

# WALT collect **descriptive language** **effectively**

What do we mean by  
descriptive language?

How do we describe?

adjectives

expanded noun phrases

similes, metaphors and

personification

What do we mean by  
effectively?

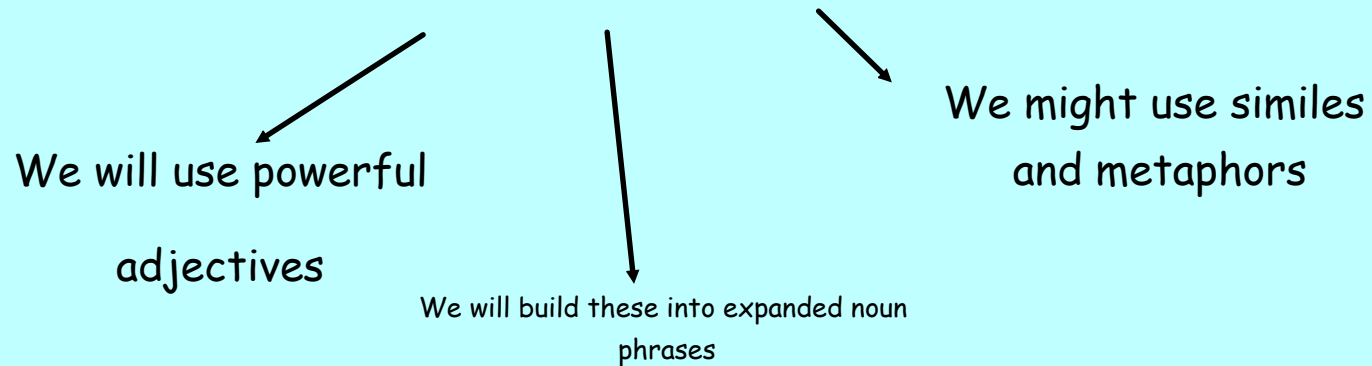
effective- adjective:

able to make something  
happen successfully

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Today you will plan the alien your alien description.

How will we do this well (effectively)?



What do you remember about all of these?

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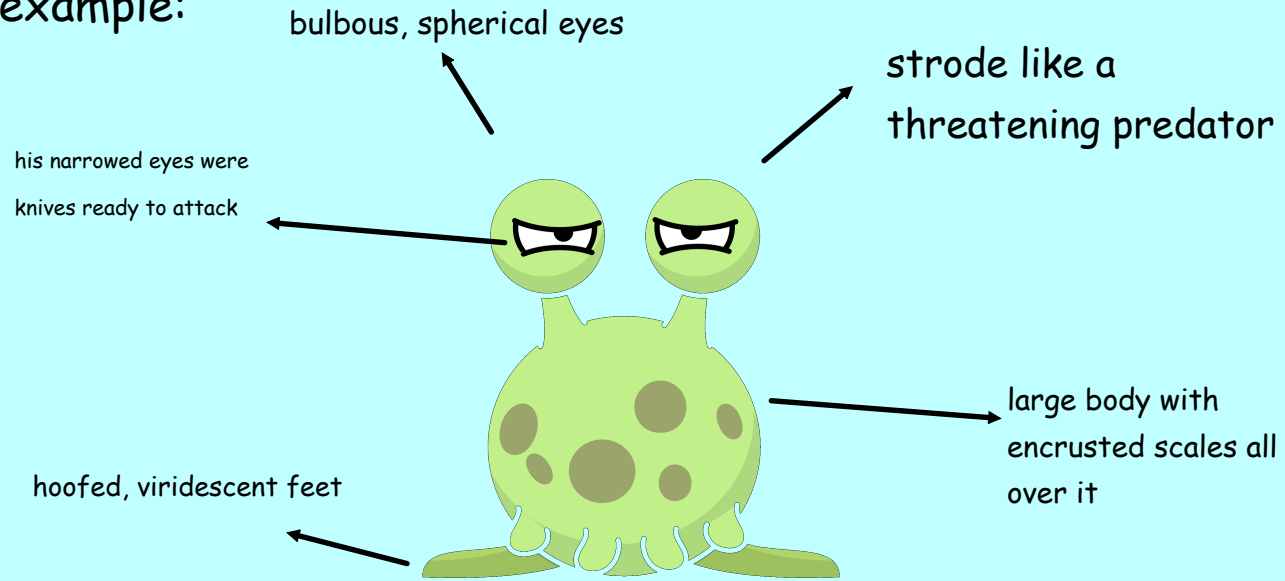
1. Draw what your alien looks like
2. Think of ways to describe it, using powerful language, expanded noun phrases

**Challenge 1: think of similes and metaphors**

**Challenge 2: think of how the alien moves and use adverbs!**

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example:



Before starting, let's magpie some words from Phoenix. How are aliens described by S.F.Said ?

It was a young male, and he was *big*. He was way bigger than Lucky. He was as big as the biggest man in the crowd. He was muscular, too: a solid wall of muscle, hulking and roaring under the lights, like a nightmare come to life.

He was dressed in a strange coat that looked like it was made of liquid metal, billowing behind him like wings. His flaming eyes were covered by mirrorshades, but Lucky could see cloven hooves protruding from the bottom of his coat: massive black hooves that could crush a Human head.

What language features can you spot?

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Now it's your turn.

Remember to show off your best words and phrases!

You will use these when writing your sci-fi epic story!

