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Biography Homework

Term 2 Language Homework

This term we are going to compile a book about our heroes. Whether they are personal heroes, celebrities, royalty or sports personalities, we would like to include them in our book of tributes which we shall make as a class.

To this end, you have been working in your class writing jotters about the life of your chosen personality, and now we want to extend this into a finished piece of work.

You have the basis of the script for your work, but we would like to see how you extend this to make a dynamic and interesting mini book.

Here are some tips about writing a biography:

- When you introduce your subject, make it clear what they are famous for, and what their impact has been on the world.
- Your second section allows you to get more specific about your subject, but it is very important to double check your facts!! Chronological order (facts told in the order in which they happened) is good but not always essential.
- The ending should be big and bold and end on a wonderful description of that person's achievements or personal attributes.
- Pictures are very important to illustrate a point or to make your work more accessible and appealing.
- Headings and sub-headings should stand out.
- A beautiful front page with your chosen person's picture on it is essential.

Please stick to the size we have given you for the book although you can make your own 8 page booklet (including front and back pages) if you wish.

You don't have to use all of the work that you have done already in class (be selective!) but if you **do** write some more, please have a grownup check your spelling. Do not pick a new person!

Please hand in by Monday 3rd December.

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