Year 4 English Home Learning Tasks wb 1.3.21

Here are your English tasks for this week. This is the final week of our play scripts unit in English and by the end of the week you will have written your own play script based on our class novel Goblins.

1. Learning Objective: I can spell words using the suffix -ation.

Explore this BBC Bitesize link to learn about how to use the suffix -ation.

Have a go at practising reading and spelling these words using this website link. There are a few games that you can play and explore.

2. Learning Objective: I can plan a play script.

You will choose to write either one or two scenes for your play script. They will be based on the story of Goblins, however it is up to you to decide which part of the story you'd like to write a play about. For example, you could write a play about the cheese monster attacking Adherak, or when we are introduced to the Sable Conclave, or you could write it about the beginning of the book where Skarper is banished from Clovenstone. Once you have decided which part of the story you'd like to base your play on, use the planning template saved on our website to start gathering ideas.

3. Learning Objective: I can write a play script

Success Criteria:

I can include a short setting description for each scene.

I can use features of a play script.

I can include effective stage directions.

Today you are going to start writing your play script! Look at the success criteria above to help you understand what your play script has to include to be successful - these are all things you should be really familiar with by now because of the hard work you have been doing over the last few weeks.

Do not rush your play script and do not worry if you haven't finished it today, you will have tomorrow's lesson to complete it too. Remember you can choose to write either one or two scenes. If you are doing two, perhaps you want to write one scene today and one tomorrow.

4. Learning Objective: I can write a play script.

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Continue writing and finish off your play script today. Once you have finished, read it out loud to someone at home to check for mistakes. Use the play script checklist saved on our website to think about whether you have met the success criteria.

5. Free Write Friday

Today is your chance to choose what you write. You could write a diary entry, a letter, a comic strip, a story, a newspaper report, a fact file, instructions, a recipe, a poem, a song, a play... it really is up to you! We would like you to use all your Year 4 writing skills to do this – joined and legible handwriting, appropriate punctuation and good word choices. Have fun!