

## Knowledge Organiser

Year Group	Subject	Topic
6	English	Journalistic Writing

### The Big Picture

In this unit, children will be given opportunity to analyse a range of media and gain further understanding into how newspaper articles are structured. They will look at headlines, captions and layout and will analyse the effectiveness of the language in portraying a story.

After acquiring the skills they need, the children will create their own articles using the same features as a professional journalist. The focus will be on the use of the features throughout the unit and children will be given a Success Criteria to help them in every lesson.

Top Ten Newspapers sold in the UK	
<b>The Sun</b>	A tabloid newspaper founded in 1964 that exposes wrongdoing and scandal.
<b>The Daily Mail</b>	A Middle-Market newspaper published in London.
<b>The Sun on Sunday</b>	This weekly newspaper was launched to replace the News of the World.
<b>The Mail on Sunday</b>	Launched in 1982 as a sister paper to the Daily Mail. It is a conservative paper in a tabloid format.
<b>The Sunday Times</b>	The largest selling British newspaper in the "quality press" category.
<b>The Daily Mirror</b>	A national daily tabloid newspaper founded in 1903. Unlike other major British tabloids, it has no separate Scottish edition.
<b>The Times</b>	Launched in 1785 (renamed in 1788 when it became the first paper in the world to bear the name "Times").
<b>The Sunday Mirror</b>	The Sunday sister paper of the Daily Mirror. It aims to strike a balance between "socially responsible reporting of great issues of the day and sheer entertainment."
<b>The Daily Telegraph</b>	Daily newspaper published in London and generally accounted as one of Britain's "big three" quality newspapers.
<b>The Daily Star</b>	Daily tabloid newspaper published from Monday to Saturday since 1978.