

Descriptive Writing Samples

Stella M. (Year 6) completed the following writing task as part of her school homework, where she was given free choice about the topic and text type, and modelled her writing on a sample.



The wilderness of the sea took us in. On an old, broken, sinking boat in the middle of the impatient waters, the rough push of the waves drag me closer to the shore of an abandoned island.

I have no choice. As I make it to the island a shiver races down my spine. It's like I am in my own nightmare, it has come true. As my friend and I watch our only use of travel, our old, broken boat, sink into the ocean, we are being dragged around by the rough winds. Shivering with the cold, scared and worried, I walk back to a tree.

All I could hear were the bolts of electricity dominating the sky. The silent waves were no longer idle and everything around us, defeated. Lightning darted across the sky, stripping the air of its final breath. The island, threatened, the people, scared, and me, crying. The storm was over, but revenge....was coming.