AQA English Language Paper 2 - Non- Fiction	Language devices and their effects (Q3 and Q4)	Sentence starters / Key vocabulary
15 mins reading time	- Also can be used in Q5 response	
Question 1 o Marks: 4 o Time: 5 minutes o Focus: Identifying 4 true statements from a list. o Tips: Always pick 4/ read carefully as some are re-worded phrases trying to trick you.	Word / Sentence types Verb - An action word. Adjective - A word that describes a noun. Adverb - A word that describes an action. Noun - A person, place or thing. Simple sentence - A sentence containing one verb. Compound sentence - Two or more simple sentences liked with coordinating conjuctions (One of For And Nor But Or Ye So) Complex sentence - A simple sentence combined with a subordinate clause (a clause that cannot stand on its own). Asyndetic listing - Listing of words without the use of conjunctions.	Question 2 o Although both sources portray 'x', in Source A we see o The writer writes the phrase to highlight/imply/ suggest that o In contrast / however, in Source B, the phrase implies
Question 2 o Marks: 8 o Time: 12 minutes o Focus: Summary of two texts Tips: Give inference from quotations/2 or 3 quotations/Surface level similarities, underlying differences	Rhetorical Devices Alliteration - Two or more words that start with the same letter. Plosive /b/ /g/ /t/ /d/ sounds create an abrupt, sharp, sometimes shocking effect. Sibilant /s/ sound can create a soft, devious or sinister atmosphere. It can also present a hissing sound. Fricative /f/ /th/ /ph/ sound can create a harsh sound as you are spitting out the words or ideas. Facts - Statement based on evidence. Opinion - A personal opinion on a topic. Rhetorical questions - A question that does not require an answer. Emotive language - Language used to provoke emotion in the reader.	Question 3 o The writer uses a in the phrase to highlight/imply/ suggest that o The word, '' implies the idea of o This is reinforced / contradicted by the idea that (See previous column for key phrases) Cumulative effect, reinforce, contradict.
Question 3 o Marks: 12 o Time: 15 minutes o Focus: Analysing language Tips: Pick out 3-4 phrases/identify language techniques/ explain effect / reinforce or contrast with another quotation / think about the order that the ideas are presented.	Statistics - Facts using numbers, usually percentages. Tricolon - Ideas or words that come in three. Logos - Appealing to logic. Pathos - Appealing to emotions. Ethos - Appealing to a sense of honesty or authority. Irony - the expression of meaning by using language that normally signifies the opposite, typically for humorous or emphatic effect.	Question 4 In Source A, the writer is showing that This is shown in the quotation This implies that (The use of the shows that (As a result, the reader will feel) Then compare to other source. (See previous column for key phrases)
Question 4 o Marks: 16 o Time: 20 minutes o Focus: Comparing viewpoints Tips: What does each writer 'think'/Pick out key ideas and analyse/'methods' are the same as language techniques. Question 5 o Marks: 40 (24 content / 16	Punctuation pyramid Language analysis pyramid Words and phrases Verbs, nouns, adjectives, adverbs	Analytical phrases Implies epitomises Suggests critiques Emphasises evokes Symbolises alludes to Insinuates Acronyms PEAL (Question 2-4)
organisation) Time: 45 mins (10 planning, 30 writing, 5 checking) Quick wins: Hook openings/;however, Amplification of ideas	?,!'",, Figurative language	AFOREST (Question 5)

