

## Course Instructions

### WELCOME!

Thank you for choosing this course on Creative Writing! The course is aimed at Key Stage 3 students but can enhance Key Stages 2 or 4.

#### Course aims

- To encourage children at KS3 to explore their imaginations and to express themselves through creative writing
- To learn some of the most important methods that writers use to create effects in their writing
- To develop analytical skills as students examine these methods in the work of other writers
- To develop written skills including descriptive writing, inventing characters, planning narratives and using structural features
- To provide a solid foundation for students as they move on to study GCSE/IGCSE English Language at KS4
- To encourage enjoyment of the writing process

#### Videos

- Each lesson will include a number of videos that will guide you through the content.
- Please watch the videos in order, pausing when asked to do the tasks on the worksheet (see Worksheets below).



## PDF slides

- The slides from the videos are available in PDF format for each lesson so that you can look back at individual slides while working on your worksheets.

## Worksheets

- Please print the worksheets ahead of each lesson and have a pen ready. You should also bring extra paper should you need it.
- The videos will prompt you when it is time to do the tasks on the worksheets.
- The worksheets should take around half an hour to forty minutes depending on your speed, but there is no set time limit.
- For tasks which ask you to write, you should practise using full sentences and paragraphs.

## The assignment

- The assignment is in the form of a creative writing project
- It should take you around an hour to complete, but there is no set time limit.
- The completed assignment can be turned in to the following email address for marking and feedback:  
[lemonandgreytuition@gmail.com](mailto:lemonandgreytuition@gmail.com)
- Since the assignment is not taken under assessment conditions and does not relate to a specific exam board's mark scheme, no grade will be given. However, you will receive detailed feedback.
- The assignment must demonstrate the skills taught in the course (see Course Aims above) in order for the course to be considered complete.

