

Expected
KS2 Letters

Dear Mum and Dad,

I miss you so much! Right now I'm fighting back my tears but it's alright because there are millions of us so I'm not alone.

The train journey was quite daughtning. Lots of them were already wearing their gas masks. already. At first, I was sitting alone but a nice girl, Mary, sat next to me. Then, we instantly became best friends. It wasn't that bad after all.

When we arrived, no one picked me, no one except the awful Andersons. They only chose me because apparently I need some improvement. They only respond to Mr or Mrs and they treat me like dirt. Atleast it's a home. For now.

Their house is a cottage with a grand garden. There is an everlasting lake, glowing from field to field. It's lovely. I wish they're lovely. It smells like a summers day. The smell though, puey!

The farm is wonderful. All of the animals are great fun but my favourite is the cow, Maisy. She's so lovely and sweet (but she is a bit lonely because she has no other cow friends.) It's so great and all, but I still long for you and Mary.

I love school. Miss Honey is my teacher. Well more like a second mum to me. I think she likes me too because I stay after hours so that I stay away from the Andersons. I love you so much and miss you really. All my love,

♡x0 XXXXXX ♡x0

Dear Lady Capulet,

I am writing to you about my son and your daughter's relationship. My husband, Lord Montague, and I, think it a marvellous suggestion for Romeo and Juliet to get married - since they love each other. Romeo is always mourning about how much he adores Juliet.

We know that for many years we have had fights and arguments but this maybe an opportunity to turn these bad situations and our history around.

There are many similarities between our two families which we think you may not have recognised yet. We're all people/human beings who live in the same location (Verona) under the same authority - Escalus

Here are just a few reasons why Romeo and Juliet should get married and how Romeo is indeed a good person.

Romeo is courageous and for an infinite number of years would defend Juliet. One piece of evidence is that he killed Tybalt, Juliet's cousin, only because Mercutio had a sword brutally plunged into his stomach by Tybalt. Poor Mercutio and Tybalt; may God bless them.

Loyal is another specific word to describe Romeo's humorous but sensible personality.

Never would Romeo ever leave your angel-like daughter. I assure you that he'd forever more stand by her side.

Another benefit of Romeo and Juliet's marriage would be more wealth and power. You will obviously get a share of the money - which gives you more power than you already have!

You do want Juliet to be happy, healthy and lively, as always, and to live a memorable life, don't you? Just remember - Lady Capulet - what we did when we were young; remember when the window was accidentally broken by the two of us.

We hope you make a good choice. Please write back to me so that I may have the honour to tell Romeo the good news we hope for.

We will wait as long as it takes to receive the final answer.

Yours Sincerely

Lady Montague

House of Commons,
London

Dear Sir,

I am writing to express my deep concerns towards the lack of support towards mental health in our community.

Firstly, it has been reported (by NHS mental health nurses) that one in seven young people will suffer from mental illness: depression, anxiety, eating disorders and self harming. Although we recognise that money is being spent to decrease the numbers of people suffering with mental health people do not feel this is enough.

To resolve this ongoing issue I emlore you to dedicate more money to help people improve their fitness. It has been scientifically proven that exercise is an excellent way to reduce stress levels, increase people's sense of well-being and provide opportunities for social interaction. By providing free gym / leisure passes, access to both group and personal trainers and gym equipment (including clothing) the mental health of the country would be significantly improved.

After interviewing members of the public who have previously experienced mental health difficulties, they reported that social interaction (particularly outside in organised groups) was extremely beneficial. One group member, Bob, said, "My group experience transformed the way I deal with my difficulties."

If the government organised more regular groups, with a variety of activities, there would be a huge improvement in the mental health of the nation.

As a government minister, you have the power to change others' lives. We hope you take these views into consideration – I look forward to hearing your reply.

Yours sincerely,

22nd May 1281

Austin Rece
Star Cottage
Brick Lane

Dear Austin,

I am writing this letter to tell you that you should not kill the Jabberwock. If you do you will make the worst decision of your life ; you could still change this.

Can you not understand that it is an injustice to kill a creature?

Murder is a horrible crime. The Jabberwock is an innocent creature which does not deserve this torture.

