

Year Three English

Play scripts



National Curriculum:

- Pupils should.....
- listen to and discuss a wide range of fiction, poetry, plays, non-fiction and reference books or textbooks.
- prepare poems and play scripts to read aloud and to perform, showing understanding through intonation, tone, volume and action
- discuss writing similar to that which they are planning to write in order to understand and learn from its structure, vocabulary and grammar
- assess the effectiveness of their own and others' writing and suggest improvements
- proof-read for spelling and punctuation errors



Key Vocabulary – Star Words

play script	scene	colon	speaker
dialogue	spoken words	layout	brackets
monologue	cast	stage directions	punctuation

Glossary Of Star Words And Their Meaning

dialogue	
Stage directions	
colon	

Learning Intents

Learning Intents	Student	Teacher
I have a cast list at the beginning of my play script.		
The narrator sets the scene at the beginning.		
I used colons after the speaker name to show spoken words.		
New speakers start on a new line.		
Spoken words start with a capital letter.		
I have written stage directions in brackets.		