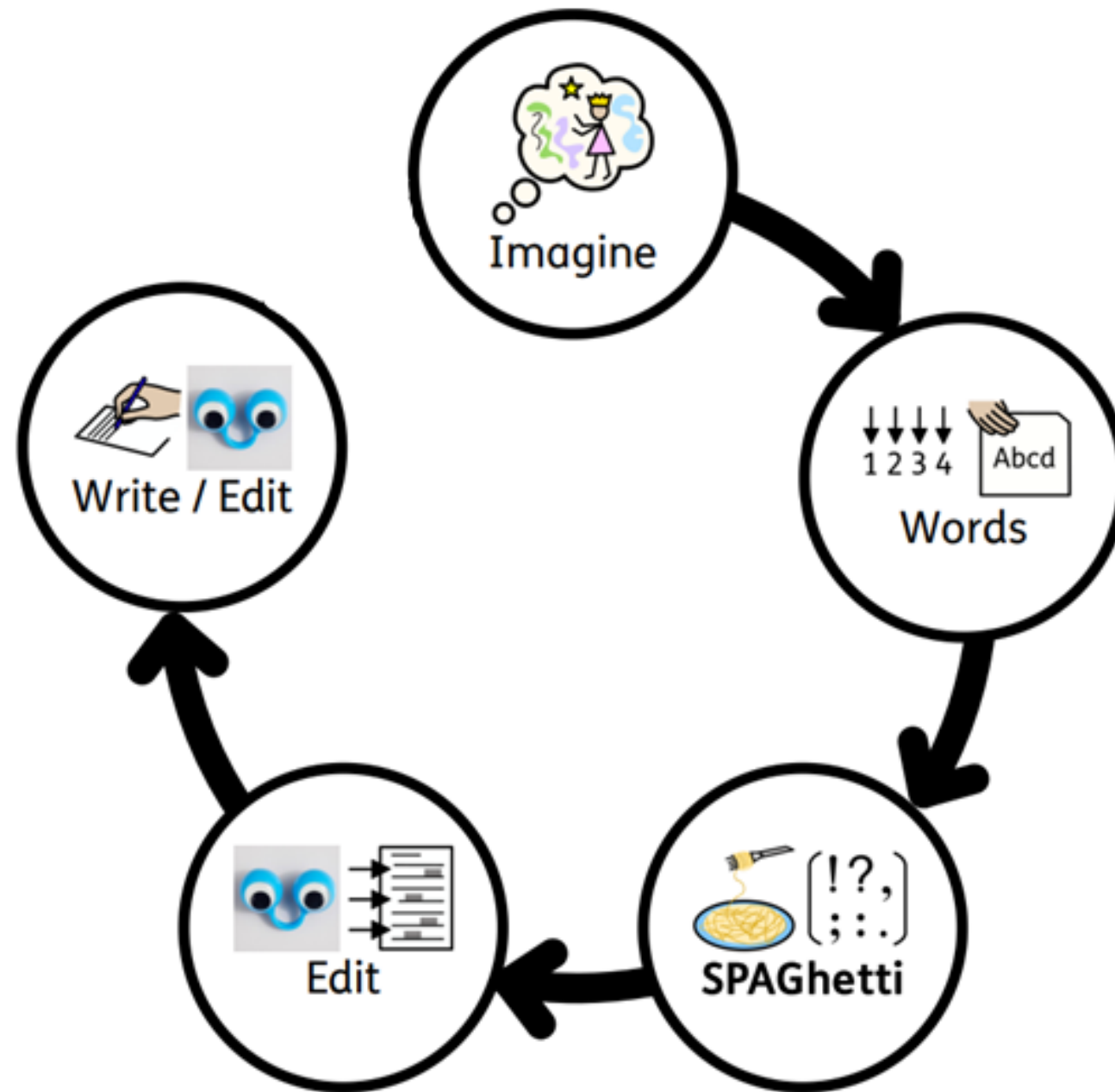






Spelling homework

In class

- Children will practice the sentence in class over the week looking at word meaning, spelling, punctuation, grammar, handwriting and finger spaces.
- Children will count out the words to understand the order.
- Children will have opportunities to orally rehearse and write the key sentence in addition to understanding word choice and recognising any mistakes made.
- On a Friday the class teacher will read the sentence aloud and children will write the sentence out.
- Children will have opportunities again to fix and edit any mistakes.

