

Teaching notes and ideas



Name of resource	The Silence Seeker by Ben Morley (As part of a Purchased Book Study)
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Curriculum area/s	Literacy-Writing Resource

Cfe/S	SQA Level	Language Level	
	Cfe First/Second Level	Early Acquisition EA/ Developing Competence DC/ C	
Curriculum objectives and context for learning			
A A	 LIT 1-04a LIT 2-04a As I listen or watch, I can identify and discuss the purpose, key words, and main ideas of the text, and use this information for a specific purpose. LIT 1-20a / LIT 2-20a I enjoy creating texts of my choice and I regularly select subject, purpose, format, and resources to suit the needs of my audience. LIT 1-22a LIT 2-22a I can write independently, use appropriate punctuation, and order and link my sentences in a way that makes sense. LIT 1-23a LIT 2-23a Throughout the writing process, I can check that my writing makes sense. 		
	LIT 1-28a / LIT 1-29a I can convey informat opinions, or persuade my reader in different ENG 1-31a ENG 2-31a Having explored the	ation, describe events or processes, share my nt ways. he elements which writers use in different genres, I ries, poems and plays with interesting structures,	

Language and Literacy objectives

Using a short story to reinforce literacy skills taught in class-

- > Mini Research projects
- Features of Front Cover/ Blurb
- VCOP reinforcement tasks
- Book Review

This resource could be used:

Whole class learning to begin a short unit of work – as part of differentiation within class lessons/as part of a home learning task etc...



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Possible extension activities

Mini Research Topics

Ideas for using the resource

This activity could be used to support writing while self-isolating or as a Blended Learning home link task.

Other information

You will need access to a computer to access the Sway lesson which is interactive.