

Writer's block language section

1. What does the word **tribute** mean? Tick the box next to the correct answer.

- A celebration of life
- A sum of money given as a reward
- A sign of respect and admiration

2. Rewrite the sentences, joining them together using your own **conjunctions**. Be aware of the **pronouns**.

a. She writes her working title on a Post-it. She sticks the Post-it on the wall above her desk.

b. It takes eight months. She can send the manuscript to her publisher.

c. Her facts must be accurate. Her novel must be believable.

d. It takes a while. One incident normally catches her eye.

e. Nilah was writing down the information. Nilah dropped the notes in her excitement.

3. Tick the box next to the correct answer. The expression ***one incident normally catches her eye***, in 2d, is an example of:

- A simile
- An idiom
- Personification

4. Rewrite the following sentences from indirect speech into **direct speech**.

a. She says that it normally takes her seven to eight attempts before she is happy with it.

b. Allison says that her SmartPC is her best friend when she starts writing.
