**Wild Week Homework Project**

Whilst you are at home, you should work your way through this exciting homework project!

There are six tasks to complete. Your final finished project could be typed or handwritten, with a front cover and should include pictures.

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**Wild Week 1 – Manic Monday**

*You are in the library. Outside is cold so you find yourself a book or comic and get comfortable. You look down and feel yourself tipping forwards into the story. The characters can see you and talk to you and you can explore the world in the book.*

\* Write your diary that night describing the events of the day and what went on. Remain true to the setting and characters of the book. If your characters speak in a certain accent, for example, maintain this in your own writing. Focus on describing the characters, setting and plot in as much detail as possible.

**Wild Week 2 – Terrific Tuesday**

*On the way to school, you notice something on the ground. It is a heavy gold ring. Suddenly, there is a blinding flash and you look up to see a blue genie hovering above you. The genie tells you that you have three wishes to use as you choose.*

\*Describe the incident in detail making sure to describe the genie FULLY. Use lots of descriptive language (similes, metaphors etc). You should also include dialogue between you and the Genie. Here is a brief reminder of how to punctuate dialogue:

“Include the spoken words inside speech marks. Your punctuation should be written inside the speech marks,” said every English teacher ever.

“We understand,” the class replied. “We also know to take a new line when someone new begins to speak.”

If you would like to find out more about dialogue, you could visit the BBC site named below which provides more detail:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zr6bxyc/articles/zhqh92p#zddj8hv6>

**Wild Week 3 – Wild Wednesday**

*When you arrive at school, there is as strange atmosphere: pupils are chatting excitedly and teachers are rushing about. It turns out that your school has won a competition to have someone famous visit your school to meet the pupils.*

\* Your task is to write the persuasive letter that won the competition.

Your letter should:

- Be addressed to a famous person (they need to still be alive!)

- Include an explanation as to why you chose this person. What is it about them that makes you want to meet them in person?

- Include an explanation of what makes the pupils and teachers of our school deserving of the visit.

- Be presented in the correct format (your address on the top right hand corner followed by the date, Dear Sir/Madam, sign off with ‘yours sincerely’).

**Wild Week - Thundering Thursday**

*In Science, period 2, you accidentally spill some strange chemicals on yourself. You suddenly feel very strange. You have developed strange powers and are going to use them while they last.*

\*Create your own comic book page to show what happened to you. (Describe your powers. Do you use them for good or evil? What happens when the powers disappear?)

**Wild Week - Fabulous Friday**

*As you stand in the playground you are told that an animal has escaped from a nearby zoo and that it is somewhere in your school. Suddenly you see the animal and capture it. You are the school hero – you save the day!*

\* Write the newspaper front page describing the events at school.

Remember to include headlines, sub headings, pictures, and quotes from eye-witnesses and maintain a formal tone.

**Wild Week – The Weekend**

It is now time for you to relax and forget about school. The only thing left to do is write up your project and make it look attractive. Make sure you have a front cover with your name on it. Proof read very carefully, make sure have done exactly what you have been asked to do for each task and that your spelling and punctuation are accurate.