

English – Home Learning

This week you are going to be writing a story (in third person) based on the image below:

THE TOMB OF THE EMERALD SNAKE



Monday - In your home learning journals, make some notes on the following questions:

1. Think of some words, phrases or sentences to describe the setting.
Where are they? What does this place look/sound like? What atmosphere are you trying to create?
2. Name the two characters.
3. What mission are they on and why?
4. Why are they wearing special glasses and belts? What do they do?
5. Why is it called the tomb of the emerald snake?

Tuesday – Design a glasses or belt gadget that would help your characters on their mission.



In your home learning journal, complete the following giving details about the different functions your gadget can do.

My Gadget:	Appearance:
	3 incredible functions it can do once it has been activated:

Wednesday – Write one paragraph to describe the two characters preparing for their mission.

Think about:

- Why are they going on this mission?
- What will they need?
- How will they get into the tomb?



You can use this sentence as a starting point if it helps:

With a look of determination upon their faces, they began to prepare for a mission that would be filled with danger but they would have to retrieve the...

Thursday: Write your next paragraph, describing your two main characters in the tomb on their mission.

Within your paragraph, include how the characters might use their special gadgets.



Challenge: Can you include any of these words/phrases in your paragraph?

sprinted

poised to strike

dragged

victim

fierce

beam of light

Friday: Write your final paragraph, describing how your two main characters escape the tomb and complete their mission.

Within your paragraph, include how they may have to **escape from something**.



Challenge:

Read through your whole story, check your punctuation and sentence openers. Can you edit your writing to make it even better?