I fear, my friend, you have failed to understand the consequences of your decision. It will lead you to serious emotional health issues. I really hope that you have understood what I am trying to tell you. If you kill the Jabberwock your mind will be filled with guilt and regret ; you will be sad for the rest of your life if you do this.

A sensible person would have realised that the Jabberwock might have a family, people who love him. If you kill him they would be heartbroken. Not to mention they will be angry enough to kill you.

The Jabberwock is not weak. Actually it is a powerful beast that could tear you ~~apart~~ in to pieces using its humungous jaws and claws. Don't risk your life!

Now that you have read my letter, I hope that you will reconsider your cruel decision and choose the right thing.

Yours sincerely,

Dear Lucas,

It really was
a wonderful moment
when our eyes met.

When I saw you, I
felt something weird. You

seemed sad and bored. I was also bored in
the traffic jam but you made me smile. I had
noticed your parents squabbling. Do they ^{quarrel} fight
a lot? Don't worry, my parents sometimes argue. It's
normal. Your parents do seem like nice people,
I barely see my parents. They are always busy
and have not time for me.

Really, I was disappointed that you couldn't get the window
down but it's okay. No harm done! Your drawing
made me giggle. ^{You're} really funny.

Coincidentally, we both ^{are} fans of Robbie Williams
and we were both listening to the same album.
I haven't seen him, but I wish I had. Actually, I am
going to see his concert live. Have you seen him?

Anyway, I better go, maybe one day we'll meet in the future.
Best wishes, Amanda.

Dear Amanda,

Thank you for
distracting me ^{when} ~~during~~ the road
was packed with traffic. It seem
ed never ending and I was so bored. ~~On the other~~
~~hand~~ My parents were bickering, sorry you had
to see that! A small part of me was embarrassed but
they are good people - trust me. Mum just lost her cool
in the traffic jam. It's normal, all parents ^dight, ~~Don't~~
they? Your parents seem joyous. Do they ever fight?

I had loads of fun with you by the way, your
art piece was very nice. Yours was definitely better than
mine. I see you also a fan of Robbie Williams. My
favourite album is [↳] Escapology. He is my favourite singer.
Funny, I had seen him in ~~the~~ a concert ^{last week}. It was the
best night ever. Have you ever seen him?

I was heading to my aunt's house. ~~Sorry~~ I never got
to open the window. It wasn't working. I tried to
get your number but my dad drove off. I told him
but he ignored me. I was gutted. Perhaps we might
meet again!

Hope to see you soon, Lucas.

Blossom Road
London, England
BEA UTJ
08.03.1912

My darling Edward,

I am writing to inform you what I have recently up to. How are you my dear? Pray, you are okay and happy. I hope your job, working at the cotton mill, is definitely not pressurising you. It would hurt your mother's ears to hear that. Oh my Edward, I wish that you are having a rather pleasant time in America. It is such a tranquil place, where the lemony sun hangs itself in the clear blue sky, where harmony and happiness lives. Edward thank you for your previous letters. I keep the abundance on a golden tray. I always read them in my spare time.

For seventeen weeks, I have been reading a book called The Lost World. It is such a fabulous book. I recommend it highly to you. This one of a kind book is full of adventure and discovery. Tomorrow, I will finish it.

I have also been sewing a pillow case and it is truly marvellous. It is dark blue and light blue, your favourite colours as a child. Remember when all you asked for was blue blankets, suits and lots of others? It is embroidered with a gink blue thread on the edges. I will let you fill it with your finest cotton.

Edward, after many days of thinking and wondering, I have decided to buy a first class ticket to America to stay with you for a while. I need to spend time with you, love. Edward my dear, I know you are working very hard and I am extremely proud to be your mother. I am boarding Titanic and arriving in America on the twelfth of April. I will send you more detail another day.

All my love,
Mother

x x x

Dear Mr. Fredicksan,

My name is Miss. _____ and I am the Managing Director of West Town Building Company. I am dreadfully sorry to say that your house is in the centre of our building site and is stopping us from completing our project; right now we are unable to start our work. A few days ago my colleagues and I had a meeting and the issue was discussed. Consequently, we would like to offer you three life-changing opportunities – which will positively transform your life.

