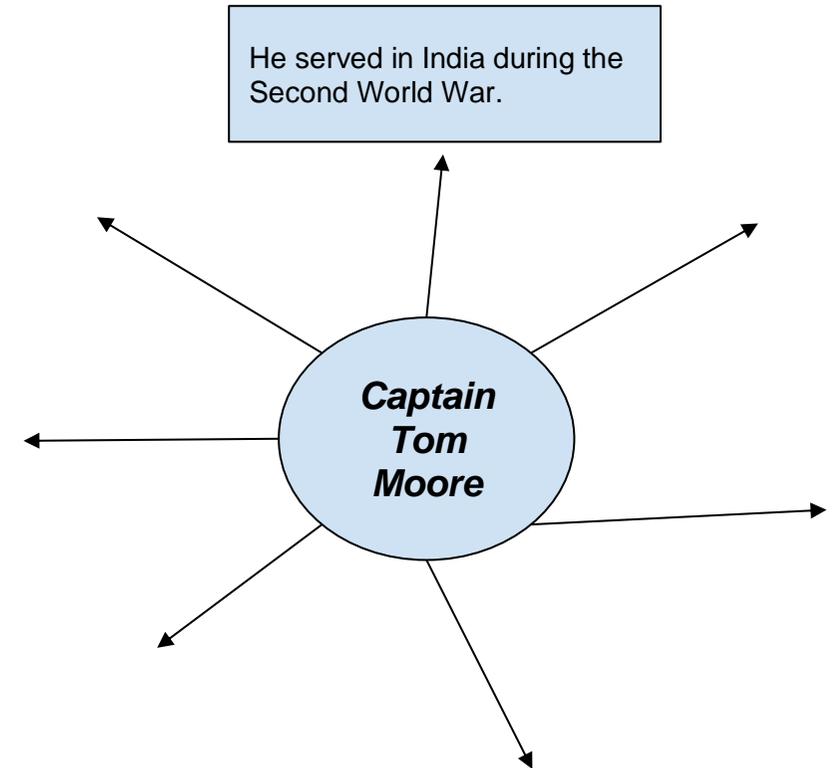
Example: Fundraising, served in a war →

- **How has this affected you?**

Example: This made me feel like I could start fundraising for a good cause

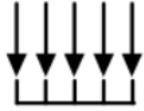
- **Has this inspired you or anyone else to achieve something?**

Example: I decided to make a birthday card to say thank you



## **Resource 4A: Planning Format**

Introduction



General point about the person who inspires you:



Specific point about the person who inspires you:



Your viewpoint:

Paragraph 1



Achievement from past of the person who inspires you:



Fact about the person who inspires you:



Your opinion of the person who inspires you:



The effect this person has had on you and others:

Paragraph 2



Recent achievement of the person who inspires you:



Fact about the person who inspires you:



Your opinion of the person who inspires you:



The effect this person has had on you and others:

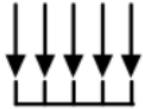
Conclusion



Your viewpoint



A specific point about the person who inspires you:



A general point about the person who inspires you:



