

## Year 4 Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2020

Hi everyone,

So, today for English please look at yesterday's lesson: Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> June - we are going to explore how characters are created and write a character description.

Here is the link:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zp76wnb>

There are two video clips to watch and then three activities:

**Activity 1:** Copy out and complete the table, thinking of four more adjectives to describe Matilda and Miss Trunchbull. Then choose five of these to turn into a sentence, explaining how you know this by referring to what happened in the story.

**Activity 2:** Imagine you are going to create your own character to be in that school, it could be anyone - the head teacher, a teacher, a student, a coach, a caretaker. Complete the 'Character Profile' activity sheet. You need to draw your **character** in the centre of the page and then fill in the surrounding boxes with information about them. If you can't print the activity sheet, you can draw your character and answer the questions on a piece of paper instead.

**Activity 3:** Read the character description of a school caretaker called Mr Simmons. He is a kind and happy person who likes to help others. This is shown through his actions. Use this example to help you write your own **character description** using the character profile you filled out in Activity 2. You should write between five and ten sentences.

Top tip, try to include:

- What your character looks like.
- What their job or role is.
- What their personality is like.
- Their actions - what they do in the school.

If anyone would like to share their character description with me by taking a photo of your writing and sending it in to the office I would love to see it! 😊