Expectations for Grammar, Vocabulary and Punctuation

Vocabulary
- Use a thesaurus
- Using expanded noun phrases to convey complicated information concisely
- Using modal verbs or adverbs to indicate degrees of possibility

Grammar
- Using the perfect form of verbs to mark relationships of time and cause
- Using relative clauses beginning with who, which, where, when, whose, that or with an implied (i.e. omitted) relative pronoun
- Converting nouns or adjectives into verbs
- Verb prefixes
- Devices to build cohesion, including adverbials of time, place and number

Punctuation
- Using commas to clarify meaning or avoid ambiguity in writing
- Using brackets, dashes or commas to indicate parenthesis

Grammatical Terminology
- Modal verb
- Relative pronoun
- Relative clause
- Parenthesis
- Bracket
- Dash
- Cohesion
- Ambiguity