SENSES CHECKLIST

When telling your story, focus on sticking to 'What Happened' as distinct from opinions, judgments, interpretations and commentary.

Show don't Tell. Use the idea of a camera to help you with your story - a camera which records all five senses.



WHAT DID YOU HEAR?

Describe natural and mechanical sounds, music, dialogue etc.



WHAT DID YOU SEE?

Describe what you see around you, setting, colours, shapes, clothes etc.



WHAT DID YOU TASTE?

Did you taste anything? Describe foods, drinks, flavours.



WHAT DID YOU SMELL?

What are the odours around you? Evoke the smell for your listener.



WHAT DID YOU TOUCH?

Describe texture and temperature. Go inside your own body and describe physical sensations.

