

Today you are going to have a go at writing your story.

The purpose: *To write an engaging story that has a clear build up and crisis point – your reader should not be left asking questions about when, where, how or why events are happening.*

Use your story mountain to support you.

Points to remember:

- Clearly introduce your characters and setting- you could write a word bank like the one we use at school to help you. Remember to be ambitious with your vocabulary choices.
- In the build-up do not rush to the crisis point too soon make sure your reader knows why the crisis is happening and what has happened before to create the problem.
- Keep your sentences short in the crisis point to create tension.
- Vary your sentences openers. You could add to the table below to help you.

<u>When</u>	<u>Where</u>	<u>How</u>	<u>Why</u>
Suddenly,	Across the room,	Slowly,	As a result of,

Vocabulary to help me

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