

## Year 5 Writing Week Beginning 11<sup>th</sup> January

These tasks are to go alongside the daily zoom writing lesson. A copy of the teaching slides are also available on the website.

### Blue group task

#### Monday

- 1) Read this paragraph out loud.
- 2) Write a piece of information into the gaps that would be a useful piece of extra knowledge.

e.g At Beechwood (a junior school in Bitterne) we are very lucky because on a Friday afternoon we have Golden Time.

#### Golden Time at Beechwood

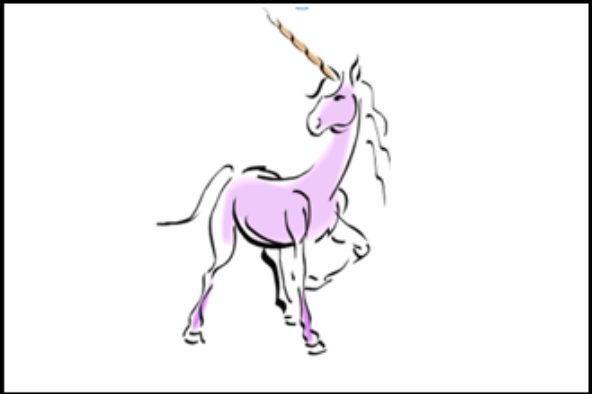
At Beechwood (\_\_\_\_\_ ) we are very lucky because on a Friday afternoon we have Golden Time. This is very special because you get to learn a new skill (\_\_\_\_\_ ) or attend a club to practise something. However, you have to make sure you earn Golden Time by not getting warnings - \_\_\_\_\_ - or getting into trouble.

Challenge! Write your own short paragraph about your favourite animal including 2 pieces of parenthesis.

## Tuesday

You need to create your mythical creature and plan your non-chronological report using the planning sheet below. Don't worry if you can't print the planning sheet (next page) you can either just write the sub-headings down and plan or create your own.

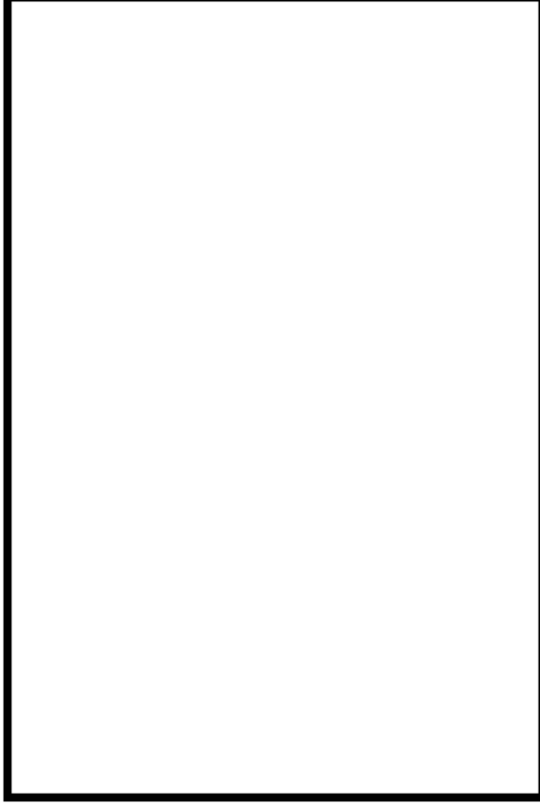
Below is an example of a completed planning sheet.

<p>1)Habitat and family groups</p> <p>Lives in dense Icelandic forests</p> <p>Nocturnal - sleeps in ferns and difficult to spot.</p> <p>Easiest to see by moonlit pools</p> <p>Shy around humans but not animals (usually with deer)</p> <p>Family groups and one young</p>	<p>Name: The Storm Unicorn</p>	<p>3) What does it look like?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Horse body and horn on head like a narwhal</li><li>• Light purple, flashes of silver and gold</li><li>• Young pure white</li><li>• 14 hands long</li><li>• Running with stags</li></ul>
<p>2) Diet</p> <p>Herbivores</p> <p>Love apples, pears</p> <p>Goes searching for nuts</p> <p>All meat products and sugar are poisonous to them.</p>		<p>5) Did you know?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Tail hair has healing powers</li><li>• Unicorns have been around for 3 million years and others believe they were magical dinosaurs.</li></ul>
<p>4) Special powers and skills</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Electric charge from their horn like lightning</li><li>• Only use when frightened or protecting young</li><li>• Tail hair incredibly strong lift an elephant</li></ul>		

1) Habitat and family groups

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3) What does it look like?

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4) Special powers and skills

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5) Did you know?

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