At home.

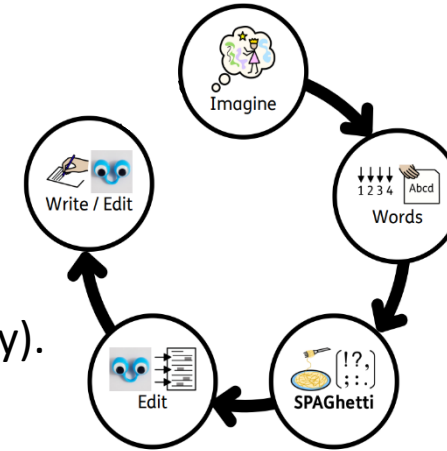
- Talk about the key sentence with your child; how many words does it have? Which words come first/last?
- Can you create a story around the sentence? Does your child know any stories which are similar to the sentence?
- Practise the words individually. Are there any words that they find tricky or easy? Many words in these sentences are tricky words which can also be found in your child's pink home school reading diary.
- Practise the sentence as a whole.



Dictation Sequence – 5 Min Sessions

Day 1: Imagine and Internalise

- 'Picture the scene'.
- Tell a story to set the scene for the picture.
- Show the picture (talk)
- Show the sentence (read, repeat and be expressive)
- Talk the sentence using the narrative approach (who, what, where, when and why).
- Explain that it is a statement, command, exclamation or question.
- Put the sentence on the wall for visual reminder all week.



Day 2: Which Words?

- Count the words.
- Gather cubes for each word (space them appropriately).
- Talk the tricky words.
- Sound button words.
- Show visual mnemonics (pictures) for tricky words or homophones.
- Practise new/tricky words.
- Write with eyes closed.
- Practise these words every day on whiteboards as part of settling for phonics.
- **GDS Only Zone** – show them the challenge sentence. How will they meet the challenge? Check spellings and grammar.

Day 3: Successful SPAGhetti

- Write the sentence in the air.
- Quick practise spellings.
- CAPITAL vs lowercase (do they know the difference e.g. Jj, Ss, Ww, Yy or Gg)
- Starting (always capitals – green) and stopping the sentence – which way today (red)?
- **GDS Only Zone** – Write their challenge sentence. Will theirs end in the same way?

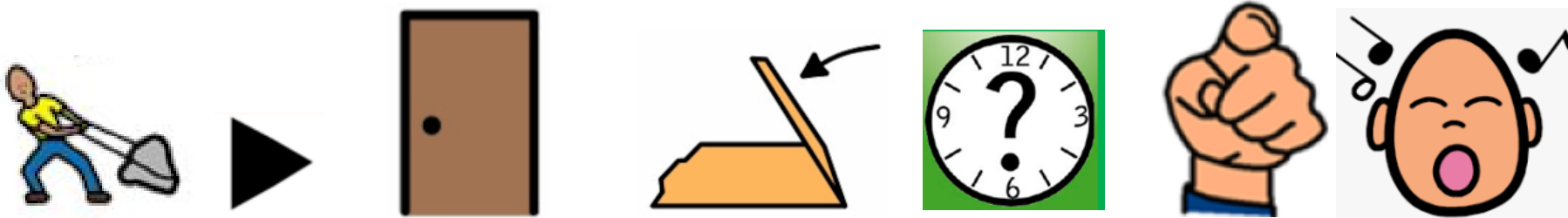
Day 4: Editing Eyes

- Show 3 different versions of the sentence with mistakes (spelling, punctuation and grammar e.g. verb tenses).
- Children to talk through the mistakes together in talking trios.
- Edit sentences with the children using purple polishing pen on board.

Day 5: Write It Right!

- Children to transcribe the sentence as teacher dictates onto handwriting paper at a table.
- Edit and check (peer checking an option).
- 6-Point Check
 1. Can we read the writing?
 2. Finger spaces?
 3. Correct number of words?
 4. Correct CAPITALS?
 5. Has the sentence stopped?
 6. Super spelling?
- **GDS Only Zone** – Write their challenge sentence perfectly.

