



Mouse, Bird, Snake, Wolf by David Almond

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subordinating conjunctions
Closing paragraph

- 1. To plan instructions
- To use fronted adverbials
- 3. To use co-ordinating conjunctions

To write instructions

- 5. Plan instructions
- 6. Write a closing paragraph for instructions
- 7. To use subordinating conjunctions
- 8. To orally rehearse, focusing on authorial voice

9&10. To write instructions

- 1. Re-cap instructions highlight features from some examples of instructions, including model), going to make our own animal what would we need? How would you make it? Create their own plan for their instructions. When planning, consider being precise with what you will need e.g. Show simple materials e.g. 2 petals, then show images of all the different types of petals you could use what exactly do they need? Two red, tulip petals, three smooth, flat pebbles, could we use but?
- 2. Re-cap adverbials, focusing on manner and time for instructions sort adverbials for a story v for instructions. Show instructions with fronted adverbials opening every step what's the problem with this? Do we need them for every step? Be careful that you're not repeating the last step in the adverbial. Could there be a second sentence? Give children some simple instructions to uplevel (not model, something like "how to make a scarecrow")
- 3. Using co-ordinating conjunctions to build ideas focus on or and but, look at model text (and another), how have co-ordinating conjunctions been used? Magpie some examples and discuss how using them gives more information to the reader to help them. Children have a go at extending sentences using conjunctions, then write their own examples e.g. Lay the twigs evenly on the top but make sure they are not too close to the edge. You should not place the stones too close to the edge or they will fall off. (Keep more abstract so not writing their instructions for extended write)
- 4. Write instructions to make an animal
- 5. Your animal has gone wild! Need to create something that will tame them. Read instructions "how to tame a unicorn" what could you magpie? Note the warnings within the instructions e.g. be careful not to...What ingredients would you need to tame your animal?

Give children some recipes – what language can they magpie? Discuss the meaning of imperative verbs such as "fold" "beat" "sieve" "whisk". Children plan their instructions – focusing on the ingredients, simple steps and the verb

- 6. Look at closing paragraph from both sets of model instructions (and the scarecrow one). What is the purpose of the end paragraph? What should it include? Children write the closing paragraph for their new instructions. If complete, give them another set of instructions to write a final paragraph for.
- 7. Re-cap subordinating conjunctions (particularly if, as, because). Give children simple sentences to build on. Discuss how a subordinating conjunction can be at the start or middle (not LAPS) play around moving the subordinate clause around in the sentence (only start or end) discuss impact.
- 8. Orally rehearse instructions thinking about fronted adverbials, conjunctions, closing paragraph. Focus to be on authorial voice and how to deliver warnings etc. Refer to oracy framework in planning. Magpie words and phrases as a class.
- 9&10. Write their own instructions to tame their animal

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How to make an animal

Do you live in a world with gaps in? Are you always trying to find lots of things to do to fill the gaps? If so, try making your own animal to travel into the world.

You will need:

- twigs
- leaves
- mud
- some water

Steps

- 1. First, gather together the twigs. They should be quite small and dry. Once you have the twigs, collect the leaves. They could be from any tree, but they must be brown and crisp or it will not work.
- 2. Spread the mud on top to make the shape of the animal. The mud must cover everything. Make sure there are no twigs or leaves showing!
- 3. Splash some water on top to make sure that everything is wet. You should not get it too wet or the mud will wash away.
- 4. Once the animal is assembled, it is time to start the fun part. Start to dance around the shape. You can dance in a clockwise or dance in an anti-clockwise direction.
- 5. Whilst you are dancing, start to chant. You must try to think how your animal thinks and move how your animal moves. The more you shout, the more likely your animal is to come to life.
- 6. If you are lucky and have followed the steps carefully, your animal should now be alive.

Once you have made your animal, you could keep it as a pet or let it roam the world. Be careful with your animal. It could be dangerous think carefully before making one. Finally, ensure that you keep your animal-making project secret from the gods. Normally, they are asleep but if they found out what you were doing, they could be unhappy.

L.O. wite an instruction text How TO create a creature loss your world have gaps in it? Are you constantly searching for the something to full the gaps? It so, then this set of instructions is for you! It will help you to create awhole new animal! What you will need . tiny, pretty peatals that match the couler of the bluest · dry, bown, small twigs which have strong, study structures · warm, smooth hapelnuts that have been in the sun all day. (best collected at noon in mid-sunner) · mouldable, wot day that can be found at a riverbed. What you need to do For a start, collect of a lot of petals, they could be crisp, damp, from a tree or a flower but they hove to be a shade of beatiful blue. For best results, find them in a bush forest or meadow. · Once this is done, more onto to next item It is smooth. bown ruty for some animals their purpose is unclearly but I find that if you include some havelnuts you get the best results. · Next, some gooey, mouldable they clay that

you can collect from a clean rivers riverbank. I must be distributed watery alas it will make the body of your animal be unique the to you and your animal This will be the legs of the animal. a Now, assemble your creature, mould the structure of the univeral with clay, If it has legs, use the twigs, dot nuts here and have peatals for ears and tail. " Finally start to chant and dance around your animal think of a name for it and two things that il would do then give your tostructions. I find that doing what you want want your unime to do helps two. Make sure your animal is a secret to the gods as they will get mad. If your creature hasn't wohen up, cheack you have folled my institutions.

"write an instruction test How to kill a parts. your own house. So get up of your betton and read on! You right need: · Brown spicky twigs that have Jallen down from a tree To start gather some soft a perfy cotten that is believed It was rest as and setch some buttons which Eller of a allegady collapsed directories. After all that were with need brown spicky bis that have fallen of a toce. Now you have all your mutials you should start Source Style I recemend in play .. burkle .. . be helfall . don't see you and you keep this

How to tame a unicorn

Has your unicorn gone wild? Do you just need it to calm down and listen to you? Follow these instructions to create a tincture that will calm and pacify your unicorn.

You will need:

1 wild unicorn

1 large bucket

30g of silver glitter

1tsp liquid sunshine

1 large raincloud

Method

- First, make sure your unicorn is not watching you make this potion. They may try to sabotage the end result if they can see you.
- 2. If you are confident that they are distracted, take three cups of silver glitter and sprinkle it into the bucket. Make sure that the weather is calm. You may find that the glitter blows away if it is windy.
- 3. Next, add a teaspoon of liquid sunshine. This can be quite bright and harmful to your eyes. You will need to either look away when you pour it, or you will need to wear sunglasses.
- 4. Mix in a generous dollop of raincloud and combine until smooth. Be careful not to beat the mixture as it will remove all of the air.
- 5. After that, pour the mix at the feet of the unicorn and wait until it starts to eat.
- 6. Finally, stroke the unicorn's head gently.

Once you have calmed your unicorn, you should be in a good place to reason with it and think about training it. Basic training advice would be to teach it to sit, roll over and wait. The tincture should be effective for 2-3 hours so you will need to work quickly. If the training has been completed in this time, you should find that your unicorn will continue to behave in the future.

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