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To be able to write effective sentences



The Find!



Your task is to pretend to be Howard Carter and write a telegram or a letter to Lord Carnarvon, telling him that you have found a tomb. What you can see so far and that you would like him to come out and see it too.

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An example piece:

Dear Lord Carnarvon

I am **so glad** I am writing to you with **fantastic news**. I was beginning to think we would never find anything **but we have!** **Finally we have found something. How exciting this is!**

Lord Carnarvon, we cleared out a **lost shaft** and it led to a **sealed room**. **Cautiously**, I knocked a hole through the wall just big enough to peer through. **Guess what I could see?**

Gold, gold everywhere! **Gleaming, glimmering, sparkling** in the flickering candlelight, I saw glimpses of **beautiful things! Golden beds, carved figures like tomb guardians and exquisite jewellery**. I even saw what looked like a **royal throne ornately engraved and covered in gold**. **I have never seen such riches before in my life!**

Come quickly! I will wait for you so we can investigate together.

Yours

Howard Carter

WHAT MRS WILLIAMS INCLUDED:	Points each	number	Points collected
<u>Correct tense/punctuation</u>	1	12	12
Variety of sentence types	2	4	8
Description, phrase or simile showing feelings	3	5	15
descriptive phrase or simile of what was seen	2	5	10
Using repetition for effect	3	2	6
Grand total			



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WHAT I INCLUDED:	Points each	number	Points collected
<u>Correct tense/punctuation</u>	1		
Variety of sentence types	2		
Description, phrase or simile showing feelings	3		
descriptive phrase or simile of what was seen	2		
Using repetition of 3 '-ing' words for effect	3		
Grand total			