Year 3 Grammar and Punctuation Knowledge Organiser

Coordinating conjunctions	Subordinating conjunctions	Key terminology	Definition
A conjunction placed between words, phrases, clauses, or sentences of equal rank	A conjunction that introduces a subordinate clause	Command Exclamation	Starts with the imperative (bossy) verb. Get in the car. A forceful statement which expresses high levels of emotion or excitement. Usually
FANBOYS for, and, but, nor, or, yet, so I like pizza and I like chips.	when, because, before, while, although, until I don't like pizza because of the cheese.	Paragraph	begins with 'How' or 'What'. What a lovely car you have! The unity and coherence of ideas among sentences is what constitutes a paragraph. There is no set length.
Adverbs	Prepositions	Past simple tense	Verb form used describe things that happened
An adverb adds detail to verbs, adjectives or other adverbs through 4 different ways Time: After, next	A preposition is a word that tells you where or when something is in relation to something else. Time: Before, since	Subject + Past participle of verb Past perfect tense Subject + The past tense of	in the past. I walked into the monster's cave Is used to say when an action was completed in the past.
Reason: Because, therefore Manner: Curiously, mysteriously Place: Under, upstairs	Location: At, against	'to have' + past participle of verb Question	I had walked in the monster's cave Sentences that ask something and ends with a question mark.
Headings	Sub-headings		Is that your car?
These are written at the beginning of a piece of writing and explain what it is about.	These divide a piece of writing up into smaller sections. The sub heading guides the reader and tells them what the paragraph will be about.	Speech marks or inverted commas (S.C.A.P.S) Speech marks, Capital letter, Actual Speech, Punctuation, Speech marks	Punctuation used to show what has been spoken or said. "I like your car," commented Tony.
A- We use a when the noun begins with a consonant sound	An- we use an when the words begins with a vowel sound	Statement	A statement sentence asserts or declares a fact, opinion or idea that ends with a full stop.
a dog, a party, a house	an apple, an orange, an hour		My car is blue.