



Year 3
English
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SPaG Starter

- What does adding the prefix **un** and **dis** do to a word?
- do = **un**do
- approve = **dis**approve



SPaG Starter answer

- What does adding the prefix **un** and **dis** do to a word?
- do = **un**do
- approve = **dis**approve
- It changes the root word to the opposite.



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Split the word into the prefix and root word.

Unknown = _____ + _____

Disobey = _____ + _____

Uneven = _____ + _____

Disappoint = _____ + _____



SPaG Starter answer

Split the word into the prefix and root word.

Unknown = un + known

Disobey = dis + obey

Uneven = un + even

Disappoint = dis + appoint



Lesson Aims

- LO: To plan a non-chronological report about the hippocrump.
- I can use information from the poem to fill out each section
- I can use bullet points and jot down brief ideas
- I can use the conjunctions if and but



Main Teaching Summary

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- What does non – chronological mean?
- What features would you expect to see in a non-chronological report?



Main Teaching Answers

- Today, we are going to plan a non-chronological report about a Hippocrump.
- What does non – chronological mean?
- It's a text or report on a particular subject, that's not written in time order.
- What features would you expect to see in a non-chronological report?
- Title, sub headings, topic specific vocabulary, written in the present tense, pictures, captions, introduction, do you know section, written in the present tense, determiners,



The Hippocrump

Along the valleys of the Ump gallops the fearful Hippocrump.

His hide is leathery and thick;

His eyelids open with a click!

His mouth he closes with a clack!

He has three humps upon his back;

On each of these there grows a score of horny spikes, and sometimes more.

His hair is curly, thick and brown;

Beneath his chin a beard hangs down.

He has eight feet with hideous claws;

His neck is long - and O his jaws!

The boldest falters in his tracks to hear those hundred teeth go clack!

The Hippocrump is fierce indeed,

But if he eats the baneful weed that grows beside the Purple lake,

His hundred teeth begin to ache.

Introduction:



Appearance:

Habitat:

Diet:



Task

- Pick out the parts of the poem that are to do with the Hippocrumps appearance and use your work from yesterday to help you write bulletin points (not full sentences) on your plan in the appearance section.
- Then use the poem to pick out bullet points about the HC's habitat and diet.
- What could you put in introduction to encourage the reader to read more, without giving away lots of information. There is an example on the next slide. There is a word bank to download too, along with a planning sheet.



Hippocrumps

Introduction example

A hippocrump (or HC as it is often called) is a fearful creature who enjoys terrorising humans and animals. Be very careful around him as he could eat all your sheep.

