English KS3 Assessment Framework				
Beginning	Working Towards	Expected	Exceeding	Excelling
Grade 1	Grade 2-3	Grade 4-5	Grade 6-7	Grade 8-9
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Begin to show a limited awareness of audience	Make some attempt to use paragraphs	Generally match content with purpose and audience.	Clearly match content with purpose and audience	Securely match content with purpose and audience.
Start to use form and structure	Show developing and improving attempts at matching audience and purpose – mainly simple.	Structure writing with links between paragraphs.	Write imaginatively, with a well-structured approach and conscious crafting of linguistic devices.	Write with imaginative flair, skilful organisation and show a range of complex ideas.
	Show developing evidence of planning and organisation.	Demonstrate clear planning and show evidence of editing.	Employ paragraphs that are shaped for effect.	Paragraph fluently linking effectively with discourse markers.
		Write with a mainly established point of view and appropriate register.	Sustain a distinctive and individual voice.	Sustain a distinctive personal voice and style.
		Demonstrate increasingly secure paragraphing.		
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