

## SUMMER TERM – Week 8 (w/c 15th June, 2020)

## **Years 5 & 6**

## Dear parents & children,

Thank you for the continued hard work that so many children (and parents) are putting in to their on-line learning. We were delighted by the standard of writing in your newspaper reports. We hope to tweet some of them and will tag in Malorie Blackman. I am sure she will be equally delighted by how her book is inspiring you all. In school, we took part in Empathy Day which included a live address from Malorie Blackman. I know her books do promote feelings of empathy and would recommend reading her other novels.

For those working at home, remember to take regular breaks when working on the computer. You can always complete work off-line and then up-load a picture to PurpleMash to show your teachers. Make sure that you have organised your work files with folders for each week. Check the Saving Files and Managing Alerts blog to see how to do this.

Please remember to watch the learning videos provided before attempting to complete each learning task. Also, do use the alerts to easily see when your work has been commented on.

A brief outline of this week's tasks is as follows:

**English**: Access via the blog:

- Session 1 Weighing up choices
- Session 2 Word comprehension (linked to Chapter 15)
- Session 3 Considering different points of view
- Session 4 Producing an image of the television studio
- Session 5 Grammar focus.

Maths: Access to videos and worksheets through the Maths blog:

- Year 5 Some more algebra / miles-kilometres / Friday challenge
- Year 6 Percentages and decimals / Friday challenge

**R.E.**: Exploring the value of hope in relation to the current situation.

**2Dos:** 2Dos are set for spelling and times tables.

## Spelling:

Yr 6 spellings this week: morphology:

vegetable, symbol, sincerely, pronunciation, interfere, committee, apparent, desperate, curiosity, persuade Yr 5 spellings this week: morphology:

physical, variety, system, rhyme, ancient, category, develop, occupy, muscle, suggest

**<u>French:</u>** Follow the link to Language Angels – you can choose which area to practise.

Do try to post images on the class blogs of what you have been doing - we are all missing those children we don't see in school and wondering what amazing things you have been up to. Keep up the great work. We are all very proud of you.

Please be aware that the majority of staff are now working back in school and therefore may not be as responsive as they have been during the lockdown period. We ask for your patience and understanding.

With very best wishes,

Mrs Kong and the Phase 5/6 Team.



