

THINKING ABOUT HOW LANGUAGE WORKS

The purpose of this resource is to provide teachers with additional information and resources that will be of use when analysing responses from students with English as a first or second language.

Sentence structure

1. [The nature of the information in a sentence](#)
2. [The focus of information in a sentence](#)
3. [The way language condenses and generalises information](#)

Connecting and tracking ideas in text

1. [The words used to link ideas within a sentence](#)
2. [The words used to link ideas within *and* between sentences](#)