Today, you are going to write your own fantastic ‘Magic Box’ poem.

You have collected lots of brilliant ideas, now you have to put them all together.

You should now have twelve things to put in your box. For your poem you only need nine of them. You have a choice about what to include.

Your poem will have four verses.

The first three will be about things you would put in the box and the last verse will be the verse you wrote last Friday about the appearance of your box.Look at today’s activity sheet so you understand this.

When you’re writing each verse look at your ideas and think about these things:

* Which ideas sound good together?
* Does it sound right to have all the smells together?
* Is it a good idea to have the different types of object mixed up?

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| I will put in the box…..  The smell of my Mum’s warm, spicy Christmas cake,  The smell of freshly cut grass.  And the smell of a dense pine forest. | I will put in the box…..  The smell of my Mum’s warm, spicy Christmas cake,  The taste of a freshly uwrapped bar of chocolate  And a crumbly, ancient fossil from the beach. |

Which sounds better?

It’s up to you where you put each idea. Try saying the verse out loud first to see how it sounds.

Remember to start every line of the poem with a capital letter.

At the end you will have written a poem to be really proud of.