

YEAR 5  
WORKING AT EXPECTED  
STANDARD

KEEN TEEN SAVES THE DAY!

A teenager saves a family from a burning building

A 14 year old lad named Conor McGrath saved a family from a burning house in Green Lane, close to their home in Charlesworth Avenue, Bolton, at around 7pm.

The local Radio station interviewed Conor, whos voice was still croaky after breathing in smoke at the fire. Conor said it was a scary situation that he was in but he said he would do it again tomorrow if he had to. Shaun McGrath, who is Conors father said, "I tried to run upstairs to save the family whilst in the meantime my brave son told the mother to throw the kids down."

Composition

The 'voice' of the writing is purposeful for the reader.

There is a good build-up of emotion through the text to link the paragraphs together.

Writing is structured using paragraphs.

Use of commas to structure sentences and mark clauses.

Use of inverted commas to mark reported speech.

Use of tense is consistent.

TRANSCRIPTION

Spelling is mostly accurate with occasional errors - whos

HANDWRITING

Maintains legibility and fluency with letters appropriately joined.

PUNCTUATION

Some use of exclamation marks for effect

Some use of commas to structure sentences.