Firstly, we would like to offer you a place at Sandy Shores residential care home. In my opinion, at Sandy Shores, you will be taken care of, and you will live a better life. If I were you, I would be there right now. Once a week (every Sunday) you can have a roast dinner cooked by a Great British chef. Wouldn't it be great to try his food? I hope you choose this offer but if you do not, we still have two more offers to offer you.

I would like to present you with an advanced (fully modernised) bungalow. A bungalow is a better option for you because it has no stairs – ensuring your mobility. The rooms are in fair distance of each other so you do not have to do a lot of walking, and you can relax. I hope you consider this offer and enjoy your choice but, if you do not like this offer, I still have one more option for you.

Finally, if none of the options above suite you, we still have one more option for you to choose. We would like you to have a large amount of money; when you have received the money, you could spend it in any way you desire. We suggest you go on a holiday - your wife (Ellie) would love this.

Thank you for taking the time to read our letter. If you accept one of these offers, we will guarantee you happiness.

Your sincerely

Miss. _____

Dear Miss. _____

I am deeply disappointed and enraged to hear the news that there are plans to knock my house down. I'm writing this letter to persuade you to see, what a ridiculous idea that is.

Firstly, old is gold: my house is gold - should we tarnish things because they grow old? My house may be verging towards its ends, standing on its last legs, but it's still standing. What makes no sense is knocking something down that is still going strong. This is the waste of money and resources, and is the problem with you youngsters.

Secondly, I will not let you steal my house because it is full of memories. Like some thieving pirates you are sneakily aiming to rob my treasure, your proposal to knock my house down is absurd; my memories are being robbed from me. Laughs of today are memories for tomorrow, memories dance away ignoring the ticking clock. Destroy my house, destroy my memories.

Finally, my house has a sentimental value to it: you can never replace it. It is where I met my life partner - my wife - an unforgettable place and moment that you plan to mercilessly knock down. I honour it with every atom in my body and will fight for it.

For this very reason, I believe it is completely inhumane to even consider knocking my house down, I will not stand for these ludicrous thoughts!

In conclusion, I will not let you demolish my house for many reasons: I believe in repairing things, not replacing them; it holds many memories for me; the sentimental value it holds is irreplaceable.

I hope my letter is sufficient to convince you to stop harassing me and stop being such a nuisance.

Yours faithfully

Mr. Fredrickson

R _____ school _____

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ENGLAND

Dear Mr Widodo,

I would be extremely grateful if you took the time to read this letter, as I know you are a very busy man. During a lesson, our class came across a newspaper report about the baby macaques, which shocked us. I would like to inform you that I am a year six student at a school in H. _____. ~~The monkeys are being badly~~

Could I tell you a little bit about monkeys and their natural habitat? Monkeys are beautiful, intelligent creatures. They are sociable animals and like being around other monkeys. Their ^{spacious} ~~own~~ home is in the beautiful forests of Sumatra. They enjoy the freedom and space around them. ~~exploring~~ Within the forest, these monkeys ~~enjoy~~ love ^{to climb} the leafy, green trees and ^{play} ~~playing~~ with each other. However, this is not the life they are experiencing in your country. Monkeys are living a life of hell. Do you want your monkeys to be in a barbaric environment? Is this ~~to~~ what you ^{would like} ~~would~~ get these cheeky ^{animals?}

This ^{horrible} ~~long~~ process starts in the ^{emerald} forests of Sumatra. Teams of poachers use ^{appalling} ~~appalling~~ ways to trap them. The most popular method is to shoot the mother and prise the clinging baby from her. These adventurous creatures are being taken away from their forest home then unfortunately sold to 'entertainers'. These innocent baby macaques are now endangered. Baby macaques are ^{as performers} ~~prized~~ as they have a longer life. The poachers are paid two pounds for each monkey by dealers who sell them onto street 'entertainers' in Jakarta for five pounds each. Do you think this is acceptable, Mr Widodo? Five pounds for a life?

Furthermore, these innocent creatures are hung upside down so they ~~can~~ learn how to walk upright. I ~~feel~~ ^{feel} shocked and disgusted by what your citizens are doing to these animals. This practise is sickening. If that was not enough,

they ^{next} put ^{piercing} metal chains around their neck as the chain bites in. This is unacceptable. If they do not obey their ^{master's} master they are punished. Mr Widodo, how is this fair on the baby macaques? This terrible practice is killing more and more monkeys and if nothing happens they could become extinct. With all due respect, if you are letting this happen in your country you are as bad as the poachers. The monkeys are then trapped in isolation as they are forced to live inside little cramped boxes. This is a life of hell for the baby macaques. This is ^{an} ^{process} ~~un-natural~~ ^{horrified} ~~horrified~~! Unfortunately, these animals are starved and only fed when they obey their masters orders. I have been deeply affected by this.

May I share some of my ideas to combat this horrifying problem? Firstly, I think ~~the~~ ^{you} should create jobs and pay people to protect them in their natural habitat. If you put ^{your} people in these jobs ^{poachers} they would not have any ~~access~~ access to these special creatures. Just to remind you this behaviour is illegal. Why are these evil people still torturing them if it is illegal? If the poachers are caught hunting for these fragile animals, they should be ^{highly} ~~and pay highly~~ ^{highly} ~~and pay highly~~. As for the entertainers, ~~they should~~ if they are caught they should have ^a long prison sentence. I think this will make the poachers and entertainers stop if they know the harsh punishment. Secondly, I think you should set up a ^{sanctuary} ~~sanctuary~~ for the monkeys to be rescued and then rehabilitated. These ^{trapped} monkeys will not act like a normal monkey if they have been through this process. I think they can hopefully come back to their natural habitat after this treatment. ~~People of your country can be paid highly if they do this.~~ ~~we I want~~

Thank you for reading this letter, Mr Widodo. I will ^{be} looking forward to hearing your reply. I know you are a decent man so ~~you~~ I look forward to ~~hearing~~ seeing what you will do to help these helpless creatures.

Yours sincerely,

T. _____

The Main House
Out-with
Poland

Dear Herr Liszt,

Tuesday, 19th March 1942

I regret to inform you, that your lessons are boring and pointless. During my time in your teaching space, I have come to realise how selfish you are. You only pick certain subjects, you do not listen to my opinions and you most certainly do not care about the insults that slip out of your mouth. Also, did I mention the 'bone-shaker'? It is noisy and very interrupting. All these issues should be changed before your next arrival at Out-with.

Over the past few days, it has come to my attention that the majority of your lessons have been ~~History~~ and history and geography, which is unacceptable as I should be taught a wide variety of lessons. When I have complained to you about this, I have been told that they are the most important subjects and should be taught more often. I disagree with that. I believe that art and reading should be taught more because they allow me to be creative and use my imagination ~~more~~. Now don't ~~think~~ think this is the only complaint letter I ~~have~~ ^{have written}, because it is not. I have already complained to Mother and Father so if I were you, I would sort your lesson plan out.

Now, have you heard how noisy your bike is? I will take that as a no. That 'bone-shaker' is loud and interrupts my only time to read my adventure books that include a series of explorers. I am not the only person to complain ^{about} your bicycle, yet I am the first to bring it to your attention. Allow me to give you some recommendations of what you could do; set it on fire; crash it into a wall or just get it repaired. I hope my recommendations have made you realise how rackety your bike is, as something should be changed about it.

Recently, your attitude has been an utter disgrace to listen to. You better think about those insults that are flying out of your mouth as they are affecting me mentally. Also, I don't understand why you disrespect me and not my sister (Gretel). I am still a person who is no different to Gretel. You also think of me as an older child which I do not like, as I am a child who does not want to read giant history books in their spare time. Your attitude should be fixed immediately!

You should of now realised how disgusted I am with your behaviour. Due to my multitude of complaints, I expect you to be able to fix your bike and your attitude ~~out~~. To be completely honest, you are lucky I still want to come to your lessons.

Yours faithfully,

Dear _____

I am a year 6 student who attends _____

The main reason I am writing to you is to share my concerns for climate change and how it is negatively impacting our planet. I have plenty of reasons on how we can make a difference and plenty of reasons on why you should listen to me. I just wish I can share my worries with you so not only me but many people amongst our local communities can have a brighter and better future.

As a class, we have been studying in depth about climate change. One of our tasks was to contact our grandparents to ask about their way of life. Since then we have realised the difference between our carbon footprint. I believe that if we cut our carbon emissions in half, our lives can be somewhat of a more modern version of our grandparents' lives. Though it may be difficult for some people to make a change, but we can put policies into place to reduce emissions today.

Global climate change has already had observable effects on the environment. Glaciers have shrunk, ice on rivers and lakes is breaking up earlier, plant and animal ranges have shifted and trees are flowering sooner. All of these natural occurrences are happening a lot sooner because of climate change and global warming.



As the earth continues to warm, crucial habitats may no longer be hospitable for certain animals or plants. This puts a variety of species at risk, depending on whether they can adapt or move. The land that we stand on isn't just getting warmer; there are changes to the water causing algae to leave coral reefs, turning the coral white and vulnerable to disease and death - a phenomenon known as coral bleaching.

Finally, I would like to thank you for taking the time to read about my ^{worries} ~~concerns~~ and I would ^{like} to leave you with one final thought. ~~We should be changing our lifestyle, not the planet. Without a thriving natural world, humans will die. We~~ must protect our planet before it's too late!

Yours sincerely,

Dear Mrs S. Gamble,

I am writing regarding your issues about my son (Cameron). After an exhausting forty eight hours, I was dreading writing this letter, but as you requested I am giving you an opportunity to listen to my side of the story. For the record, I don't agree with the unsuitable words to describe my important decision as it's extremely hurtful. I understand the personalities of pigs but the main use of pigs is for meat, so we shouldn't have to waste their organs. The key reason for this is so people can live longer, as sadly many people are dying - waiting for human organs. It is true that pigs are exposed to painful experiences, whilst being slaughtered, as this method is used everyday. There are ~~hundreds~~ ^{many} of pigs to use while we can now save lives

for people like my Cameron. Without a doubt, you might know I'm angry but how dare you describe this method as selfish when it saves lives!

To add onto your concerns, Dr Bryce - my Sons life-saver - is a specialist, who saves lives, unlike you wasting time by protesting to ban this life saving method. I am fully aware of the risks and misconceptions of this method, but it saves lives. I am lucky to have Cameron because if this wasn't discovered (Xenotransplantation) Cameron won't have: a wedding; have kids; live a life and meet his future sibling - Alex.

We have been running around all day and this has caused me a big amount of stress adding onto my situation. If this was to be a life or death situation in your family, surely you will feel the same way? I don't expect a letter back, so please don't ^{send} one as I will not respond.

Yours sincerely,
Mrs Kelsey (Catherine Kelsey)

Dear Michael Rosen,

I am writing to inform you that your poems and books (Chocolate Cake and Sticky McStickstick etc) are fabulous; I couldn't stop reading them! Since I started reading them, I've learnt that you are a unique poet; ~~and~~ that's amazing. I was so surprised at how wonderful your work is and how hard you work. In my class (Y6) we wrote a biography about you; it was a great experience.

As I read your poems, a huge ray of happiness shone on me when I realised your poems - Chocolate Cake and Presents - are my favourite. Chocolate Cake is my favourite because I can relate to it. When I read Chocolate Cake I could picture a big, tasty chocolate - brown chocolate cake. Presents - I can't relate to - but it is very repetitive and it's awesome.

Although you've had a really hard time writing Sad book, I really think you're brave to share your story. For all the time I started reading your books, I thought to myself and I knew how hard it would be to write Sticky McStickstick. The reason

I love it is because It's ^{it is} a nice story. Would you ever change the style of your poems? What is your favourite poem? Is being a poet always what you wanted to do?

To conclude, I have really enjoyed this experience; it was so fun. Thank you for your incredible poems and stories. I wish you the best for the future.

Your Sincerely

Dear M and M Theatrical Productions,

We would like to offer our gratitude for coming in on World Book Day to show us your play. It was really enchanting for us to watch.

For starters I found it amusing when Bilbo shouted out to an Alexa to play a song. It was quite funny because the song was about becoming a hero. And then you walked around the room singing the song.

The main thing that I enjoyed was when Bilbo and Thorin fought the dragon and then they shot the black arrow into its dark, scaly head. But on the other hand Thorin still died from the fierce spider. This scene was very tragic.

I really appreciate all of your effort in coming all this way to show us your play. I couldn't believe all of the actors remembered their lines seeing that the show was on for an hour.

My favourite character in the story was Balin because he was a true friend to Bilbo. However, the actor I liked best was Bombur because he had the job of playing three characters (Gandalf, Bombur and Goblin). He had to remember all of lines for all three of them which is impressive.

