

Dear Y3 children, Parents and Carers,

This week our work is based on the Roald Dahl text, 'The Twits'. I know that Roald is a popular author in our class and so am sure you will enjoy this week's work!

We have worked in class on summarising what we have read. Remember that this is reading a paragraph or chapter and then tell it using only the main points. This is your task for Monday.

Roald Dahl tried to use exciting vocabulary in his writing. There may be some words you have not heard before, or you may be unsure of the meaning. Think about how we have learned to work out the meaning of unknown words when we read together. You can use the clues in the text to help you, or use word hippo to tell you the definition. Remember that sometimes there is more than one definition for a word, so then we need to work out which fits into the sense of our text.

<https://www.wordhippo.com/>

When you're writing, remember to rehearse your sentence out loud, before you write it. Take care with your punctuation choices and re-read your work to make sure that it makes sense. You could also use your spelling lists to check that your spelling is accurate.

If you'd prefer to use another Roald Dahl text— perhaps a book you have at home – that's fine. All of this week's activities can be adapted for any of his stories. I look forward to hearing about them.

I've attach a writing frame for a character fact file and a couple to choose from for the book review. Use these if you think they will help.

There are lots of other titles written by Roald Dahl which you may choose to have a look at including James and the Giant Peach, Fantastic Mr. Fox, The Magic Finger, Matilda, Charlie and the Chocolate Factory and my favourites is Danny the Champion of the World. If you don't have these, you may be able to access some audio or video versions online but ensure that you do this with an adult.

Enjoy the unit and I look forward to hearing how you got on!

Mrs. Bradley

My Book Review

Title: _____

Author: _____

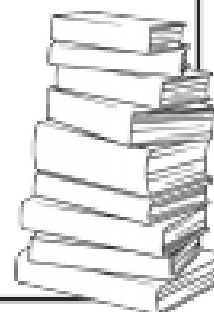
Did you like the book?

Rate the book by colouring in the stars.

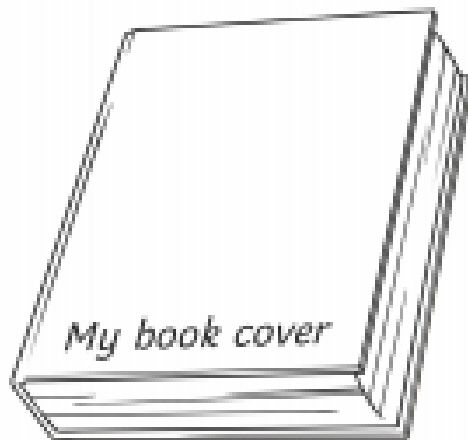


What was your favourite part?

Draw your favourite scene from the book.



Book Review



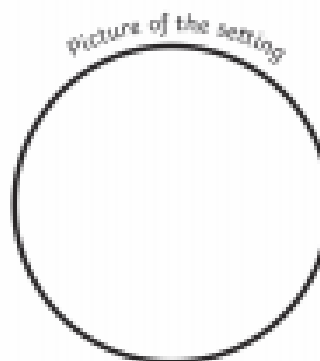
Plot

Event 1 _____

Event 2 _____

Event 3 _____

Setting



Character



Name _____

Personality _____

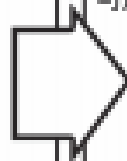
Physical Appearance _____

How I feel about this character

and why: _____

Cause and Effect of one of the events in the book

Cause



Effect

My Star Rating



Why I rated the book _____ stars

This book made me feel

_____ because



draw how you felt!

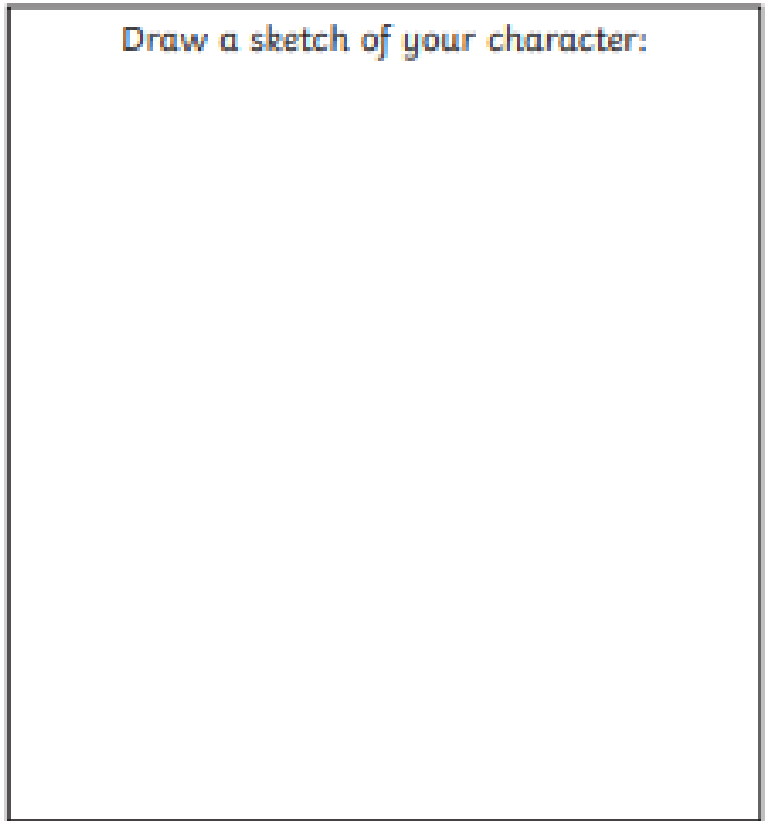
Character Profile

Character name

Appearance:

Personality:

Draw a sketch of your character:



Actions: What does your character **do** in the story?

Change:

