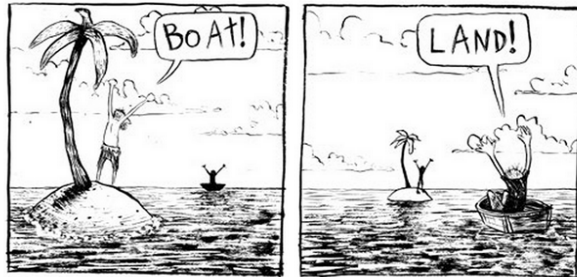


Year 8 'What's your view?'

Booklet



Perspective...

Types of Non-Fiction Texts

- Books
- Magazines
- Websites
- Pamphlets
- Flyers
- Menus
- Encyclopedia
- Newspaper
- Dictionary
- Food Labels
- Instructions
- Recipes
- Textbook
- Catalog
- Journal-Diary
- Menu
- Instructions

Name: _____

Teacher: _____

Task 1: The Eden Project

Due date: _____

Q1) Define the following words. Use a dictionary or Google etc. to copy out their meanings.

Word	Definition
Eden	
Simulate	
Tropical	
Environment	
Mediterranean	
Botanical	
Native	
Prehistoric	
Heritage	

Q2. a) Read the text below:

The **Eden Project** (Cornish: *Edenva*) is a visitor attraction in **Cornwall**, England, United Kingdom.

The first set of domes simulate a tropical environment and the second, a **Mediterranean** environment.

The attraction also has an outside botanical garden which is home to many plants and wildlife native to Cornwall and the UK in general; it also has many plants that provide an important and interesting backstory, for example, those with a **prehistoric** heritage.

Since 2002, the Project has hosted a series of musical performances, called the Eden Sessions.

The Core is the latest addition to the site and opened in September 2005. It provides the Eden Project with an education facility, incorporating classrooms and exhibition spaces designed to help communicate Eden's central message about the relationship between people and plants.



Q2. b) Summarise in your own words what you have learnt about The Eden Project:



Task 2: Disneyland

Due date: _____

Read the extract and answer the questions

Disneyland Paris, originally **Euro Disney Resort**, is an entertainment resort in **Marne-la-Vallée**, a new town located 32 km (20 mi) east of the centre of **Paris**, and is the most visited theme park in all of France and Europe. The resort covers 4,800 acres (19 km²)^[3] and encompasses two **theme parks**, several resort hotels, a shopping, dining, and entertainment complex, and a golf course, in addition to several additional recreational and entertainment venues.

According to the Disneyland Paris website the theme park's top five attractions are [It's a Small World](#), [Space Mountain: Mission 2](#), [Big Thunder Mountain](#), [Pirates of the Caribbean](#), and [Buzz Lightyear Laser Blast](#).^{[36][37]}

It's a Small World is located in the Fantasyland portion of the park. It takes the visitor on a musical tour of the world while multicultural dolls sing the song "It's a Small World". The park visitors travel through the attraction in a small boat which follows a river that runs through the attraction, with each part of the ride themed for a different part of the world.^[38]

Space Mountain: Mission 2 is located in the Discoveryland portion of the park. It is a roller coaster-like ride that "will blast you on a warp-speed ride into the unknown."

Big Thunder Mountain is located in Frontierland. This is a "[runaway train](#)" through the man-made "sierras of Big Thunder Mountain."^{[36][39]}

Pirates of the Caribbean is located in Adventureland. Contrary to popular belief, the Pirates of the Caribbean franchise drew inspiration from the ride.

Buzz Lightyear Laser Blast is located in Discoveryland. It was inspired by the Disney/[Pixar](#) movie [Toy Story 2](#). In this attraction the visitor sits in a star cruiser and shoots laser beams at targets. The more targets they hit the more points they earn. This ride is advertised as good for families with little ones, even though it is also listed that it may frighten young children.^[39]



Q1) What was Disneyland Paris first called?

Q2) Where is Disneyland Paris?

Q3) True or false: Disneyland Paris is the most visited theme park in all the world

Q4) List 3 things that you can do at Disneyland Paris that don't include going on rides:

Q5) Which attraction uses a small boat which follows a river running through the attraction?

Q6) Which attraction "will blast you on a warp-speed ride into the unknown"?

Q7) Which attraction is located in Frontierland?

Q8) Where is the Pirates of the Caribbean ride located?

Q9) What do visitors do when they go on the Buzz Lightyear Laser Blast ride?

Q10) What is your overall opinion of Disneyland from this article?

Task 3: IHADAFORREST

Due date: _____

Task: Use a dictionary/Google to define the techniques in the table.

Optional Challenge: Put the techniques into an example sentence

Some have already been done for you to help out

Technique	Definition	Challenge: Put the techniques into an example sentence
Imperative		
Hyperbole		
Anecdote		
Direct Address	Use of personal pronouns to directly speak to the reader/audience	"We need you to help" "It's our responsibility to campaign for this cause"
Alliteration		
Fact		
Opinion		
Rhetorical Question		
Emotive Language	Language that pulls on the heart strings of the reader/audience	
Statistics		35% of the population are now vegetarian 1 in 5 people have smart watches
Triple/Rule of Three/Power of Three/Triple		

Task 4: Create a leaflet

Due date: _____

Imagine you are part of the design team for a theme park about dinosaurs - think Jurassic Park!

Create a leaflet that persuades people to go to the theme park. You can include colours, fonts and pictures but make sure you focus on your choice of language the most.

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Task 6: Spellings**Due date:** _____

Practice these spellings for an upcoming test. Your teacher will tell you what day.

Look (Now cover!)	Write	Check. Give yourself a tick if you got it
Imperative		
Hyperbole		
Anecdote		
Direct address		
Alliteration		
Fact		
Opinion		
Rhetorical question		
Emotive language		
Statistics		
Triple		

Optional Challenge: How many of the techniques can you use in a piece of writing? Example:

Did you know that 30% of unicorns are allergic to cake? If they eat it, they get an itchy, irritating, purple rash alongside a temperature of 50°. One time in the North Pole, a unicorn ate so much cake that their blazing temperature melted a hole in the ice and plunged hundreds of Christmas elves into the icy water.

Task 7: Biographies

Due date: _____

Steven Paul Jobs was an American inventor, designer and entrepreneur who was the co-founder, chief executive and chairman of Apple Computer. Apple's revolutionary products, which include the iPod, iPhone and iPad, are now seen as dictating the evolution of modern technology.

Born in 1955 to two University of Wisconsin graduate students who gave him up for adoption, Jobs was smart but directionless, dropping out of college and experimenting with different pursuits before co-founding Apple with [Steve Wozniak](#) in 1976. Jobs left the company in 1985, launching Pixar Animation Studios, then returned to Apple more than a decade later. Jobs died in 2011 following a long battle with pancreatic cancer.



Pick a famous person of your choosing. This could be a celebrity, entrepreneur, sports person, scientist, artist, actor etc. Research their life and write a short biography about them below.

A large rectangular area with a green border containing 20 horizontal lines for writing a biography.