Nevertheless, the only improvement I would make would be for there to be some female actors. Overall, I really enjoyed your play. We are very grateful.

Yours Sincerely,



Dear the beloved chairs of Others' class,

I am writing to you in response to your letter that I have witnessed yesterday. I would like to apologise on behalf of everyone in the others' class. As we read your letter, our eyes were bursting with tears; life is difficult without you. It is your duty to use your muscles and let us children sit on you. Please return immediately; we're on our knees and begging day in and day out.

Firstly, I am sorry to hear that you have been mistreated. (By Others' class-including me). The behaviour of my class deteriorated drastically; our handwriting was so disastrous! You wouldn't want us to get

told off by Mr [] because of our
handwriting, would you?

Furthermore, I am astonished to hear
that you believe that I'm the one
releasing deadly, bodily gasses. It's not me!
We're all trying to eat more healthy; it's
natural to release a little wind. I can
ask Mr [] to buy a fart chair protector
cover.

I hope you choose to stay at
our primary school.

Yours Sincerely,

[]

Dear Ms. Greenwood,

Thank you for your email, which you sent to [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] about your opinion of changing your mind about our school visit to Eden Camp. I am writing to you to question your reasons for not going to Eden Camp this month and changing it to June. In fact, I must disagree with you, on this occasion. I have many important reasons for you to let us go in March instead of June, along with some suggestions to help you change your mind again.

First of all, I know how you said that the visit would 'disrupt our learning time', but have you considered that we are still learning about WW2, just in a different location? At Eden Camp, we will read a multitude of displays and learn about fascinating facts about the soldiers that fought in the war, including how many people unfortunately suffered during this horrible period. Everyone's stories need to be told to be remembered, and this is why it is essential we go in March while the topic is fresh in our minds and hearts. In order to catch up on what you call 'disrupted learning time', I suggest that we use opportunities for us to catch up on all of our learning when we return, such as in our lunch times or in after-school booster classes and even on the coach, there and back. I feel I am giving you some fair solutions here.

Another important reason that I am concerned about is how, in your email, you said that SATs are our priority. I have to disagree strongly with your opinion on this, and I must explain why. I think that before SATs, we should have a bit of fun and enjoy our time before we have SATs and before we leave to go to our new secondary schools. Too much intense practice will not be good for our mental health, and as a consequence, we might not do as well because we never had any down time.

Finally, I think that you should reconsider changing the date back to this month instead of June because we will have already finished our WW2 topic and will be learning about something new, so there will be no point in going in June or after; again, it should be fresh in our minds. In our final year of school, we should have visits like this, not only for us to learn but to have experiences with our friends, which we will remember with our time at [REDACTED] School.

I was really excited and looking forward to going to Eden Camp this March,

Thank you for taking time to read my response, as I know you are always busy doing the best you can as our amazing headteacher at [REDACTED] School, and it is very time-consuming. If you would like to reconsider changing the school trip to Eden Camp back to this month, do you think you would consider coming with us to experience what we are so passionate about and have a lovely day out with the 5s and 6s? Thank you for your time and consideration.

Yours sincerely

Alrig't Ma,

You won't 'ave a clue w'o I met - you'll never guess - I met the Giant from the BFG - and guess what 'e was as big as my beanstalk. Last night, I crept out of bed to go and see if I could get some Beans and I met the Giant I stole from, who was visiting. He was givin' 'e ~~the~~ tried to rip me 'ead off. Me plan of action on Wednesday (as part of my rehabilitation) is to sign up for Salesman the training - maybe I will do a better sale next time!

T'ere are loads of people 'ere

Voldemort keeps torturing people and Cruella keeps chasing the guard dogs with dinner knives - of course this was before they were dragged into solitary confinement and taken to the questioning room. Are you coming to visit me? Have you even thought about your handsome Prince? Just one favour - would you care to remember some beans? See you soon!

Bye,
Jack

PS. Please tell the Judge I'm innocent!

Inverness Castle
Inverness
IN10 4NS
19th January 1304

To my darling love,

I'm writing to tell you that I bear news - a lot of news. Firstly and importantly, I'm safe. Secondly, King Duncan has bestowed the title of Thane of Cawdor on me. I can't wait to tell you how excited I am! It's crazy to think of! Celebrations shall take place at our castle. Even Duncan is coming, aren't you gilled with joy?

