

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> February 2021

Hi Year 5,

Sorry I have missed you for the last couple of weeks, I hope you all had a lovely half term, albeit strange during lockdown. At least it looks like we will be relatively back to normal in a couple of weeks and I cannot wait to see you all back in the class room – I have missed you all so much 😊

For English, I would like us to finish off our sci-fi stories. I would like to put them together in a sci fi compendium so when we back to normality make sure you bring them into school and Mrs Miller will be able to bind them together. It will be great for you all to see what everybody has written whilst lots of you have been working from home.

Before half term, you will have been writing your setting descriptions, which will form the first paragraph of your story. Then, you started to write your character descriptions, the introduction of your alien(s) will form paragraph 2 of your story. Now, we need a couple of paragraphs with detail of a plot/adventure/problem etc. On Friday, I will endeavour to do a zoom session reminding you of how to elevate some of your simple sentences by adding clauses and adverbial phrases. Well done, if you have remembered these grammatical devices and already included them. Do not worry if you haven't, I will show you again. It will be useful for you to have a rough draft of your story ready, or just bring along your setting and character paragraphs as we will be able to use your work in the session and review and edit. I'm hoping that as time has gone on, you will be more used to zoom and we might have more of a conversation going 😊 I'm really looking forward to hearing your ideas!

### Maths

Mrs Dinham has been revisiting multiplication and division so follow the link to a division game for you to try. It's fun and will help with times tables etc as well, so have a go and Guess the Number!

Link:

[The Remainders Game](#)

### RE

As we reflect during Lent, here are a couple of activities for you to try at home.

- Make a note of all you recycle in one day. How can you re-use, reduce and recycle more, & care for God's creation? Maybe produce a poster or fact file to show your ideas.
- We are going to be creating Blessing Pebbles in class. You could make one for friends, or leave them around your home for your family to find.

Link:

[Blessing Pebbles Information](#)

Please take a photo of you pebbles, I would love to see them 😊

See you soon, Mrs Williams