## ENGLISH Learn at Home packs: Year 2, Week 11

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## The 'timetable' for this week's teaching and learning is as follows

- Day 1 Listen to a reading of *Clarice Bean: My Uncle is a Hunkle*, written by Lauren Child. Recall the accidents and disasters occurring in the story. Select one of these and write about it, using conjunctions to link ideas in sentences.
- Day 2 Listen again to the reading of *My Uncle is a Hunkle*. Read a description of the Mum in the story and identify the nouns, adjectives and adverbs in the text. Pick a further character from the story and write about them using expanded noun phrases for description.
- Day 3 Listen to My Uncle is a Hunkle for the last time. Learn how to separate items in a list sentence using commas and the word and. Write imaginatively about what might be in Uncle Ted's rucksack, using commas for lists and using the conjunction because to explain reasons.
- Day 4 Read an abridged version of *My Uncle is a Hunkle* and answer a set of questions about the story. Having read a postcard from Clarice Bean's Granny, write a further postcard in reply.
- Day 5 Listen to a song from *Mary Poppins*; plan and write an email to an imagined child-minding agency; write a series of punctuated sentences that use commas to separate items in lists.

## Summary of content

**Day 1** – Listen to a story by Lauren Child; recall details from the text; write about aspects of fiction, using conjunctions to link ideas.

**Day 2** – Re-listen to a fiction text; identify nouns, adverbs and adjectives in a text; write about a fictional character using expanded noun phrases for description.

**Day 3** – Listen once again to a familiar story; revise the use commas to separate items in lists and add to unpunctuated sentences.

**Day 4** – Read an abridged version of a familiar fiction text; answer comprehension questions about the text; write imaginatively in response to a text.

**Day 5** – Listen to a song lyric; write full, punctuated sentences in a creative piece of writing; use commas in sentences to separate items in lists.