English Tasks – Week beginning Monday 27th April

Day 1

Spellings focus – using the new spelling words for this week – children could choose one of the following activities to carry out:

1. **Pyramid power** – (template on website) - Sort your words into a list from easiest to hardest. Write the easiest word at the top of the page near the middle. Write the next easiest word twice underneath. Write the third word three times underneath again until you have built your pyramid.

2. **Ransom note** - Cut the letters needed to for your words from a newspaper or magazine and glue them down to spell the words.

3. **ABC Order** - Write your words out in alphabetical order. Then write them in reverse alphabetical order.

Day 2

**SPaG challenges** (Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar)

A series of short challenges designed to re-cap what the children have learnt over the last few terms in this subject!

Day 3

**Creative Writing** – using the story starter sheet, children continue the story letting their imaginations take them wherever they would like to go! Remember to use:

- Capital letters and full stops
- Exciting adjectives to describe what you see, hear, feel or smell in this strange new world you have found yourself in.
- Other forms of punctuation – speech marks, exclamation marks or question marks.
- Paragraphs when something new happens to move the story action forward.

*This could be printed off to write on, or stories could be written straight into their home learning books – we’d love to read them if you send us an email with a picture!*

Day 4

**Reading** – using the board game template and cards – choose a book that you have recently read either on your own or have had read to you and play the game! Have fun!!
Day 5

Reading – using the powerpoint – share an extract from ‘Stone Age Boy’ by Satoshi Kitamura and carry out the activity at the end of the slide show!