## English

Year 3

Term 3

Week 1

## Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2021

• Session 2

## Spellings This week your spellings are: accident accidentally actual actually address

### WALT- write a myth (Cold Task)

S2S: I can

- Use a clear story structure.
- Include rich vocabulary.
- Include an explanation/message.

Our Writing Journey: Myths and Legends - Writing a Mythical Story.

Hot Task Planning – Write your own Mythical Story, in neat Write a
Mythical
Story
which
contains a
mythical
creature
you
invent.

Explore
the
character
s and plot
within the
story.

Improve your vocabulary in the story, edit your work, using feedback.

Read and understan d a Mayan story.

Identify mythical creatures and design your own



# What is a myth?

#### What is a Myth?

A myth is a story that is not true but some people believe it. One popular myth is the Loch Ness Monster from Scotland. Scottish people often believe the monster is a modern type of dinosaur. The word "myth" comes from "mythology". Mythology is the study of myths. Most mythology studies subjects of gods, superheroes or humans. Some historians (people who study history) think that myths were started as a way of telling true stories. Others believe that myths are only interesting stories or jokes to entertain people.



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Myths and stories are often told over a campfire to entertain the children.

#### You do....Cold Task

Write a myth about how an animal became what it is today.

 How an elephant got its trunk