

Our topic this week is The Ickabog - a new story published by JK Rowling. I shall read a new chapter each day on zoom and you can read it for yourself here:

<https://www.theickabog.com/read-the-story/>

Thursday Timetable:

Please see below for our suggested timetable of lessons for today, this timetable is designed to mirror what we would have been doing in lessons in school.

9am – 9:30am – Work out and exercise.

<https://www.youtube.com/user/thebodycoach1/>

9:30am – Morning Zoom.

Lesson 1: English 9:45- 10:45

This week, we will read through JK Rowling's story 'The Ickabog', which she released free online over the half-term holiday. Try to read the whole story if you can. I shall be using the zoom sessions this week to read a chapter or two at a time:

<https://www.theickabog.com/read-the-story/>

As well as reading, I am also going to set challenges for you. Feel free to tackle as many of these as you like. Today's challenge is:

Challenge 3:

"When he woke the next day, he remembered that it was the Day of Petition.

The Day of Petition was a special day held once a year, when the subjects of Cornucopia were permitted an audience with the king."

Imagine that you got to petition the rulers of our country and ask them to do something or change something. What would you ask for and why?

Write at least a paragraph setting out what you would ask for and your reasons for it.

Lesson 2: Maths. 10:45am – 11:45 am

Over the next few weeks, I'd like you to learn and take part in lessons that involve solving problems with measures and money. You can be guided through these using the lessons from Oak National academy found here:

<https://www.thenational.academy/online-classroom/year-4/maths#subjects>

(Scroll down the page to find the measures and money lessons)

I have also included a workbook of measurement problems for you to tackle.

Alternatively you can continue with using khanacademy and complete the lessons set for you on here.

<https://www.khanacademy.org/>

Use the class code:

287PV2QQ

Or I will continue to set work via Mathletics.

<https://login.mathletics.com/>

Art

Today, I'd like you to have a go at creating some artwork for the Ickabog. If you are 12 or under and you follow this link and send it to the publishers, the winner may even be chosen for the book itself. Good luck! If you are entering the competition, then read the rules carefully.

<https://theickabogcompetition.com/>

PSHE 2:30-3:30pm.

In *The Ickabog*, Lord Spittleworth and Flapoon try to make matters worse for Daisy by telling the King about what she has done, but portraying her actions in the worst possible way.

"Of course, some kings," Flapoon muttered, brushing crumbs off the front of his waistcoat, 'if they'd heard that a child spoke of the crown so disrespectfully...'

As you read this, think about how you could diffuse the situation. Imagine if you had two friends falling out. What could you say to calm the situation down?

Write down lists of phrases that you come up with and can use next time you see a situation getting out of hand.

If you would like to share anything with me from the day, please do so via email.

Joe