

English

Wednesday 3rd February 2021

Objective: To plan an instruction text.

Success Criteria

1. I can explore ideas for my own instructions.
2. I know how to set out and structure my instructions.
3. I can gather words and phrases to use in my instructions.

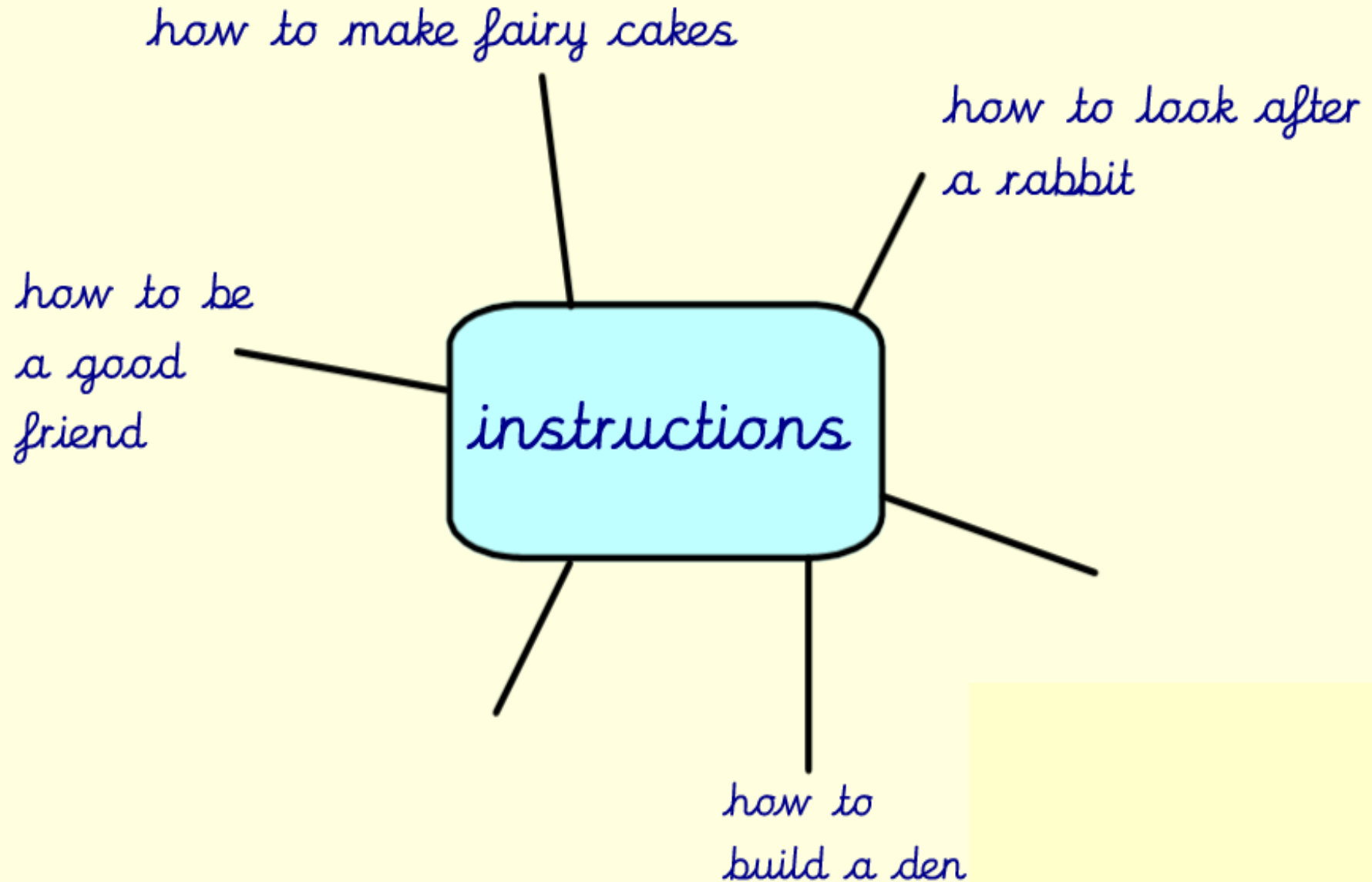
Starter: grammar

Circle the adverb in each sentence below:

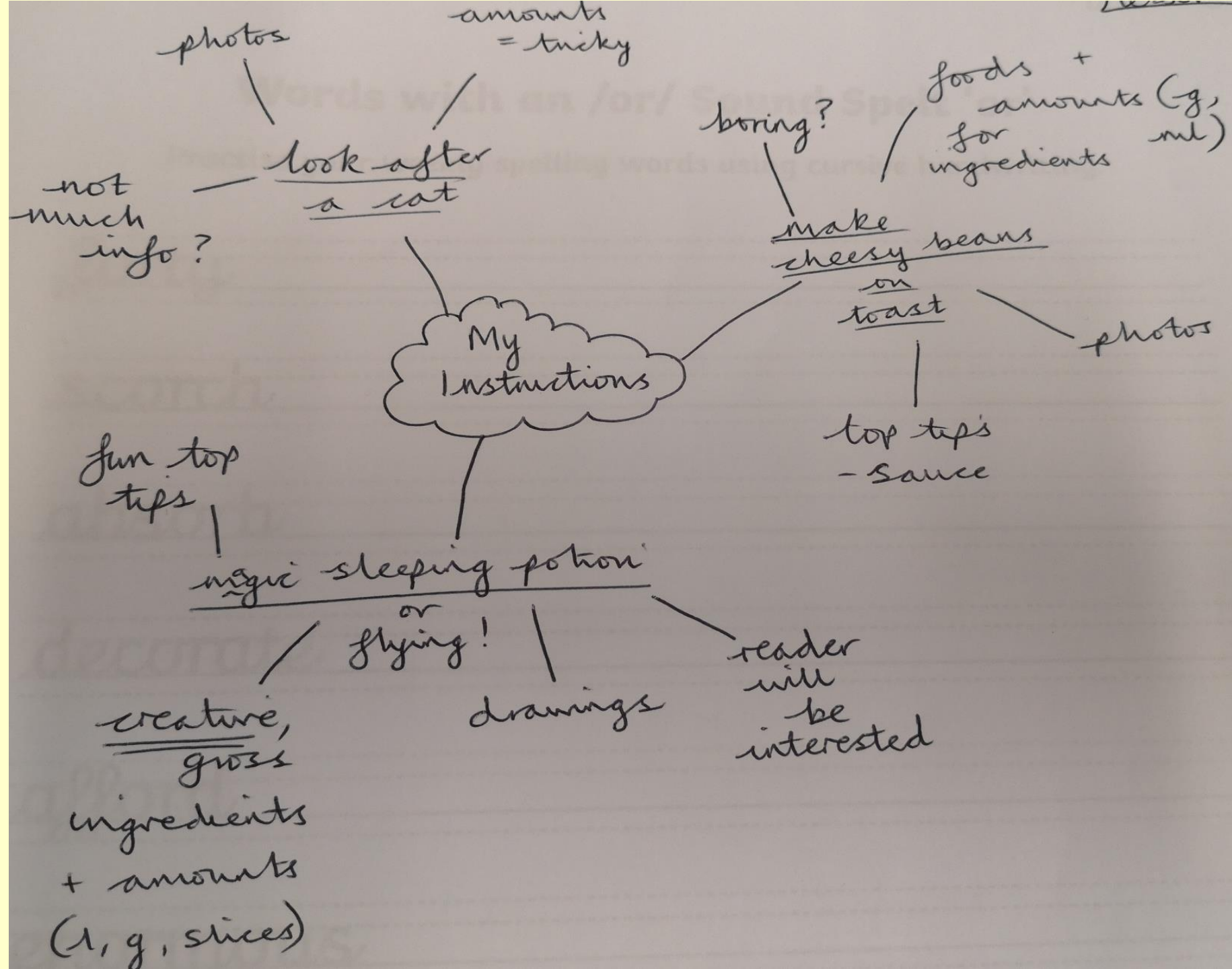
- 1) The old man walked slowly down the street.
- 2) Aaron was excitedly playing with a bouncy ball.
- 3) The grumpy child sat in the corner quietly.
- 4) Sarah sang beautifully in the shower.
- 5) John cut an onion carefully.
- 6) Steven foolishly tripped over a stick.
- 7) David jumped out the shed without warning.

What will your instructions be about?

- Start by thinking about what you would be able to write instructions about. Your interests? Things you're passionate about?
- Make a mind map like this of ideas:



- Choose your 3 favourite ideas.
- Make some notes around them about what sort of things you could include if you wrote instructions about that topic.
- I have done an example of this for you here.
- Look at the notes I have made to help me choose the best option for my instructions.
- Which one do you think I should go for?



Your task

Plan your set of instructions like my example here.

Don't write it - this is just a plan!

So bullet points, notes and words only.

Draw boxes to show where sections will be.

Make some lists of words or phrases that you can use, like time conjunctions or adverbs that you want to include.

Title: How to make a tent

Introduction paragraph:

- What the tent is
- Why the reader should build one
- How long it will take
- Finish paragraph with a question

You will need:

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Picture of finished tent

A safety warning

Method:

- Numbered steps
- Imperative verbs – get, put, hold, stick, find
- Time conjunctions – firstly, next, after that, before long
- Adverbs – carefully, quickly, safely,

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.