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	This Week's English Tasks	WC 27 th April 2020

Spelling:

- Silent letter words-time yourself for 2 minutes and write down as many words with silent letters in as possible e.g. crumb, knight. Check using a dictionary-book or online to see if you have spelt them correctly.
- Play the 'Silent Letters' snakes and ladders game with a sibling or parent!

Grammar:

- Identifying nouns- read through the sentences and circle all the nouns in them-Be really careful as there are quite a few in each sentence. Remember nouns are naming words!
- Identifying prepositions in the sentence-remember that there are different types. Use the website link below to help and remind you! https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zwwp8mn/articles/zw38srd

Activity 1

• Read the first chapter of 'Skellig'. Underline any vocabulary that you don't understand. Use a dictionary to find the words and think about their meaning within the context of the story. Ask someone at home to read aloud chapter 2 which is a detailed description of the garage-draw what you see in your mind as they read it to you. Using all your senses including how you feel to add words and short phrases around your drawing! Please note they may need to read it through several times!

Activity 2

• Read chapter 3 page 7, up until the line '...and that's when I saw him.' Write the own conversation between Michael and the man/thing he has just discovered in his garage. Use the 'Direct Speech' checklist so that you punctuate your work accurately. Think about how he might speak/dialect/stuttering etc.

Activity 3

• Watch the trailer for the film 'Skellig', write down 5 questions that you want the book to answer as you read through it! https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mj9lnOD5hNU

Useful Links and Videos

- https://www.spellzone.com/word_lists/games-477003.htm
- https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zt62mnb/articles/zyv4qhv