**Example Prompt Sheet**

**Connectives:**

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| and then | suddenly |
| next | when |
| but | however |
| so | therefore |
| meanwhile | and |
| thus | notwithstanding |
| somehow |  |

**Punctuation:**

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**Openers:**

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| I had been waiting | I was feeling |
| As I turned around | I said |
| He/she replied | As I looked |
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**Vocabulary:**

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| Today | Angry | Stormed | Shout | Heard |
| Stunned | Dismal | Dull | Gloomy | Worried |
| Annoyed | Ran | Dropped | Mobile | Phone |
| Bang | Crash |  |  |  |
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**Language Features:**

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| Onomatopoeia | Fact |
| Adverb/Adjective | Verb/Noun |
| Personification | Simile |
| Tone | Dialogue |
| Emotive Language | Questions (Rhetorical |
| Repetition | Imagery |
| Simple sentences | Complex sentences |
| Alliteration | Exaggeration |
| Contrast | Pun/Cliché |

Indicative content may include:

* A beginning, middle and end to the story
* A setting or place
* The climate/weather
* Reactions/emotions
* One or more characters (max 3)
* Dialogue between characters
* A story that builds with intensity
* A good ending – no cliff hangers or uncertainty