

Writing Features: ANSWERS

Can you find the following writing features in these instructions?

Feature	Example	Key colour
Language features		
Rule of three	<i>munching, crunching and slurping</i>	
Repetition for effect	<i>more and more</i>	
Onomatopoeia	<i>munching, crunching and slurping</i>	
Alliteration	<i>fed up of finding more and more of your livestock missing each morning Well then, these catch and contain soft soles</i>	
Metaphor	<i>A weight has now been lifted from my shoulders.</i>	
Grammar		
Exclamatory sentence	<i>How convenient! What useful instructions these are!</i>	
Fronted adverbial followed by a comma	<i>Firstly, Next, Once the ogre has eaten the food, sat down and fallen into a deep sleep, As soon as the ogre is awake, Afterwards, Finally,</i>	
Expanded noun phrase	<i>the middle of the night the disgusting sound of an ogre more and more of your livestock the following instructions your ogre problem a pile of meat large caged trailer long stick soft calming music</i>	

	<p>useful instructions</p> <p>all of the steps</p> <p>an ogre trail</p> <p>a path of ripped up bushes, shrubs and trees</p> <p>a pile of food</p> <p>the ogre trail</p> <p>somewhere comfortable</p> <p>a soft meadow</p> <p>a wide-trunked tree</p> <p>the tree's branches</p> <p>a tree with lots of leaves</p> <p>a deep sleep</p> <p>the caged trailer</p> <p>the slumbering ogre</p> <p>some pretty trinkets</p> <p>shiny necklaces with sparkly pendants</p> <p>some soft music</p> <p>ogre catchers' shoes</p> <p>soft soles</p> <p>bright lights</p>	
Rhetorical questions	<p>Are you sick and tired of being woken in the middle of the night by the disgusting sound of an ogre munching, crunching and slurping at its food? Are you fed up of finding more and more of your livestock missing each morning?</p>	
Commands beginning with imperative verbs	<p>Read on to find out how to get rid of your ogre problem once and for all!</p> <p>Find an ogre trail</p> <p>Leave a pile of food</p> <p>Hide nearby and quietly wait</p> <p>Bring the cage</p> <p>Wait for the ogre to wake up</p> <p>Tie some pretty trinkets</p> <p>Lure it onto the cart</p> <p>Play some soft music</p> <p>Lock the cage</p> <p>Drive the ogre</p>	
Punctuation		
Exclamation mark	How convenient!	

	<p>Read on to find out how to get rid of your ogre problem once and for all!</p> <p>What useful instructions these are!</p> <p>I can't recommend using this guide highly enough!</p>	
Question mark	<p>Are you sick and tired of being woken in the middle of the night by the disgusting sound of an ogre munching, crunching and slurping at its food? Are you fed up of finding more and more of your livestock missing each morning?</p>	
Apostrophe for contraction	<p>can't</p>	
Apostrophe for singular possession	<p>the tree's branches</p>	
Apostrophe for plural possession	<p>Ogre catchers' shoes</p>	
Brackets	<p>Book (optional)</p>	
Colon	<p>an ogre trail: a path of ripped up bushes, shrubs and trees</p>	
Inverted commas	<p>"What useful instructions these are! I followed all of the steps and got rid of my ogre problem for good. I couldn't recommend them highly enough! "</p>	