

Year 4 Wednesday 1st July 2020

Hi everyone,

So, today for English please look at yesterday's lesson: Tuesday 30th June - it is a lesson which focuses on the difference between fiction and non-fiction writing.

- **Fiction is made up.** You need to use your imagination when you are writing it. Types of fiction include plays, stories and poems.
- **Non-fiction** is all about **facts**. You can't just make it up. There are many different types of non-fiction writing, such as newspapers, adverts, brochures, reference books and biographies.

Here is the link for today's work:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z7n4ydm>

There are two video clips to watch and then four activities.

Activity 1: Complete the two online activities, arranging the books according to type and filling in the gaps.

Activity 2: Watch the video about Britain in winter then write a paragraph about something you saw in the video as if it were a non-fiction text.

You could write about:

- what animals do in winter
- what people do in winter
- the weather in winter
- anything else you noticed

Activity 3: Now write a paragraph about something you saw in the video as if it were in a fiction text.

You could choose to:

- Write a setting description.
- Choose a person or animal and write a character description.
- Write a short story or poem about anything else that you thought was interesting.

Activity 4: If you can, show your two paragraphs to someone at home. Can they work out which paragraph is the **fiction** and which is the **non-fiction**? Ask them to explain how they know.