Y5/6 Instructions

Purpose

To tell how to do or make something

To give information on how to complete a task

To describe a process in chronological order

Prior Knowledge

Use implied second person rather than second person
Use brackets to give additional information to the reader
Use fronted adverbials accurately followed by a comma
Use clear verb and adverb choices for clarity

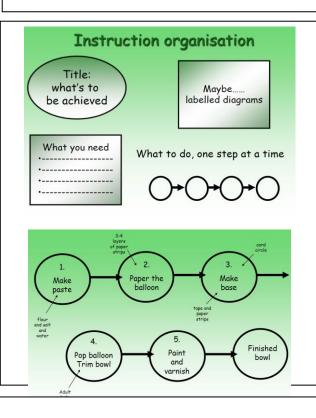
Partner Work

Know how to improve my own and my partner's writing focusing on sentences, grammar, punctuation, vocabulary and spelling.

- 1. Work with a partner.
- 2. Partner A places their book on top of Partner B's book because Partner A has their book on top they have the purple pen.
- 3. Partner B reads through the work and gives suggestions on what they think could be improved/edited and Partner A has to decide whether to take the advice or not.
- 4. After 5mins swap your books over.
- 5. Partner B has their book on top of Partner A's and the pen is given to Partner B so they now have the purple pen.
- 6. When it is a final piece of work, you may provide a response about the whole piece.

Organisation for your writing

Feature	Tick
Your ingredients or equipment	
are clearly set out	
You need detailed steps in	
chronological order	
You should add precaution advice	
or friendly tips or suggestions	
Your writing should contain	
examples of all of the language	
features.	
Your diagrams add extra detail	



Types of Explanation

DIY Manual – Sewing or Knitting Pattern – Recipe – Science Experiment – Instructions and Packaging

Language Features	
Coordinating	for, and, nor, but, or, yet, so
Conjunctions	The bread is warm yet it is soft.
Subordinating	although, because, now that, until, while
Conjunctions	Whilst you are baking, time carefully.
Correlative	both and, not only but also, either or
Conjunctions	
Causal	therefore, consequently, as a result, since,
Conjunctions	this results in, this causes
Modal Verbs	can, could, may, might, must, ought, shall,
	should, may, will, would
Expanded	under the bottom corner, the glittery
Noun Phases	beads
Prepositional	down under the dough
Phrases	beneath the writing
Relative	The mixture, which has fruit in it, is now
Clause	ready to bake.
Active	The heart pumps blood to the body.
Sentence	
Passive	The blood is pumped around the body by
Sentence	the heart.

Punctuation

Y5 and Y6	Levers, which are mechanisms, can be
Parenthesis	used to link various structures — rigid and
	flexible – when working on your project
	(Year 5 and 6 only).
	The ingredients (cabbage and onions)
	needed to be boiled slowly.
Y6	Eating warm; it is pleasant.
Semi-colon	It will be freezing; remember your oven
	gloves.
Y6 Colon	To explain —
	The heart is an organ: it is vital to the
	body.