

### A trip to the zoo

Yesterday my family went to the zoo to see lots of different exciting animals.

First, we went to the small shop to buy food to give to the animals. It was the smelliest food ever!

Next we went to the nocturnal house, where we saw some birds and reptiles that only come out at night. The reptiles looked bigger than the birds.

Then we went to see the greyest elephants, they were stomping up and down in their enclosure.

Finally we had a little bit of lunch before we started to make our way home. What a fantastic day we had!

### At the seaside!

On Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> March Year 2 went to the sunny seaside to see if we could spot a variety of different animals.

First we all had to carefully climb onto the giant coach to be seated by our teacher. We were all extremely excited!

When we got to the seaside, we leaped off the coach, checked we had our pack lunches and went for a long stroll on the beach. The sun was the brightest I had ever seen it, and the ocean waves were glittering.

Next we made huge, elaborate sandcastles. Thomas' was the tallest and Eden's was much bigger than mine but I still felt joyful and full of happiness.

Then we went animal exploring to find different animals at the seaside. I only managed to see a spotted dog and it was barking very loud! Molly, on the other hand, spotted a scuttling crab!

Finally it was time to travel home. How I would love to go again! Wouldn't you?

<b>Recount features</b>	<b>Key</b>
Time connectives	
Noun phrases/exciting adjectives	
Adverbs	
Suffixes -ness, -full, -ment, -ly	
Key events/activities	
Commas in a list	
Subordinating conjunctions (when, if, that, because)	