4W homework – Set Thursday October 24th – Due Wednesday October 30th

The assignment

With Hallowe’en fast approaching, it’s time for a piece of scary writing! Just like our Roald Dahl work, it’s a 100 word story for a competition (they call these “mini sagas”. This time, you don’t have to write loads and then edit down (unless you want to!), but you still need to write (at least one!) 100 word scary stories. You may write more than 1 entry, but each entry has to be exactly 100 words!

Success criteria

Your story must:

* Be school appropriate – I will not accept homework that talks about blood, guts and violence
* Have a beginning, a middle and an end (a problem that gets worse and then get solved)
* Have a spooky setting
* Have a spooky main character

Ideas to get you started

See the attached planning sheets!

Planning your time

As with every project, I expect this work to take somewhere between an hour and two hours. I would suggest that you split your time up like this:

Planning – fill out the planning page

Creation – write your story and edit it down to 100 words

Evaluation – read your story to someone at home – do they think it’s spooky?

As ever, reach out with any questions that you may have!

Good luck and happy spooking!

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