

CS Education Newington

Y 5-6 COURSE OVERVIEW

WRMT

WRMT stands for Writing, Reading skills, Mathematics, Thinking Skills.

Writing -Teach the skills of writing a range of texts which are clear, effective, informative and innovative.

Reading Skills – Students learn to comprehend what they read and view by applying reading strategies, contextual, semantic & grammatical knowledge.

Mathematics – Basic Concepts + Examples + Practice Exercises

Thinking Skills – Problem Solving + Critical Thinking (non-verbal

Abstract Reasoning & non-verbal Spatial reasoning)

WEMG -Writing

Weekly Homework Assessment

Teacher will guide the students how to approach the questions in the class.

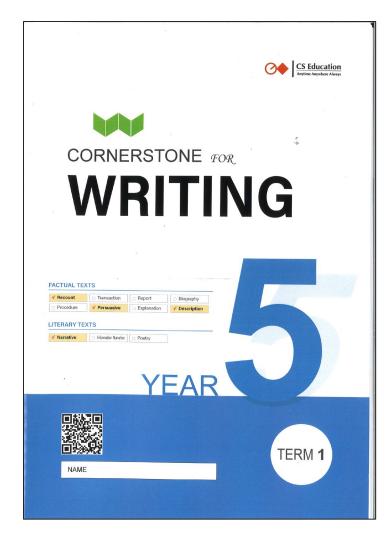
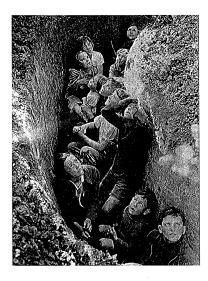


IMAGE RESPONSE



Your task in this lesson is to examine the image that you have been given above and write a creative response. You may choose to write:

A narrative: Include an orientation, complication and resolution

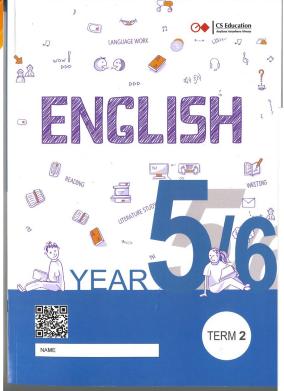
A poem: You may choose to write a rhyming poem or it may be in blank verse. It must contain at least four verses.

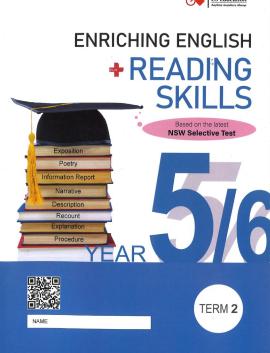
A recount: Remember to include an orientation, a sequence of events in the order in which they occurred and a conclusion, (This may be in the form of a diary entry, a letter, a newspaper report etc)

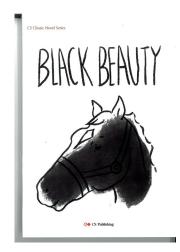
An exposition: The image may have stirred a response that you want to write an argument about. Remember to include an introduction stating what your argument is going to be and choose at least three points to back up your argument to be included in the body of the exposition. You will need a conclusion to sum up the argument.

WRMT - English

- . English >>> reading comprehension, spelling, vocabulary, grammar and punctuation at the word and sentence.
- . Enriching English & Reading Skills >>> Provide extended materials for students to expand their thinking skills through higher order questions.
- . Novel Study >>> study of a literary text which may have personal, cultural, social or aesthetic value to them.







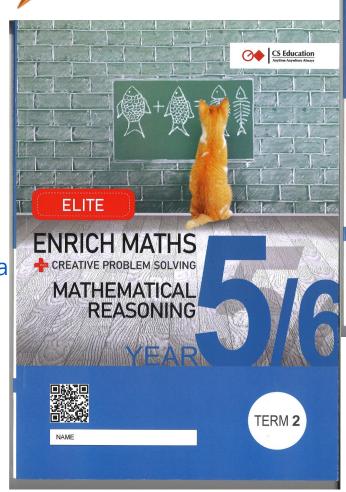
WRMT - Maths

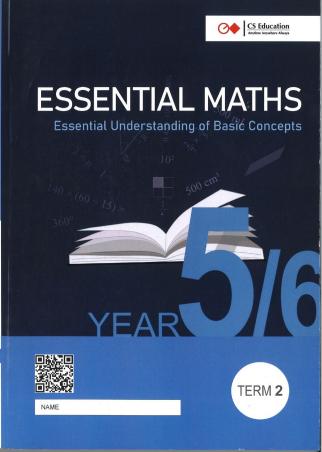
- . Essential Maths >>> five content strands:
 - ~ Numbers ~ Patterns ~ Data
 - ~ Measurement ~ Space and Geometry

Each strand:

Basic Concepts + Examples + Practice Exercises

. Enrich Maths >>> Different levels of difficulty to provide a systematic development of problem solving and mathematical ability.





WRMT Thinking Skills

General Ability examines student's **Thinking Skills**.

Thinking Skills is defined as having two sets of assessable skills: 1. problem solving and 2. critical thinking.

1. Problem Solving requires reasoning using numerical skills.

2. Critical Thinking requires reasoning using everyday written languages.

