

	SS1 T1	SS1 T2	SS1 T3
Writing Texts	informal letter (descriptive - 2 lessons)	narrative text (2 lessons)	how to write a 5-paragraph essay (2 lessons)
	formal letter (request - 2 lessons)	descriptive text (2 lessons)	descriptive essay (2 lessons)
	creative writing (2 lessons)	elements of a paragraph: paragraphs - topic sentences and supporting sentences (1 lesson)	report writing (2 lessons)
		debate (2 lessons)	
Vocabulary Development	family and home (1 reading, 1 writing lesson)	animal husbandry (1 reading, 1 writing lesson)	health (1 reading, 1 writing lesson)
	agriculture (1 reading, 1 writing lesson)	sports (1 reading, 1 writing lesson)	<i>phrasal verbs (1 reading, 1 writing lesson)</i>
	fishing (1 reading, 1 writing lesson)	<i>idioms (2 reading lessons, 2 writing lessons)</i>	<i>collocations (1 reading, 1 writing lesson)</i>
Reading Comprehension			

dialogue/introductions (1 lesson)	narrative text (2 lessons)	descriptive essay (2 lessons)
fiction (present tense - 1 lesson)	drama (2 lessons)	literature (2 lessons)
autobiography (present tense - 1 lesson)		
science fiction (future tense - taught over 2 lessons)		

Reading Skills Development

skimming (non-fiction)	WH questions (news article)	identifying topic sentences (essay)
scanning (sports highlights)	context clues (fable/traditional tale)	substitution of words in a passage
summarising (speech)	reasoning - inductive & deductive	paraphrasing (news article)
summarising (informative report)		using a dictionary

Grammar

simple present tense (2 lessons)	verb tense review	review nouns, pronouns, adjectives
parts of speech (2 lessons)	future continuous tense	comparative adjectives

punctuation - full stop, exclamation mark, question mark (2 lessons on terminal stops)	classification of nouns - common, proper	superlative adjectives
present continuous tense (2 lessons - 1. present use 2. future use)	classification of nouns - abstract, concrete	present perfect tense (2 lessons - 1 focusing on use with ever, never, already, yet)
simple past tense - regular verbs	classification of nouns - collective, countable, uncountable	types of adjectives: demonstrative, interrogative
simple past tense - irregular verbs (2 lessons)	classification of nouns - compound and hyphenated	types of adjectives: quantitative, distributive
past continuous tense	pronouns	types of adjectives: possessive
punctuation - comma, colon, dash (2 lessons)	types of pronouns - subject, object	order of adjectives
simple future - going to	suffixes (vocabulary development)	types of sentences: simple, complex, compound
simple future - will & shall	types of pronouns - possessive, demonstrative	past perfect tense (2 lessons - 1 focus on use with simple past)
nouns - singular and plural	types of pronouns - relative, reflexive	concord -subject verb agreement (noun – numbers and pronoun – antecedent)
nouns - plural irregular spelling	types of pronouns - reciprocal, emphatic, interrogative	intro to adverbs & types of adverbs: time, place
	types of pronouns - indefinite (and problems with pronouns)	future perfect (2 lessons)
	adjectives	active and passive voice (2 lessons)
		types of adverbs: manner
		types of adverbs: degree, frequency

introducing self and others	vowel sounds - short vowels	rhyme
consonant sounds (2 lessons)	vowel sounds - long vowels	voiced and unvoiced consonants
consonant clusters (2 lessons)	drama	
	debate (2 lessons)	

Listening Comprehension

narrative text	national news report	dialogue
descriptive text	pupil news report	poetry
radio talk show	drama	
	descriptive text	

