

Tuesday 19th January

Task 1

- Here are some adjectives that could be used in a review of the Harry Potter Studio. Colour the positive ones in **green** and the negative ones in **red**.

underwhelming	vibrant and colourful	crowded	tired	interesting
spacious	good value	friendly	disappointing	over-priced
reasonably priced	unacceptable	disgusting	best	excellent
boring	expensive	exciting	terrible	faded
delicious	Worst	amazing	incredible	yummy

Challenge: Some of the adjectives are opposites of each other. Can you find at least 4 pairs?

Task 2

- Read the **negative opinion** about the Harry Potter Studio Tour.
- Underline the words and phrases which show the experience was **negative**.

Support: use the table above to remind you of some possible **negative** adjectives.

Challenge: Once you have underlined all words and phrases can you think of any **antonyms** (words that mean the opposite) for any of the words you have underlined.

Task 2 Harry Potter Studio Tour - Negative opinion

The Harry Potter Studio Tour has to be one of the worst experiences of all times and to top it all you have to pay a ridiculous amount for the pleasure.

After what felt like 2 hours of queuing, we were greeted by the introduction host who tried to set the scene of things to come. This was underwhelming and didn't give me high hopes for the tour, which was lucky as the studio tour is little more than an expensive museum of film props!

The experiences felt tired and faded and not what you would expect for the entry price. There were no rides and nothing of real interest, except the green screens, where you can ride a broomstick across London. A fantastic thought, until the price was announced as being £20!

The Tour makes you walk such long distances, which is a struggle, and unacceptable in this day and age. The layout was terrible - it was about a quarter of a mile walk just to the entrance. The tour is about half a mile, then another quarter of a mile to get back. There was virtually no help for people with walking difficulties, and it is crowded so you feel like a herd of cattle!

The choice of food was also terrible and extremely over-priced. I spent £10 on a Panini and hot chocolate. TEN POUNDS! At the end of the tour you can visit the gift shop, but be warned you'll need to take out a massive loan to buy anything because the shop is also ridiculously overpriced.

I came away very disappointed by the whole experience. I didn't see a single one of the actors, not even a dragon, and there were no rides. It was a real let down.

Task 3

Imagine that you had a brilliant day at the Harry Potter tourist attraction. Can you turn the negative review into a positive one?

- Can you fill in the missing gaps with positive words and phrases?

Support: Use the table from the **starter** to help you.

Challenge: Don't use the worksheet and instead write your own positive review with your own ideas. There is a WAGOLL (what a good one looks like) attached on the blog.

- Use the children's online thesaurus to find synonyms for words such as good or amazing. You don't want to keep using the same positive adjectives or the review will become boring.

<https://kidthesaurus.com/>

Optional Task 4

Write the review up neatly. This is a chance for you to show off your handwriting. We can still award pen licenses if you are working at home.

Task 3 Positive Experience - Warner Bros Studio

The Harry Potter Studio Tour has to be one of the _____ experiences of all times and to top it off you _____

At the beginning of the tour, we were greeted by the introduction host who was _____. This gave me _____ hopes for the tour.

The experience felt _____ and _____ and exactly what you would expect for the _____ price. There were lots to see such as _____


My favourite part was _____

If you go, you should try it.

The choice of food in the café was _____. I spent £10 on a _____ panini and _____ hot chocolate. I would also recommend treating yourself to a _____. At the end of the tour, you can visit the gift shop, you'll want to buy _____ because it is _____.

I came away feeling very _____ by the whole experience. I even saw my favourite actor _____. It was the _____ day ever. I would recommend the day out to any Harry Potter fan.

Task 4 Harry Potter Warner Bros Studio Tour



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