

Writing task

Story starter!

Most visitors are a little shocked (to put it mildly) when they arrive at Animal Town. Despite the fact that the name of the town gives a slight indication to passers-by that the inhabitants of the town are 'not normal', it's as if people don't believe things until the see them with their own eyes!

Once you get used to being in Animal Town - or so they say - seeing an orangutan behind a desk in a sheriff's office and upholding the law to an impeccably high standard becomes relatively 'normal' ...

Imagine you are a visitor in Animal Town. Try to describe your experience.

Alternatively, you could be one of the residents...

Did I...

Child include the date and/or time that the entry was written? use past tense for the main events? tell events in chronological order? use paragraphs to organise my writing (including an introduction and conclusion)? use time conjunctions and adverbials?

Date:

Dear Diary,

In the last home learning, you came up with sentences using verbs and adverbs that you can use in your diary entry to give you a head start.