



Researching and presenting facts

Find out more about Terry Deary.

Step 1: Start by visiting his official website and the article about him on planet-schule.de.

Step 2: Take notes on each aspect below. Find a picture to illustrate each aspect.

Step 3: Make a simple Powerpoint-presentation by showing the picture and presenting the information you gathered.

Here are two websites to get you started:

<http://www.terry-deary.com>

<http://www.planet-schule.de> (--> search 'Terry Deary')

Search for more information if you need more details on certain aspects.

• **Childhood and youth**

When and where was he born? What do you learn about his parents' professions? Where did he go to school? What was his childhood like? What kind of things did he do in his childhood?

• **Early years and beginning of writing career**

What was his profession when he was young? How did he start writing? When was he first published? What was his first book like?

• **Work**

What kind of work has he done as an artist? What kind of books has he published and how many? What are his books about? Why are his books so popular?

• **Views on the school system**

What does Terry Deary think about schools? Where and when has he voiced these opinions? What are his arguments? Find some good quotes!

• **Views on historical science and historians**

What does Terry Deary think about historians? Does he consider himself a writer of history books? Where and when has he voiced these opinions? What are his arguments? Find some good quotes!

