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Hi gang,

What a scorcher of a week we've had! I hope you didn't get caught out with any sunburn as it's easily done. I normally end up with a red nose!

I hope lots of you have managed to sign up for the Summer Reading Challenge by now. I like the look of the 'Title Thief' game on the website https://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk/ Challenge yourself to see how many book titles you know and I think you'll be surprised how well you do on it.

Have you started your 'Journey through the Jungle' pack? My school group have done some great writing from it, including a poem and an Instruction text.

It feels strange to say it but you now only have 2 weeks until the Summer holiday. I'm guessing it won't be the Summer holiday you had hoped for. Normally you work, work, work and then give a huge sigh of relief as we all start our well-earned break but this year we haven't had that same feeling. So much has been asked of you and your families and I know that by now you are probably fed up of some of the online activities you've been asked to do. With that in mind I thought we'd finish off the year with the final piece of work I'm going to ask you to do - a 'Countdown to Summer' task. You should find this under this tab – Week beginning 29/06/20. You need to look at one slide a day and complete the tasks on it. All the tasks can be done on a bit of paper or in a notebook and it shouldn't take you too long. They are just little tasks to get your brain thinking! Each day the number of tasks reduces so on '10 days to go' you have to find, write or draw 10 of each thing but on the '9 days to go' slide each task only asks for 9 responses. By the time it's the last day of term you only have 1 thing to do – if you take a sneaky peak at the last slide you will see what it is!

If you are at a loose end over the holiday and want it, there is a Summer English booklet and a Summer Maths booklet with answers provided that you can take a look at. If you don't have a printer you can phone ahead to the office and ask for paper copies (to be picked up between 3:30 and 4:00 on the day you phone. Otherwise lots of the activities can just be done in a notebook. This is only IF YOU WANT IT! NO PRESSURE!!

Well it's a short but sweet letter this week. I'll be giving all of you a ring either next week or the week after to have a quick chat before we go our separate ways (Crying into a tissue as I type at this point!)

Bye for now

Mrs Carr x