AQA English Language Paper 1 - Fiction	Language devices and their effects (Q2 and Q4)	Sentence starters / Key vocabulary
10 mins reading time	- Also can be used in Q5 response	
Question 1 o Marks: 4 o Time: 5 minutes o Focus: Identifying explicit information in the text. o Tips: Use quotations or paraphrase from specific lines of the text.	Word / Sentence types Verb - An action word. Adjective - A word that describes a noun. Adverb - A word that describes an action. Noun - A person, place or thing. Noun phrase - Noun + adjective [and / or predicate or modifier] Simple sentence - A sentence containing one verb. Compound sentence - Two or more simple sentences liked with coordinating conjuctions (One of For An Ye So) Complex sentence - A simple sentence combined with a subordinate clause (a clause that cannot stand a Asyndetic listing - Listing of words without the use of conjunctions.	to highlight/imply/ suggest that o The word, '' implies the idea of o This is reinforced / contradicted by the idea that d Nor But Or (See previous column for key phrases) Cumulative effect, reinforce, contradict
Question 2 o Marks: 8 o Time: 12 minutes o Focus: Analysing language Tips: Pick out 3-4 phrases/identify language techniques/ explain effect / reinforce or contrast with another quotation.	Figurative devices Simile - A comparison of something with another thing using the terms 'as' or 'lik Metaphor - A comparison stating that something 'is' something else. Personification - Giving an inanimate object human characteristics. Hyperbole - Extreme exaggeration. Anthropomorphism - Giving an animal human characteristics.	Question 3 O In the establishment, the focus is on This is important because O At this point, the atmosphere is O The reader therefore learns that O The reader will therefore question Establishment, Development, Conclusion, Focus, Shift, Cyclical, Coda, holistic, foreshadows, zenith, nadir
Question 3 o Marks: 8 o Time: 12 minutes o Focus: Analysing structure Tips: 3 paragraphs/'what happens when and why' / focus and atmosphere shift / what new idea does the reader learn in each part of the text / cyclical structure.	Language devices Alliteration - Two or more words that start with the same letter. Plosive /b/ /p/ /t/ /d/ sounds create an abrupt, sharp, sometimes shocking effect. Sibilant /s/ sound can create a soft, devious or sinister atmosphere. It can also present a hissing sound. Imperative - A command Onomatopoeia - When a word sounds like its meaning. Repetition - When words are repeated Sensory imagery - Appealing to the senses (smell, taste, touch, hearing, sight) Aural imagery - The creation of an idea through sounds rather than visuals.	Question 4 O I agree with the statement because OR I partially agree that O The writer uses a in the phrase to highlight/imply/ suggest that O The word, '' implies the idea of O This is reinforced by the idea that (See previous column for key phrases)
Question 4 O Marks: 20 O Time: 20 minutes O Focus: Evaluating a statement Tips: Always agree (could disagree)/analyse language/explain effect/ link back to statement/no conclusion needed/ reinforce or contrast with another quotation.	"Secret strings" Juxtaposition - When two or more ideas are placed next to each other for comp Reinforce - When an idea is further emphasised through another word or phrase Antithesis - When an idea goes against an idea previously written about. Oxymoron - Two words next to each other that mean the opposite.	Analytical phrases parison. Implies epitomises
Question 5 o Marks: 40 (24 content / 16 organisation) o Time: 45 mins (10 planning, 30 writing, 5 checking) o Quick wins: Cyclical structure/Single line paragraphs/;however,	Common allusions Pathetic fallacy - When the weather reflects the atmosphere of the surroundings. Colour symbolism - Red - Anger, lust, suffering; Green - Nature, Envy; Black - Evil, suffer White - purity, innocence. See Allusions booklet. N.B. Punctuation and language analysis pyramid also to be applied (see KO for Paper 2)	Acronyms PEAL (Question 2-4) ISPACE (Question 5) SIMPLES (Question 5)

Planning a descriptive

Focused creating an image in the reader's mind and describing a scene in detail.

Establishment- Observations on the bigger picture: 5 senses / hook opening / single line paragraph.

Shift focus I - zoom in on a close detail (ISPACE) / SIMPLES

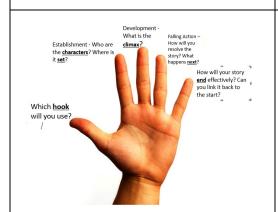
Shift Focus II- zoom in on a close detail (ISPACE) / SIMPLES

Shift focus III- zoom in on a close detail (ISPACE) / SIMPLES

Scope- zoom back out to look back at the bigger picture / link back to your hook opening.

Planning a Narrative

Focused on character, setting and plot development with descriptive elements as well as dialogue and action,



Approach to question 5s

1. Establishment	A narrative device often used at the beginning of a work that provides necessary background information about the characters.
2. Inciting Incident	An event that begins the action/plot.
3. Rising Action	Events leading up to the climax
4. Climax	Most exciting moment of the story; turning point
5. Falling Action	Events after the climax, leading to the resolution
6. Resolution	Ends the conflict and leaves reader content
7. Cliffhanger	A dramatic moment leaving suspense over what is to come
8. Flashback	A method of narration in which present action is temporarily interrupted so that the reader can witness past events
9. The one sentence opener	Start with a one-sentence paragraph or rhetorical question. Your next paragraph should then jump back in time. Recount the events leading up to this first line.
10. Twist in the tale	Tell the story in a way that suggests one thing about a character only to surprise the reader at the end.
11. Flipped narrative	Start with the end - the most dramatic moment (present tense) and then flashback to the events leading up to it.
12. A tale of two halves	Tell the incident from one character's perspective and then tell the whole thing again from a completely different point of view.

ISPACE

-Ing Similes Prepositions

Adverb

Connectives

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SIMPLES

Senses

Imagery

Metaphors and similes
Paragraph length
Lots of punctuation vari

Lots of punctuation variety

Acronyms to remember (Paper 1)

Effective vocabulary

Sentence structures



Acronym to remember (Paper 2)

Quick wins to teach:

Paragraphing – Starting your story with a single line paragraph (possibly with ellipses and a rhetorical question to hook the reader.

Punctuation variety - use ; however, to ensure use of semi colons. A semi colon can also replace 'and'.

Coda / cyclical structure - Start and end your stories with exactly the same wording / Start with a rhetorical question which is then answered at the end of your story.

Sentence upgrades - Use adjectives or adverbs to start sentences alongside ISPACE.

Short use of dialogue - A couple of lines of dialogue can show a variety of punctuation and add nuance.

Allusions – Use a common allusion as a metaphor in your answer (you can use words and phrases from your literature texts).

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Alliteration
Facts
Opinion
Rhetorical questions
Emotive language

Statistics

Statistic

Triple