

# Lockerbie Academy

Learning@Home

Activities – S1-3



Year group

S1

S2

S3

Subject/Teacher English Miss McKie

## Online activities

Microsoft Teams has been set up and has been in use for the past few days. You will find more information about the completion of your personal essay there. Tasks set so far are:

Type up your personal essay

If you are aiming for N5 next year, try to write 750-1000 words

If you are aiming for N4 Next year, try to write 600+ words

Remember to include: Interesting word choice, symbolism, thoughts and feelings, imagery (similes, metaphors and personification) and varied sentence structures for effect

You will also find:

2 RUAЕ (Close Reading) to complete

A vocabulary exercise

## Alternative activities

1) Read- everyday, as much as you can but try for at least 15 minutes. Books, Newspapers, Magazines etc. Talk about what you are reading with people in your household to practice your summarising skills and show your understanding

2) Write- Keep a diary of your life under lockdown. Write a little each day about how you are spending your time, what you are going to do when lockdown is lifted. Have you discovered that you've been taking anything for granted?

3) Vocabulary builder- Look up and learn the meaning of four new words a day. Try to work them into a conversation with someone in your household.

4) Audible are allowing young people free access to their library. If you prefer to listen instead of read, check with your parent or guardian if it alright for you to stream and listen to a book of your choice from the website below on your device. The tween section has a lot of interesting, new texts for you to choose from:

<https://stories.audible.com/start-listen>