SS2 T1	SS2 T2	SS2 T3
personal narrative (2 lessons)	elements of a paragraph: paragraphs - topic sentences and supporting sentences (1 lesson)	informal letter - persuasive (2 lessons)
informal letter (persuasive - 2 lessons)	speech (2 lessons)	persuasive essay (2 lessons)
formal letter (complaint - 2 lessons)	article for publication in a magazine or newspaper (2 lessons)	expository essay (development issue - 2 lessons)
how to write a 5-paragraph essay (2 lessons)	debate (1 lesson)	creative writing (1 lesson)
expository essay (2 lessons)	descriptive writing (2 lessons)	report (2 lessons)
environment (1 reading, 1 writing lesson)	<i>figurative language - simile, metaphor, personification (1 reading, 1 writing lesson)</i>	<i>using a dictionary</i>
traditional religion (1 reading, 1 writing)	science and technology (1 reading, 1 writing lesson)	<i>homonyms (1 reading, 1 writing)</i>
ceremonies (1 reading, 1 writing)	<i>figurative language - irony (1 reading, 1 writing)</i>	<i>collocations (1 reading, 1 writing)</i>
<i>synonyms & antonyms (1 reading, 1 writing lesson)</i>	<i>idioms and phrasal verbs (1 reading, 1 writing)</i>	building and building construction (1 reading, 1 writing lesson)
	culture and institutions (1 reading, 1 writing)	

fable/traditional tale (2 lessons)	poetry (figurative language - 1 lesson)	persuasive essay (2 lessons)
drama/play (2 lessons)	academic text - science	formal letter (1 lesson)
expository essay (2 lessons)	academic text - commerce/economic development literature (2 lessons)	prose (development issue - 1 lesson)
		creative writing (1 lesson)

skimming & scanning (academic text - science) identifying themes (fable/traditional tale) using the dictionary

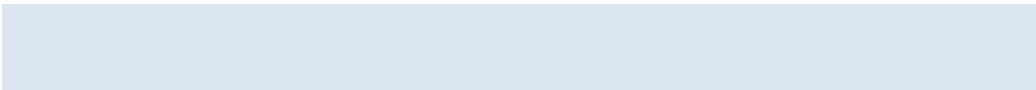
Factual and inferential questions (WASCCE text - 2 lessons) tone (letter to the editor) summarising (article)

substitution of words in a passage tone (personal essay) summarising strategies - for main idea and topic sentence (exposition)

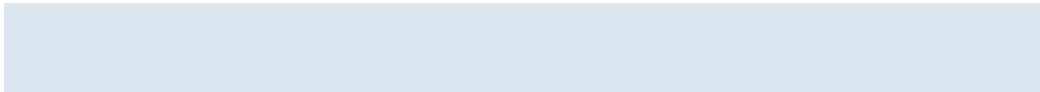
verb tenses review (4 lessons) types and functions of phrases interjections

parts of speech review noun and adjective phrases Using conjunctions, prepositions and interjections to improve sentence quality (2 lessons)

prepositions (2 lessons)	verb and adverb phrases	punctuation: colon, semi-colon, dash, comma (2 lessons)
Differences between adjectives and adverbs	prefixes (vocabulary development)	introduction to clauses
adjectives - irregular comparatives and superlatives	suffixes (vocabulary development)	types of clauses
conjunctions (2 lessons)	determiners - articles	adjectival clauses
inverted commas	determiners vs adjectives	adverbial clauses
parts of a sentence - subject & predicate	conditional (zero and first)	present participle
complete sentences - avoiding fragments and run-ons	direct speech	past participle
	indirect speech	past participle - irregular verbs (2 lessons)
	concord - subject verb agreement	auxiliary verbs (have, be, do)
	concord -subject verb agreement (noun – numbers and pronoun – antecedent)	auxiliary verbs (continuous tenses)



oral presentation: self introduction	sentence stress	pure vowels - vowel sound review
diphthongs (2 lessons)	intonation - rising and falling patterns (2 lessons)	diphthongs (2 lessons)
word stress	debate (2 lessons)	consonant sound review
	emphatic stress	consonant clusters rhyme



biography	directions	formal letter
radio show	debate	report
	creative writing (identify mood, tone, purpose)	

