English Learning Intention – To use colons and semi – colons accurately.

1.Insert the semi-colon in the correct place in these sentences.

1. The woodland creatures each lived in their own cosy homes: badger in his sett, rabbit, in her burrow and fox, in his den.
2. High in the trees the birds twittered the wood was alive with beautiful music.
3. Leaves fluttered softly to the ground a soft red carpet emerged.
4. Describe when you would use a semi-colon in your writing.

2. Insert the colons in the correct places in these sentences.

1. At the seaside the waves crashed noisily against the shore the storm had whipped up a frenzy of sea-foam.
2. Don’t forget to do your chores the washing, ironing and dusting.
3. Sadie’s project was doomed to fail she had run out of time to finish
4. Describe when you would use a colon in your writing.