**English – Friday 10th July**

**1. Read a draft poem**

* Read the *Draft Poem* that has been written about insulting a Teddy Bear.
* Spot the changes that the writer made when they re-read the poem. How have they improved the poem? Which lines in the poem do you like best? Why?

**DRAFT POEM - Insulting a teddy bear**

**You!**

You!

You would lose your ears if they weren't ~~stuck~~ stitched to

your head.

You!

You bore me with your [endless] chatter about honey and

bees.

You!

You are as lazy as a cat, stretched out in the summer's sun.

You!

You sit there like a [saggy] sack of potatoes, ~~sat~~ slumped in

the corner.

You!

You never help me tidy my room.

You!

You are as useless as a dried up felt tip.

[additions on re-reading] ~~amendments~~ on re-reading

**2. Write your own insult poem**

* Decide what you will insult. Make it a toy or an object not a person!
* Use the Planner to write down ideas for insults. You can use some of the ideas in the teddy bear poem or from yesterday’s poems. **Write your ideas in the red boxes.**
* Choose your favourite ideas and put them in a good order for a poem.
* Read your poem through and make changes to improve it.

**Planner**

Insulting...

You are as lazy as a cat, stretched out in the summer's sun.

**Prepositions:** with, of, by, from, on, under, below, between, inside, next to, over, by, in, against

**Insult Poem**

*Write your own insult poem here.*