SS3 T1	SS3 T2	SS3 T3
WAEC GUIDELINES how to write a 5- paragraph essay	WAEC GUIDELINES + TIPS debate	(plus 6 review weeks) elements of a paragraph: paragraphs - topic sentences and supporting sentences (1 lesson)
descriptive essay (2 lessons) creative writing	narrative essay (2 lessons) persuasive essay (2 lesson)	expository essay (2 lessons) speech
report	article (school magaizine - entertainment) article (newspaper - community development)	
drama	formal letter	
government and adminstration (1 reading, 1 writing lesson)	Human Internal Body System and Function (1 reading, 1 writing lesson)	motor vehicles and travelling (1 reading, 1 writing lesson)
law and order (1 reading,	advertising (1 reading, 1 writing lesson)	<i>euphamism (1 reading lesson)</i>
<i>figurative language - simile, metaphor, personification (1 reading, 1 writing lesson)</i>	<i>figurative language - irony (1 reading, 1 writing lesson)</i>	<i>paradox (1 reading lesson)</i>
<i>idioms, phrasal verbs, collocations (1 reading, 1 writing lesson)</i>	<i>figurative language - hyperbole (1 reading, 1 writing lesson)</i>	stock exchange (1 reading, 1 writing lesson) <i>connotation and denotation (1 lesson)</i> <i>rhetorical question (1 lesson - speech)</i>

descriptive essay	academic text - science	speech
report	academic text - history	
drama	news article	
	poetry	

skimming and scanning (formal letter)	identifying topic sentences (descriptive essay)	understanding the writer - tone, mood, purpose
summarising (academic text)	identifying main idea (informative report)	reasoning - inductive & deductive (2 lessons)
	factual and inferential questions (article)	substitution of words in a passage (prose - synonyms and antonyms - 2 lessons)
	giving titles to untitled texts (poetry)	
	identifying main idea (formal letter)	

parts of speech review (2)	modal verbs - will, would, may, might, can, could	future perfect continuous tense (2 lessons)
	modal verbs - shall, should, ought, must	concord - subject verb agreement

active and passive voice (2)

adjectival phrases

concord -subject verb
agreement (noun –
numbers and pronoun –
antecedent)

verb tense review (4 lessos)
conditional tense -
second conditional

adverbial phrases

conditional tense -third
conditional

coordinating
conjunctions

conditional tense -fourth
conditional

subordinating
conjunctions

conditional tense -fifth
conditional

correlative conjunctions

case in nouns -subjective

question tags

case in nouns - objective

apostrophe -
contractions

question tags (2 lessons)

apostrophe with
contractions and
possessives

conditional tense - mixed
conditional

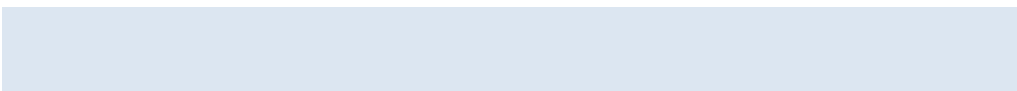
present perfect
continuous tense (2
lessons)

linking verbs

past perfect continuous
tense (2 lessons)

finite and infinite verbs
(2 lessons)

question tags (2 lessons)



oral presentation: self introduction

rhyme

debate

word stress

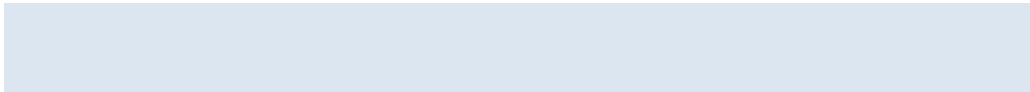
intonation - rising and falling patterns

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consonant sounds
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debate
alliteration and
assonance



intentional radio show

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story with idioms
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