And oh how I've missed you. It's not easy out there, in war. I had my mind on you the whole time, which brings me to another point.

A few days after that rank battle^e, Banquo and I were strolling down the battlefield. We were heading home but, almost immediately, we could see something in the distance. The heath, and as we walked closer, a shape appeared. It appeared to be three old hags. Their backs were hooped like question marks and they were as shrivelled as raisins. As we started to approach the sisters, their shape ^{became} got clearer and clearer. When we both arrived, the odd ladies started to speak. They spoke of prophecies including me becoming king and of statements I shan't try and understand, but when I heard of king, my heart stopped. Do you understand what this means, my love. I will become king of Scotland. Thus, you shall be queen and as for the banquet, well, you must find a suitable bed chamber and get the feast ready. I love you my darling!

Yours Sincerely,
Macbeth

Dear Mr [REDACTED],

I am writing to inform you that our headteacher - Mrs [REDACTED] has decided to cancel sports day for Year Six. This news has had a horrifically detrimental impact on our class. It has come to our attention that this is not fair, that our class has been excluded from this year's sports day. I personally think that this is unfair and if I were you, I would urge her to change her mind.

Firstly, we have not had a sports day for nearly 3 years, because Covid-19 broke out. This day ^{could not} ~~couldn't~~ continue, due to Boris Johnson putting us into lockdown. When we were all stuck inside, everything had closed, including EIS - English Institute of Sport - where sports day is held.

Most upsettingly, there will be 26 places lost to go to EIS, which are non-refundable, the coaches that were booked for Year Six are now useless, the cost £500. This is squandering the school's well-earned money to go somewhere we are not going to. We have already missed multiple opportunities to discover new things: ~~such as~~ World War One museums, previous sports days, Year Five residential and many more. Another point of wasted time is P.E,

physical education. We have wasted precious time on learning, an example of this is we practise athletics, hockey, rounders, tennis and many more. It is wasting teacher's time as well, if they teach us, it builds up different skills for sports day but now, we will not be using those skills so, it is a waste of teacher's time and our time.

Finally, there are reasons why P.E is so important such as the following: it is good for our mental and physical health, it keeps you fit, it gives us exercise, it can release endorphins (a hormone that makes you happy) and it has a lot teamwork so you might even make a new friend.

In conclusion, we feel like after a long wait, we deserve to have a sports day. I demand you to make a change. I wish to hear from you with your decision, hopefully the correct one for Year Six.

Yours sincerely,



Dear Alisha,

How are you? I keep thinking about you and wishing I could be back in London, practising for the dance show. Instead, I've been sent to stay with Grandma and Grandpa in their boarding house by the sea because Mum and Dad lost our flat. They say it's not for long, but it feels like forever.

At first, I thought my summer would be the worst ever. Scarlett from the caravan park was bossy and kept teasing me and I felt so left out. Then something amazing happened. I met someone who has completely changed everything: a boy called Peri.

Peri isn't like anyone I've ever seen before. He lives in the sea, and the first time I saw him he dived through the waves like a dolphin. His hair is pale and shiny when it's wet, and his skin is smooth and cool, like a fish. He has webbed hands and feet that make him swim faster than I have ever seen before. When he laughs, it sounds like bursting bubbles. He speaks in trills and clicks like music, and I've been learning how to understand him.

Peri is curious about everything. He loves to watch the lights along the beach at night, and he asks questions about what it's like living on the land. He's also really brave. Once, he jumped so high out of the water that I thought he might fly and a different time he showed me how to hold my breath and dive under the waves. He seems so free, nothing can hold

him back, and when I'm with him, I forget how sad I feel about leaving home.

But there are worries too. The more time Peri spends near the human world, the more it seems to change him. I can tell it's not easy for him to cross between the sea and the land and sometimes I wonder if it's safe for us.

Grandpa says that sometimes problems look smaller when looked at from a different view. He's right, but it's still hard to stop worrying about Mum and Dad, and now about Peri as well.

Please write back soon and tell me ^{everything} about the dance rehearsals. I miss you so much, but I had to tell you about Peri, because meeting him is the most incredible thing that's ever happened to me.

Your best friend,
Ginika