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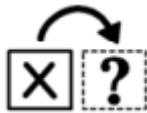


Pull the door closed when you sing.

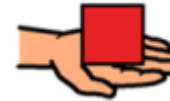
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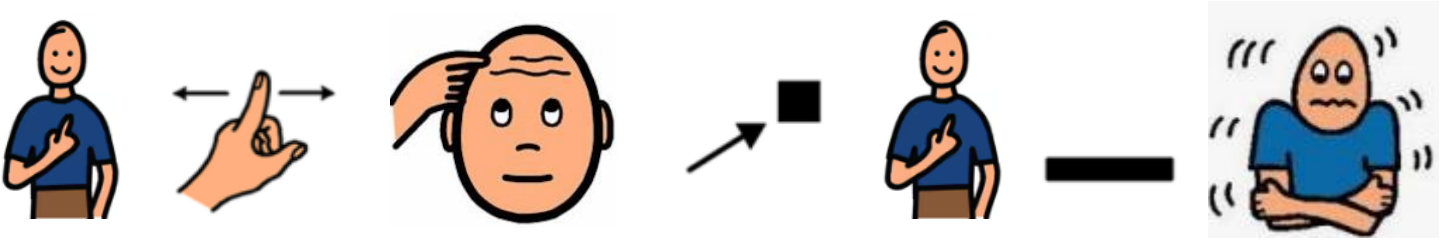
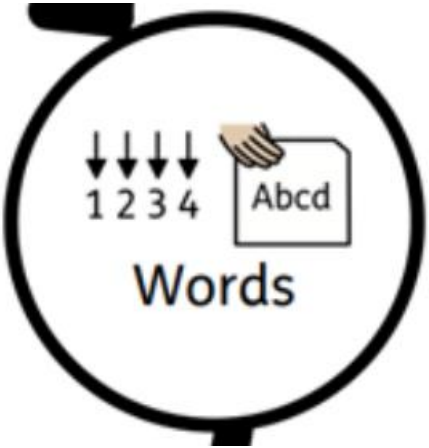


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You are beautiful after a walk if you have a bath.

Week 3

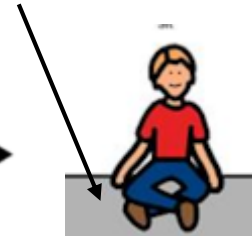
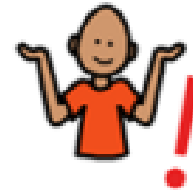


I don't mind that I am cold.





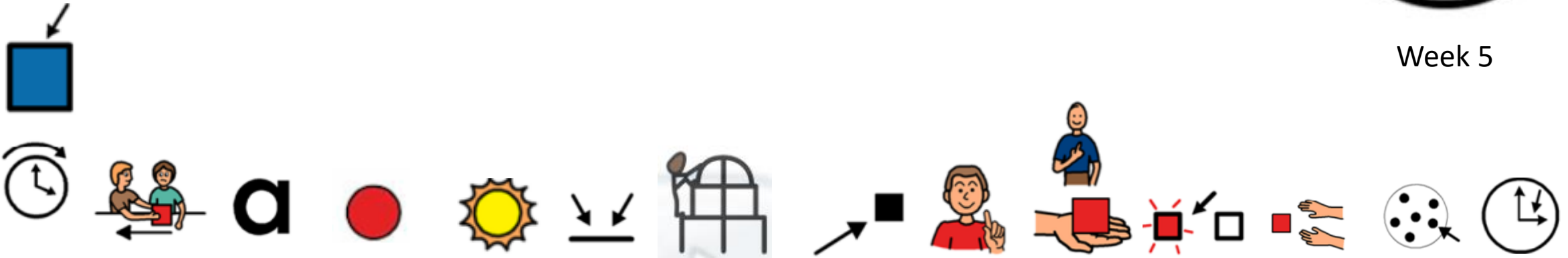
Week 4



Everybody sat on the grass because the floor was wet.



Week 5



It'll take a whole day to climb that but I've only got an hour.





Week 6



I'd eat less sugar to improve my diet.

