

Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> March 2020

LO: To draft a piece of travel writing

Today you will be drafting your travel writing. Remember to give your writing a title (this could simply be the name of the country you are writing about, or it could be a question) and write your information into paragraphs, following your plan from yesterday.

This piece of writing should be persuasive - you want to convince other people to visit this country so make sure you use appropriate vocabulary to describe the different features.

Below is the success criteria for your writing. Make sure you read it before you begin and keep referring back to it as you write. When you think you have finished your draft, highlight the **Key Points** that you have used in your writing, as well as checking that you have included the other elements in the list.

### SUCCESS CRITERIA

- Best handwriting used - joined!
- Present tense - all the way through
- Use third person
- Check for sense, flow and missing bits
- Spellings - check your spelling carefully and use Year 5/6 words spelt correctly

#### Structure

- Paragraphs - for different sections of information
- Introduction and summary
- Adventurous vocabulary
- Different sentence starters - adverbs (-ly), fronted adverbials, verbs (-ing)
- Modal verbs

#### Punctuation

- Capital letters . , ? ! '
- Brackets, commas or dashes for parenthesis ( ) , ,
- Hyphen
- Semi colon

### Key Points

- Power of three (three adjectives to describe a noun)
- Rhetorical question
- Facts and figures
- Emotive language
  
- Subordinating conjunction at the start of a sentence
- Subordinating conjunction in the middle of a sentence
- Embedded clause (subordinate clause in the middle of a main clause)