

Supporting your child's reading and writing in Years 7 to 10: Literary texts

Suggested reading and writing activities for literary texts such as poems, short stories, graphic novels, drama scripts and novels

<p>Draw a picture to represent the setting or main character of the text.</p> 	<p>Create a simile to describe a main character or event.</p> <p>Create a metaphor to describe a setting.</p> 	<p>Produce a recording of an extract of your text complete with sound effects and background music to suit.</p> 	<p>Use items found around your house to construct a diorama of the setting of your text.</p> 
<p>Create a transcript of a mock interview with the author of a text. Perform or record the interview.</p> 	<p>Find a text that explores a different point of view on a topic. Construct a review or blog about the text you prefer, giving reasons for your preference.</p>	<p>Transform a poem into song and record or perform it.</p> 	<p>Transform part of a text into an interactive digital text. Include hyperlinks to other texts such as images, mock interviews and maps to improve understanding of the text.</p>
<p>Create your own crossword based on information from the text.</p>	<p>Create a promotional poster or a digital trailer for the text.</p>	<p>Rewrite a section of the text to represent an alternative viewpoint.</p>	<p>Write/tell an alternative ending to the text.</p>
<p>Construct a web that explains the relationships between characters or a mind map that represents how a theme is explored in a text.</p> 	<p>Create a diary entry from the perspective of a character or object in a text. The entry should provide the character or object's point of view on a key event, other character or object.</p>	<p>Perform part of a text.</p> 	<p>Create a newspaper report or feature article about a character, place or event from a text.</p> 

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