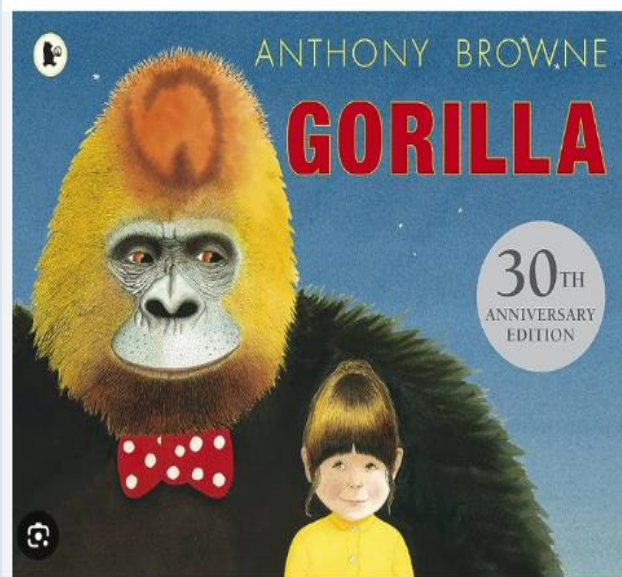


Feature Keys

- Use small details to describe characters
- Use small details for time, place and mood
- Use 1st or 3rd person consistently
- Use tenses appropriately
- Sequence stories in different stages: introduction, build up, climax, resolution



Mastery Keys

- Expand noun phrases by the addition of modifying adjectives, nouns and prepositional phrases
- Choose nouns or pronouns appropriately for clarity and cohesion and to avoid repetition
- Use fronted adverbials
- Organise paragraphs around a theme (to organise and sequence more extended narrative structures)

Developing Vocabulary

obsession
dejected
impression
awesome
bluff
charge
glance
loung
theme
parcel
primate
ape
chestnut
kin
stem
patchwork

Constructing an Expanded Noun Phrase

A noun is a thing, person or idea. An expanded noun phrase provides extra information about the noun. You can use a determiner, adjectives and a prepositional phrase within your expanded noun phrase to describe and specify details about the noun.

Determiner	Adjectives	Noun	Prepositional Phrase
A determiner is a word which comes before a noun or any modifiers, such as adjectives. They introduce the noun and give the reader important information about it.	Adjectives are words which describe a noun. You can use two adjectives to describe a noun but they must be separated by a comma, e.g. the huge, hairy spider.	The noun is the thing, person or idea that the expanded noun phrase is about.	A preposition is a word which indicates place or direction. A prepositional phrase usually includes a preposition and a noun or a pronoun.
the a an my these her our your five some many those	colourful gigantic miniature pristine dilapidated ancient obnoxious mischievous crumpled ecstatic muscular rectangular	socks bus engine bottle television pond custard paper lettuce caravan tongue Linda imagination	beside the river near the town in the water during the night through the winter this evening on the table between the houses underneath the waterfall before morning towards home

Use the boxes above to plan out and construct an expanded noun phrase, such as: the fierce, ugly troll beneath the bridge

Pronouns Chart

	Subject Pronouns	Object Pronouns	Possessive Adjectives	Possessive Pronouns	Reflexive Pronouns
1 st person	I	me	my	mine	myself
2 nd person	you	you	your	yours	yourself
3 rd person (male)	he	him	his	his	himself
3 rd person (female)	she	her	her	hers	herself
3 rd person	it	it	its	(not used)	itself
1 st person (plural)	we	us	our	ours	ourselves
2 nd person (plural)	you	you	your	yours	yourselves
3 rd person (plural)	they	them	their	theirs	themselves
Example Sentences	She is my sister.	Tell her to stop that!	Our falcon can fly.	The red jacket is hers.	I can tie my shoe myself.

Year 4: Fantasy

Write a narrative based on the story of 'Gorilla'