Thursday 4th March 2021

O LO: Can I create my own mini figures from my favourite story?

Your task for world book day today is to create your own mini-figures of characters from your favourite story! Then, I'd like you to draw a background from a setting in the story to re-tell a scene from the story. You could do this in a variety of ways:

- I have included some templates of some popular characters from stories you may like. You are welcome to print these, colour them in and think of ways to make them stand up in your setting (making little paper/card tabs to stick to the back of them so that they stand).
- If you have Lego's or mini-figure type toys at home, you are welcome to use those to represent your characters.
- If I haven't included templates from a story that you see as your favourite, you can type in "[story name] character templates" to Google to see if there are templates of the characters you want to include!
- You could always draw your characters from scratch as well!
- Feel free to draw out your background setting on some A4 paper or print an illustration from Google to use that links to the story you are retelling!

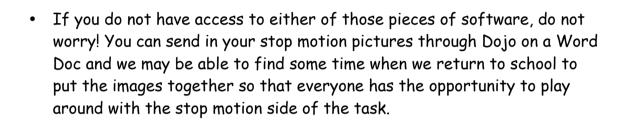
Once you have made/resourced your mini characters and background, I thought it would be a nice idea for us to re-tell a scene from the story using stop motion. It doesn't have to be a long scene (as that would take quite a long time to film and put together) so think carefully about the one you would like to create. If you have access to a phone or a tablet/iPad, take pictures of your characters one by one as you move them throughout your background. Then, move on to putting them all together in a software, like we did with our Christmas stop motions.

Software you could use

If you have access to an Apple iPhone or iPad, you will most likely have a software called iMovie. It is free to use. Look for the icon below to see if you have it on your device:

If you have a laptop that has Windows 10 on it, it may be that you have a
free editing app called 'Video Editor' (this is the one we used for our
Christmas stop motions!). Look for the icon below to see if you have it on

your device:



See below for some character templates you could use if you wanted to opt for those stories:

Alice in Wonderland









<u>Harry Potter</u>



Diary of a Wimpy Kid

