or place.

and/or the plot unfolds.

Record of Achievement/Self Assessment Sheet: Telling and Writing Stories

Telling stories		I can plan and tell stories. I try to show awareness of my audience by using techniques such as recap, repetition of a catchphrase. I try to match the way I tell a story to my particular audience e.g. younger children. I can talk about the choices I make to ensure that the way I tell the story is really suitable for my audience.	I can improvise a role well and take part in role-play to explore different characters' points of view. I can re-tell a familiar story from the point of view of another character, using thoughtful vocabulary, changing my voice to match my character(s), etc. to entertain the listener.	
Writing	I can use different ways to open a story, e.g. dialogue, an important event. I can plan and write a complete short story with an interesting story opening. I organise my writing into paragraphs for build-up, climax or conflict, resolution and ending. I can use language to create a particular comic or dramatic effect. I use a range of connectives to introduce scenes and link events.	I can plan and write a complete short story aimed at a specific audience, e.g. a new version of a traditional tale for a younger audience. I organise my writing into paragraphs. I can adapt sentence length and vocabulary to be suitable for my reader.	I can plan and re-write a familiar story from an alternative point of view. I try to vary pace by using direct and reported speech. I vary sentence length and include examples of complex sentences. I use a range of connectives well to create links and show changes in time or place.	I can write in the style of a particular author to complete a section of a story, add dialogue or a new chapter. I can plan and write a longer story with a more complex structure, e.g. parallel narratives. I can experiment with the order of chapters or paragraphs to achieve different effects. I use dialogue to build character. I check for consistency in narrative voice when telling each part of the story.