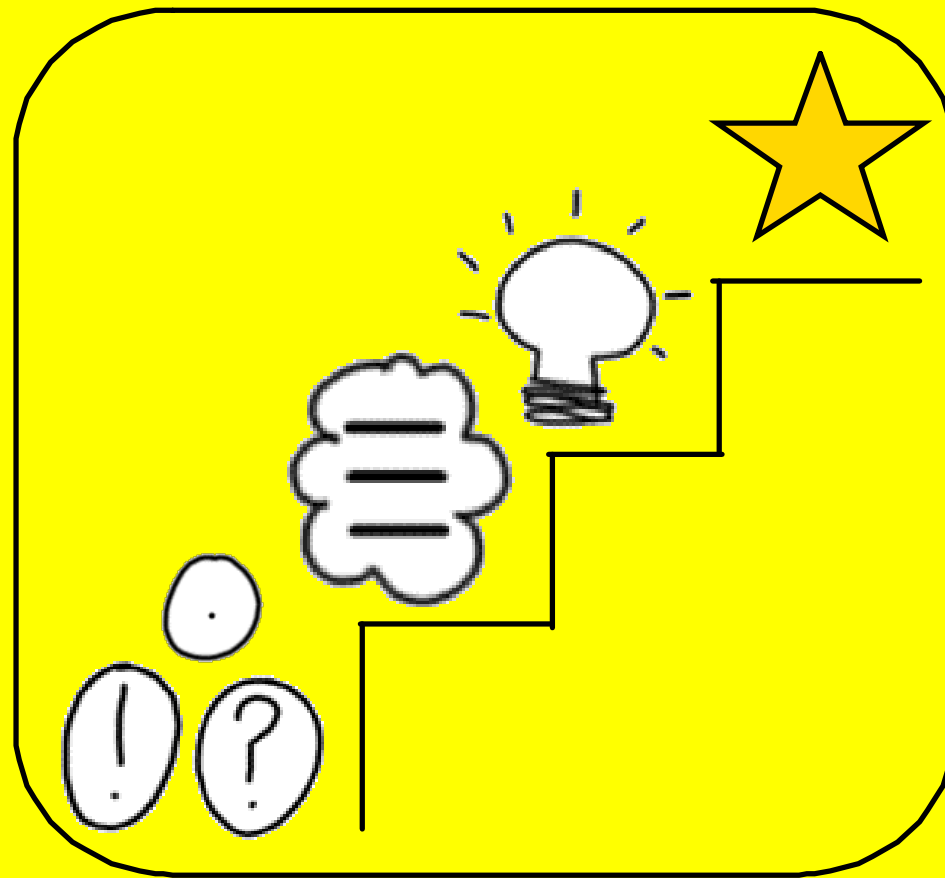


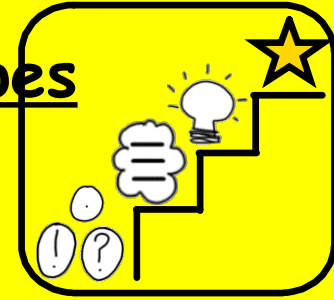
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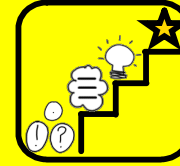
What are the **four**
different **sentence**
types?

What's a **fact file?**

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Statements

Statements are sentences which tell you a fact, opinion or idea.

Example:
A rainbow has 7 colours.
They are beautiful to look at.



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Questions

Questions are sentences that ask you something.
They usually end with a question mark.

Example:
What did you have for dinner?



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Commands

They are often urgent or angry, can be very short and contain an imperative verb. Commands Imperative verbs are also known as 'bossy verbs'- they tell people what to do.

Example:
Help me! Stop it.



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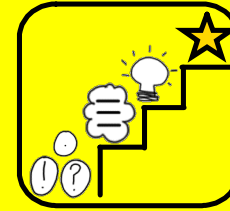
Exclamations

An exclamation is used when someone is surprised.
It always starts with 'How' or 'What' and contains a noun and a verb.

Example:
What big feet you have!



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Fact files are non-fiction.

They give us information on something in a clear, simple way.

You are going to be writing your own fact file tomorrow about an African animal.

Look at the example below.

What do you like about it? Is there anything that could be improved?

Meerkat



What do meerkats look like?

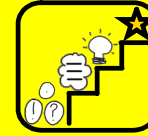
A meerkat is a small, golden brown mammal which belongs to the mongoose family. Meerkats live in big groups of up to 50. These groups are usually made up of several families and are called mobs, gangs or clans. What a lot of meerkats!

Where ^dto meerkats live?

Meerkats live in the deserts and grasslands of Africa.
Meerkats dig many complex tunnels and burrows to live in.
One burrow can have as many as 15 entrances and exit holes and be over 6 meters deep. How clever they are!

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What do meerkats eat?

Meerkats are omnivores which means they eat animals and plants. Their diet is made up of mainly insects which they sniff out with their excellent sense of smell. They will also eat birds, fruit, eggs, lizards and even poisonous scorpions.

Did you know?

Meerkats are immune to some snake venom, which means the poison does not affect them. How amazing!
Meerkats do not need to drink water. Even though they live in the desert, they get enough water from the food they eat. What a clever little animal!

Can you find:

- The heading
- A subheading
- A picture
- A paragraph

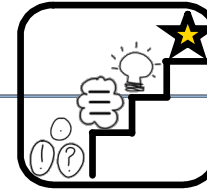
In our fact files we are going to use:

- Statements
- Questions
- Exclamations

Can you find examples of each?

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Cheetah

Appearance

Corse, golden fur with black spots
Camouflaged as spotted coat blends in with tall grass
Every cheetah has a different pattern

Habitat

Open, grassy savannah plains



Food

Carnivores
Fastest land mammal
60mph
Chase prey such as hares, wildebeest calves and gazelles

Did you know?

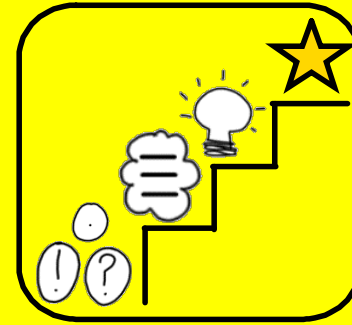
Cheetahs take 30 minutes to get their breath back after running flat out

Use writing resource 1 to practise putting your facts into fact file sentences (as shown in the example on meerkat). Can you add in some different sentence types?

Have a go at this one about cheetahs today with a grown up and tomorrow you will write your own full fact file about your chosen animal.

Shared Writing

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Plenary talk placemat

Today I have learnt that.....

Before this lesson I could already.....

The most important thing I learned today is.....

I have found out several things on the topic of....
Firstly I found out that.....
Furthermore, I

Discuss with a partner before you share it with the class.

One thing I need to remember from today's lesson

Today I have tried to.....

I did not know how to....
.....but now I can...

I was successful when I.....