

I Am Glad To Be Me

I look in the mirror,
And what do I see?
Who is this person,
Staring back at me?

My name is Hannah Grace Smith.
I am a smart, creative year 2 child.
I am curious about life outside our silent solar system.
I want to learn how to sing like an angel.

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I pretend that I'm braver than I really am.
I worry about my fantastic family.
It breaks my heart when I see people hurt each other.
I understand that I sometimes have to be as patient as a saint.

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I believe that every person matters.
I dream that one day, I'll run as fast as a race car.
I hope that I always have a happy, healthy family.
My wish for the world is for everybody to get along.

I look in the mirror,
And what do I see?
I am precious,
I am glad to be me.

Sentence Opener	Consider...	Ideas
My name is	Well this one is easy: write your name!	
I am	Choose two traits from the traits sheet	
I am curious about	Something you wonder	
I want to	Something you want	
I pretend	Something you pretend to do	
I worry	Something that bothers you	
It breaks my heart when	Something that makes you sad	
I understand	Something you know is true	
I believe	Something you believe	
I dream	Something you dream about	
I hope	Something you hope for	
My wish for the world is	Something you wish for the world	

Alliteration

Words used together that begin with the same sound.



The Wicked Witch
of the West



Isaac's ice-cream
was icy.

Similes

Similes say something is like something else.



Grandad is wise
like an owl.



She is as graceful
as a swan.

Noun = lake

Noun phrase = the lake

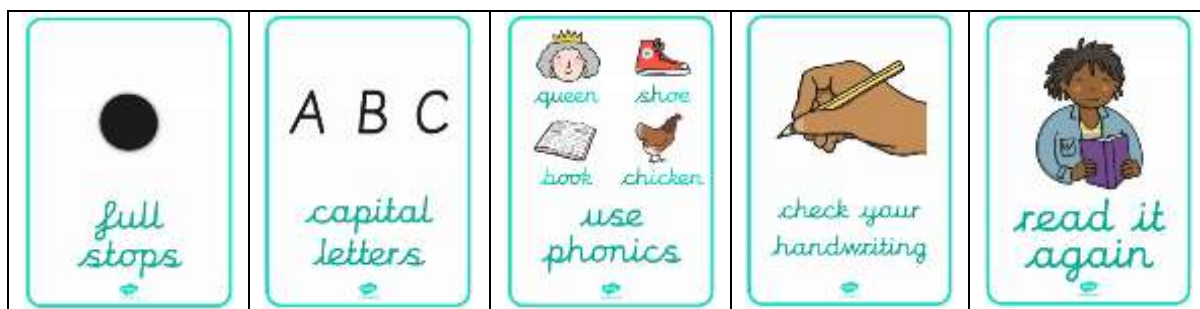
But what is an expanded noun phrase?

the beautiful lake
article + adjective + noun

"I Am Me" Character Traits

* afraid * artistic * athletic * awesome * beautiful * bold *
* brave * brilliant * busy * calm * careful * charming * cheerful *
* creative * curious * embarrassed * exciting * fair * fearful *
* friendly * fun * funny * generous * gentle * giving * greedy *
* grouchy * happy * helpful * honest * imaginative * intelligent *
* jealous * kind * lazy * lonely * loving * loyal * lucky * mean *
* messy * nervous * nice * nosy * polite * proud * pretty * quick *
* quiet * quirky * respectful * responsible * sad * selfish * serious
* * shy * silly * smart * sneaky * spoiled * strict * stubborn *
* sweet * talented * terrified * thankful * thoughtful * trusting *
* trustworthy * unfriendly * unselfish * wacky * wild * wise *
* wonderful * worried * zany *

General Help



Gold Success Criteria	Child	Adult
Have I used expanded noun phrases?		
Have I used similes?		
Have I used alliteration?		
Have I set my poem out in stanzas?		
Have I included the repeating stanza?		
Have I used adventurous vocabulary?		
Have I written from the heart?		
Have I checked for capital letters and full stops?		

Silver Success Criteria	Child	Adult
Have I used similes?		
Have I used alliteration?		
Have I set my poem out in stanzas?		
Have I included the repeating stanza?		
Have I used adventurous vocabulary?		
Have I written from the heart?		
Have I checked for capital letters and full stops?		

Bronze Success Criteria	Child	Adult
Have I used similes?		
Have I checked my work for capital letters and full stops?		
Have I set my poem out in stanzas?		
Have I included the repeating stanza?		
Have I used adventurous vocabulary?		
Have I written from the heart?		