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This Week's English Tasks	WC 20 th April 2020
Spelling and Grammar: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• There, their, they're – another set of homophones for us to work on this week. Watch the video on this link. It may say KS1 but these homophones are tricky and using them correctly is challenging! After watching the video write some sentences to show that you can use the homophones correctly.• It is sometimes useful to draw pictures to help you remember the way to use homophones. Can you use the words in little cartoons that show which words you use in which context.• https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zqhp2p	
Activity 1: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Last week I asked you to watch The Wind in The Willows. I hope you enjoyed it. This week I want you to read Chapters 1 and 2 of the book. The PDF of the book is on the website. Make a note of any words that you don't understand and after finishing the chapters check the meaning of these words. Go back to the story and see if the definition you found makes sense. Make a note of these new words and try to use some of them in your own writing. It is a useful trick to magpie good words from other authors to make our own writing better.	
Activity 2: Creative writing <ul style="list-style-type: none">• After reading Chapters 1 and 2 of Wind in the Willows I want you to complete the task 'A Wild Meeting'. Remember to include as much detail as you can. Vary your sentence openers to make the writing interesting to the reader.	
Activity 3: Drama <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The Wind In The Willows story has lots of amazing characters. As we work through the novel we will build –up character files. This week I want you to choose 2 characters from these chapters and using the sheet on the Website called 'Puppet Outlines' I want you to make 2 puppets. You can use this in some role play with members of your family. You can act out part of the story or make up your own short play. Think about the way the characters would act, you might even want to create 'voices' for your characters. You might prefer to create your own. You could mount them on card, put them onto sticks. How about creating a setting out of an old box. I can't wait to see how creative you will all be!	
Activity 4: Reading For Pleasure <ul style="list-style-type: none">• I have loved reading all your posts on Seesaw this week. So many of you are reading lots and this is fabulous to see. Tom Gates seems to be a popular choice of author. Carry on reading books you love. Share them with me on Seesaw.	
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