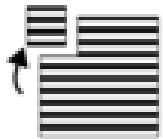
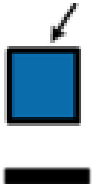


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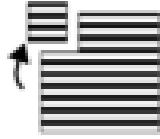




Week 7



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It's full of a handful of playful pixies.



Where?



When?



Who?



What?



Week 8



The class were so thoughtful that they gave half away.



Where?



When?



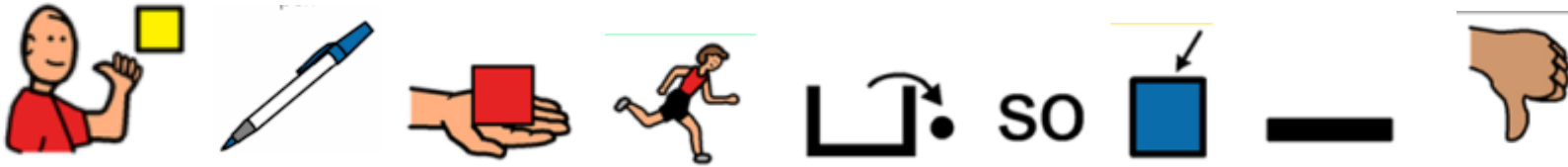
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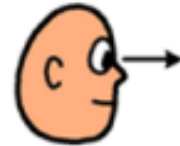
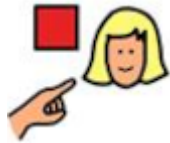
Week 9



My pen has run out so it is useless.



Week 10



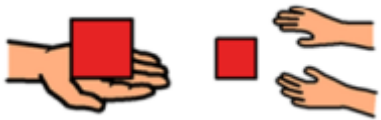
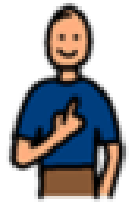
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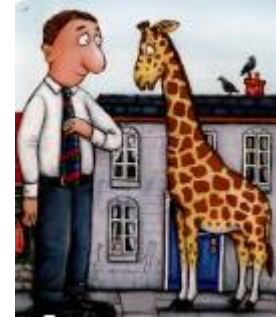
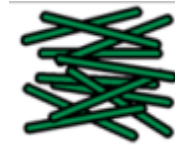
Why does her friend seem so fearless?



Week 11



so



I've got to pass through so many giants!



Where?



When?



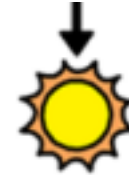
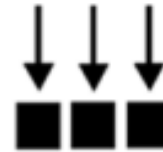
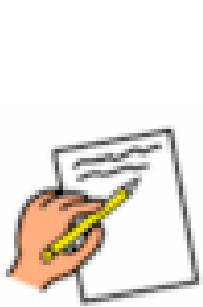
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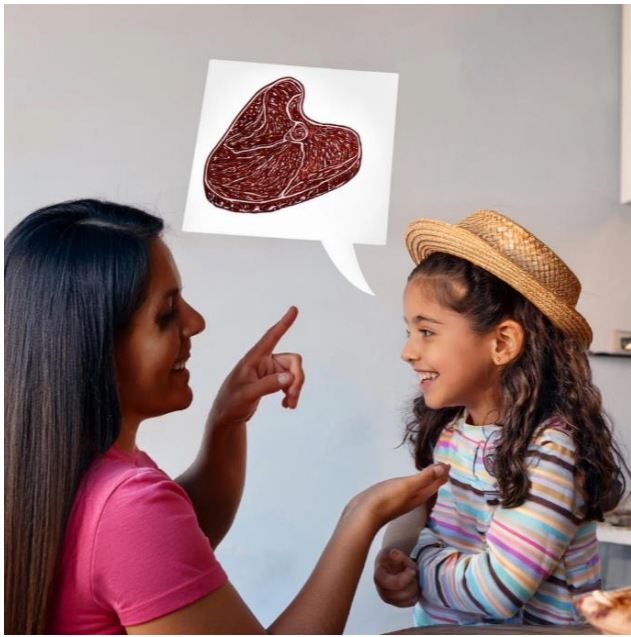
What?



Week 12



Prove you'll work hard every day.



Week 13



Get me a steak, a pretty hat and my father.