

The subjunctive form sounds scarier than it actually is. The subjunctive form is mostly used in formal language

It can be used to give advice or talk about unreal

situations.





Unreal situations



- Desire
- Wish
- Hope
- Dream

If	Noun/pronoun	were	situation
If	I	were	rich
If	I	were	famous
If	he	were	to attend they party
If	they	were	going to book the holiday

Which is written in the subjunctive?

• If I were chosen, I would do my best.

Or

• If you choose me, I would do my best.

Which is written in the subjunctive?

• It is essential that the game begin at once.

Or

• The game needs to start now.

Which is written in the subjunctive?

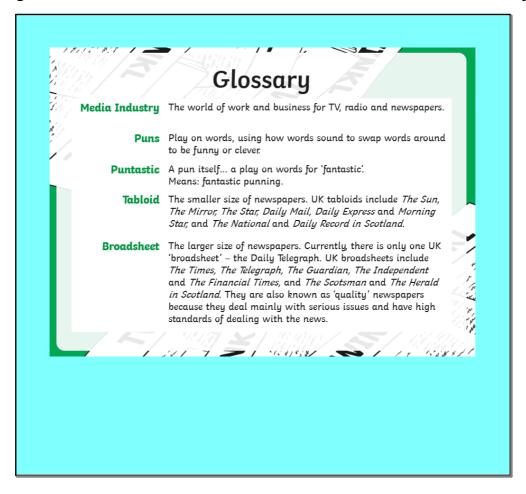
Please can Matthew come home at lunchtime?

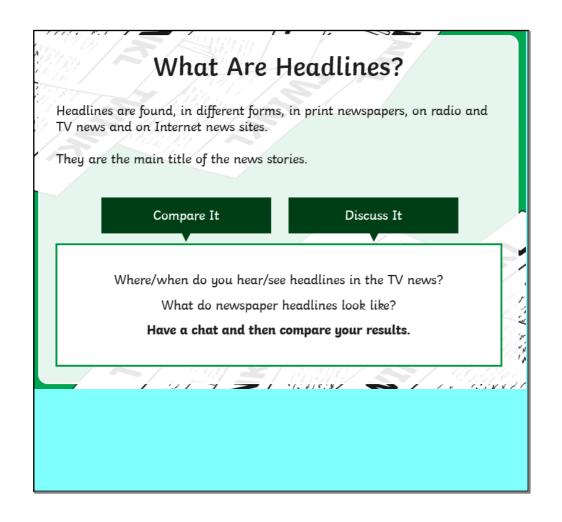
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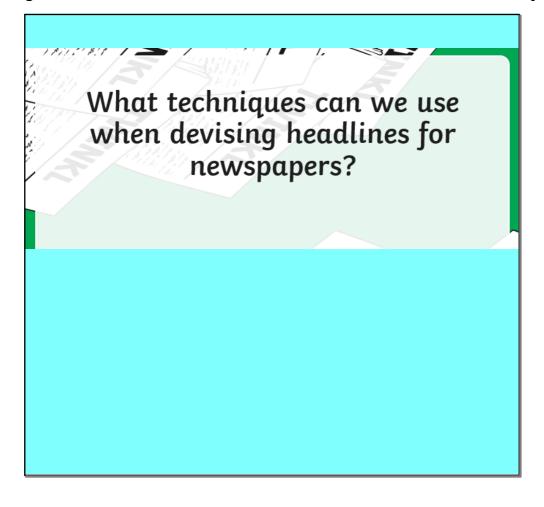
• I request that Matthew be allowed to come home.

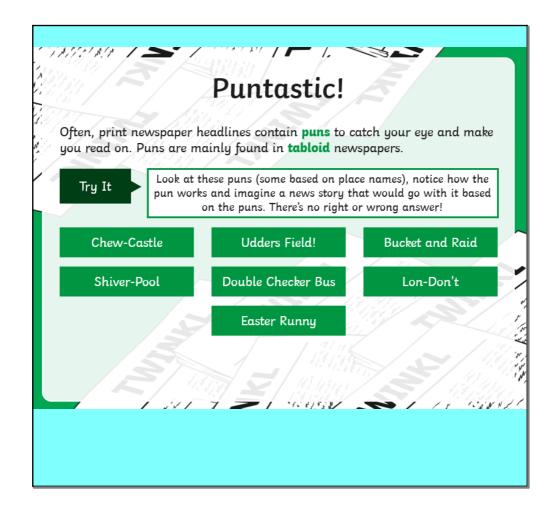


WALT write a newspaper headline









When writing headlines, we can also use

Rhyming words

Headlines that use rhyming words sound appealing, like mini-poems. Example: Owl on the prowl

Alliteration

Alliteration headlines use repetition of the same sounds at the beginning of words; most tongue twisters use alliteration. In KS2 pupils will learn about alliteration which can be used to great effect in newspaper headlines. Example: Bamboo bikes in Britain

Pung

Puns are employed a lot in newspaper headline and use the altering of words to attract attention. Example: Baa-rilliant news! instead of 'brilliant news' for a story about Shaun the Sheep having new website pages.

Homophones where two or more words having the same pronunciation but different meanings are also often used. Example: Oh dear oh deer for a story about problems an increase in the deer population is causing.

Shock and Intrigue

Headlines that are designed to cause shock or intrigue ensure the reader can't resist finding out the details of the story. Example: I was constantly upside down!

Print Newspaper Headlines

Newspaper headlines need to be:

- Eye-catching
- A title for the news story
- Short and snappy.

Try It

Below are 5 explanations of news stories. Your job is to write the headline for them.

- 1. A boy finds a stash of gold Roman coins in the local park.
- 2. A girl from your local area is chosen for the Team GB Gymnastic team at the 2020 Olympics.
- 3. A giraffe escapes from a zoo and makes it down the road into the supermarket car park.
- 500 dogs and their owners do a 5km run and raise thousands for charity.
- 5. A bridge in a local town falls into the river causing chaos for the town.

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