

YourStoryWorld – KS1 Teacher Pack

This pack supports teachers in delivering engaging, curriculum-aligned reading and writing lessons using the YourStoryWorld app for Years 1–2 pupils. It focuses on descriptive writing, reading comprehension, and early AI and digital literacy skills—all whilst supporting KS1 English objectives and helping teachers review pupil discussion and written work.

Curriculum & classroom evidence

National Curriculum Coverage

Supports KS1 English objectives including vocabulary development, sentence structure, descriptive writing, reading comprehension, and spoken language skills.

Classroom evidence

Teachers can review pupil discussion, saved stories and written work alongside their observations. Use this evidence to assess understanding and plan the next teaching step.

Digital Literacy

Introduces age-appropriate AI literacy, teaching children that technology follows instructions, can make mistakes, and requires human checking—building responsible digital citizens.

Use these activities alongside your school's English curriculum, phonics programme and professional judgement. Review pupil discussion and saved writing to plan next steps.

Using YourStoryWorld in Your Lessons

Core Teaching Focus

Pupils develop setting descriptions using sensory language, expanded noun phrases, and clear sentence structure. Teachers guide children to improve detail by refining prompts used in the app—building metacognitive skills alongside writing ability.

Simple Lesson Structure

1. **Objective:** Describe a setting using adjectives and senses
2. **Starter:** Discuss favourite places
3. **Main:** Create story in YourStoryWorld
4. **Plenary:** Share and improve descriptions

01

Input Creative Ideas

Pupils enter characters, settings, and simple descriptive prompts into the app.

02

Generate & Read Stories

Generated stories are read aloud or listened to, supporting reading fluency and comprehension.

03

Discuss & Evaluate

Class discusses improvements to descriptions, building critical thinking skills.

04

Refine & Regenerate

Pupils refine prompts and regenerate stories, demonstrating redrafting and editing skills.

Evidence for Inspection: Saved stories, improved drafts, comprehension questions, and dashboard insights provide robust evidence of pupil progress, engagement, and comprehensive curriculum coverage.