Purpose

To retell events as they occurred, including the most important information relating to the event.



English writing genres

Newspaper report LKS2



Additional language features

Connectives for newspaper reports:

After that.

Afterwards.

As evening fell,

Before long,

Eventually,

Fortunately,

Hours later.

Immediately after,

Later that day,

Moments later.

Suddenly,

Within minutes.

Features of newspaper reports

The opening should includes: what happened? When? Where?



to make cycling safer



The end of

Further details come in the second paragraph: How? Why?

Captions to describe what is happening in the pictures

A brief, snappy

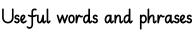
the reader's

attention.

headline captures

In Year 3, do you remember writing a newspaper article on the events that happened in 'The Children of Lir'?

Useful words and phrases



Useful phrases for indirect speech:

A spokesman stated that...

He agreed that...

She continued by informing us that...

They refused to accept that... In addition to this. She also spoke of how...

Newspaper report checklist:

- Have you included a headline?
- Have you included subheadings?
- Who is the report about?
- What is the event you're reporting?
- When did it take place?
- Why did the event happen?
- Where does it take place?
- Have you included a picture?

