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| **What will we be learning?**  **Year 7 – Creative Writing: Writing Skills** | **Why this? Why now?**  To build on skills in writing: to introduce the idea of crafting texts for effect using a range of structural techniques. To gain confidence in producing entertaining, lively and engaging texts utilising and developing poetic devices explored in previous unit. | **Key Words:**  Paragraphs  Sentence types  Ellipsis  Flashback  Narrative  Characterisation  Dialogue  Setting  Mood  Atmosphere  Pathetic Fallacy  Imagery  Figurative Language |
| **What will we learn?**  Content: To be able to show a match to the purpose, audience and text type most of the time. To be able to include a range of interesting ideas.  Style: To be able to use a range of methods to interest the audience, mostly successfully. To be able to select some vocabulary choices carefully.  Organisation: To be able to use paragraphs accurately and to use a range of structural features successfully most of the time.  Punctuation and grammar: To be able to use a wide range of punctuation accurately most of the time. To be able to write in accurate sentences and think of the effect some of the time. To be able to use tenses accurately most of the time.  Spelling: To be able to spell complex words accurately most of the time | |
| **What opportunities are there for wider study?**   * Writing competitions * Poetry competitions * Visit MyHighcliffe then MyWrite to find out more information! | |
| **How will I be assessed?**  Formal writing assessment | |