WALT to plan the different sections for a biography

Later Life and Achievements

(hobbies, what books she has

written, any awards and

qualifications she has gained, where she works now)

The first book Katherine wrote was Girl Savage

She has written 7 children’s books

She won the Costa book prize for her book The Explorer.

She studied English at Oxford University. When she was 21, she got her first degree.

She wrote her first book when she was 24.

She has been awarded many prizes for writing books.

She passed an important exam to be able to become a teacher at Oxford university.

Concluding paragraph

(what kind of person Katherine is,

what is she going to do in the future, any dreams

she has for the future)

She teaches at Oxford University.

She likes to research

She would like to go to the moon. She plays different music styles and café sounds to help her write.

She likes to climb buildings and tightrope walk.

She is still teaching and will continue to write children’s books.

Katherine’s Early Years

(where she was born, where

she lived, who/what inspired her to write, what she wanted to do when she was a child)

Katherine was born on 10th July 1987 in Kent

She wanted to be a writer since she was 5.

One of her favourite childhood books was ‘Charmed Life’ by Wynn Jones

In Zimbabwe, she was inspired by the natural world.

She used to want to be an astronaut. When Katherine was 10, her foster sister died.

She moved to Belgium when she was 14. She didn’t like it in Belgium.

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