**Teacher tip: Appropriate for KS4 students**

**Write as many describing words that you can think of**

**What you need:**

Lined paper

**What to do:**

Using the alphabet, **write as many describing word that you can think of**:

eg A – amazing, adventurous, angelic.

Do this for the whole alphabet. Use your best handwriting as this will be really useful for English lessons.

**What it is good for:**

Memory, presentation of work – handwriting skills, using a dictionary (as a last resort!)

**The lyrics to your favourite songs.**

**What you need:**

Dictionary, Thesaurus, song lyrics

**What to do:**

Find and write down Look up any words that you do not know in the dictionary. Can you think of other describing words that they could have used instead? Using a Thesaurus (orApp on your phone) find alternative words. For example: if they use ‘alternative’, you could use other, different or another, or if they use troubled, you could use: anxious, concerned, distressed) If you have a computer at home, you can use the Thesaurus in Word. It is in Review.

**What it is good for:**

Creativity, dictionary and thesaurus use