

## Year 4 Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> May 2020

Hi everyone,

Today for English please look at yesterday's lesson: Monday 11<sup>th</sup> May - it's all about recounts. A recount is when you describe an event that you've experienced to someone who wasn't there. This means it is written in the first person, past tense.

Here is the link:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zrgq2sg>

There are two clips to watch and then three activities:

1. Watch the first video and then use what you learned to fill in the gaps in the first activity.
2. Watch the 2<sup>nd</sup> video about Gemma Gibbons talking about how she became brilliant at judo. There is a support sheet for you to help you take notes as you watch (you can watch the video a few times!). Remember how we take notes - using bullet points, write down only the key information, don't use full sentences.
3. Write your own recount using one of these titles:
  - My life so far
  - How I found my hobby
  - A funny story from my life

Remember to write in the 1<sup>st</sup> person (I, we, us, our, my, mine etc), past tense (was, were, had, verb suffixes such as -ed), write in chronological order, use descriptive words and expanded noun phrases and remember to focus on the exciting parts! Aim to write at least 3 paragraphs with at least 5 sentences in each. © Can you use a fronted adverbial in each paragraph?

Good luck! 😊