

Creating your own story book.

(TEXT ONLY BOOK)

1. Download the blank template found in the **PARENT INFORMATION – AWESOME AUTHORS** area of the school website.
2. Each sheet is two pages of the book.
3. Your child needs write out or (if necessary), dictate the story to you. The story and words must be your child's, so please balance your input, and do not try to edit the story to make perfect sense. If the story does not flow perfectly that is ok.
4. Type up the story into the boxes of each sheet. Use as many sheets as you like, the story can be any length. There is a small box at the bottom of each sheet for page numbers.
5. Once the story is complete your child can bring it into school and hand it to me or you can email it to school admin and they will forward it onto me.
6. I will then work with your child on the cover, which will need a picture to be drawn at home.
7. Once I have all the completed pages including the cover, I will make it into a book, with one copy for the pupil and one for the school libraries.
8. The stories must be typed so that all pupils can read them once they are in the school library.
9. The story can be about anything, but please try to avoid using any famous, common or copyrighted characters, names or settings. We want the pupils to really use their own imaginations. The content must be suitable for pupils in years 1-6.