**Year 4 - 12 bits of fun for reading and writing!**

**Every Friday, we would like you to choose an activity from the choices below.**

These activities could be completed with a book you have read in school/know, a book you are reading now or a book online. Some of them you might have to do a bit more research. You can do them in any order. On the way you can collect points for prizes!

We can’t wait to see what you choose! Have fun!

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| **Use a book you have read or a book you know or choose a book to read!** | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Wanted**  Choose a character from a book and make a wanted poster Include a description, why they are wanted and who to contact!  **Bonus!**  You could do this for more than one character. How would they be different?  5 points | **Story map**  Take a book or a story that you have read or know well.  Make a story map of what happened in the story. Add in details about the characters and events.  **Bonus!**  You could illustrate a key scene or part.  5 points | | **Comic strip**  Turn a story/book into a comic strip”  You could do this either on a book you have read or are reading OR make up your own.  **Bonus!**  Complete another comic strip on a book from a different genre  10 points | | **Quizzical!**  Take a book/ topic you have read and write 10 questions on it. You could make it into a guessing game by folding a piece of paper – question on top and answer underneath. Can your family/ friend answer the questions?  **Bonus!**  10 points  You could make it into a fortune-teller game! | | **Connect up!**  Make a family tree of characters in a book that you know well. Draw them and include key facts.  You could also do this on:  A film, A TV show, Your own family!  **Bonus!**  Take a different genre of book or another book by the same author  5 points | | **Could it rhyme?**  Take a book / story you have read or know.  Can you write a poem about a character or the book?  It could be a rhyming poem, an acrostic poem, a limerick or any type of poem!  **Bonus!**  Could you read about a topic or an event/ person from the past and do the same?  15 points | |
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| **A little bit of research…** | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **All about me!**  Make a book about yourself and your family. Interview them in person or by phone. Make a page for everyone. Think about what you could ask.  **Bonus!**  If you wanted to you could do this about a book character too!  5 points | | **Feel an emotion!**  Think of a book you have read or a book you are reading. Choose 3 emotions that you felt and draw/ write about them. Why did you feel that way and how did the author do this?  **Bonus!**  Could you make this into an emotions graph of a story?  10 points | | **Read all about it!**  Think of an important event in history or in a book.  Research it then write a newspaper article about it. Include quotes and who, what where when why?  **Bonus!**  You could write some adverts / letters of advice/ comic strip for a character too that could be in your newspaper!  15 points | | **A blast from the past**  Find out about a person in history or an event.  What questions would you ask them?  What would they say?  **Bonus!**  You could get someone to be that person and then record the interview or write it up as a script!  5 points | | **A big wide world**  Choose a country/ city in the world. Find out information about it and then make a leaflet/ non-fiction book. Think about buildings, people, places, life e.g. food etc.  **Bonus!**  Could you find out about a country in EVERY continent! You could use your information to write a story set in that country!  15 points | | **Get Creative!**  Find a picture that you like either by a famous artist or a book illustration or a photo  Can you write about it?  It could be a story/ newspaper/ poem/ fact file  **Bonus!**  Read about the illustrator/ artist  10 points | |
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**Points mean prizes…** Collect points as you go and turn them into prizes or even more fun!

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| Collect your points from every challenge. Get 5 points for every bonus. Colour in the star when you have collected the points. | | My rewards – agree with someone at home what will your reward be for collecting points e.g. Have a dance party, play a game, watch TV, make biscuits, phone a friend – you can decide together!  ***Write what the reward will be in each box!*** | **The praise part**  What have you been proud of?  Write in this column what you are pleased with and why! |
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