

Reading tasks –

Read as many books as you can during the time away from school. Try to read from a variety of genres (fiction, non-fiction, newspapers, comics, recipes, poems etc).

Write a book review for 4 different books. Your review should include the following:

- A quick overview of what the text is about
- A review of the main character – including a description
- What you liked about the text
- What you didn't enjoy about the text
- What audience would most like the text and why

Writing tasks –

1) Write a film review for at least 3 different films.

Your review should include the following:

- A quick overview of what the film is about
- A review of the main character – including a description (appearance and behaviour)
- What you liked about the film
- What you didn't enjoy about the film
- What audience would most like the film and why
- Comparison between the films

2) A report on your favourite dinosaur to include:

Details of notes from research conducted in books (note which ones), websites (note which ones)

- A plan of what to include in each section of the report
- A first draft of the report which has then been edited in a different colour
- A published final draft to include all the changes made with the edits

HINT – remember the non-fiction report sections that have been taught (Title, introduction, subheadings, fun fact box, formal and technical language etc)

3) Adventure story:

Write an adventure story to follow on from this starter. This project is to include:

- A story map style plan of what to write about (starter, build up, problem, resolution)
- A description and drawing of a good character and a bad character (include appearance and behaviour)
- A first draft of the story (extended piece of writing)

It was another stiflingly humid day in the rainforest. The rain was a welcome and refreshing break from it. Dylan could hear a rumble of distant thunder: a sure sign that this was just the beginning of the storm. Holding a large leaf over himself, he sat comfortably on the tree stump. Raindrops drummed on the flat surface of the leaf like impatient fingertips, but Dylan didn't mind.

He stared into the forest, wondering when his companions would return...

Maths -

Continue to practise the maths skills and reasoning tasks using Timetable rockstars, and the various websites that are on the Jennett's Park website.