

**English**

At school we are starting think about moving on to secondary school and reminiscing on your time at JRS. Have a go at completing these 3 tasks:

**Task 1:**

Writing a letter to your future self!

You are going to write a letter to your future self. You can choose when you want yourself to open it, whether that be after a year in secondary school or maybe at the end of secondary school altogether. Think of how you are feeling now about going up to secondary school. Think about anything you are nervous or worried about. Think about the things you are looking forward to or eve what you hope you will be able to achieve in secondary school. There are some questions the 'support learning' section you could answer to help you decide what you'd like to write about.

**Task 2:**

Write a letter to a teacher at JRS. Perhaps they are your favourite teacher, your class teacher or even a member of staff that you will really miss. You could tell them all things you like about them, what you have been up to and what you are looking forward to.

**Task 3:**

Write a letter to your future tutor! We have no doubt that they cannot wait to meet you and will be gutted that they haven't been able to get to know you before September. You could tell them all about you from things you love doing, like doing and even things you don't like so much. You could tell them about any worries you have but also the things you are looking forward to!

**Spelling: Subordinate conjunctions.**

Subordinating conjunctions are the first words within a subordinate clause. Subordinate clauses do not make sense on their own (they are dependent) but when they are used with a main clause, they create a complex (multi-clause) sentence.

Subordinate clauses will always have a **subject** and **verb** within them, e.g.

before they left

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subordinating conjunction

↑

subject

↑

verb

is a subordinate clause

I SAW A WABUB!

before the holidays

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here 'before' is being used as a preposition

is not a subordinate clause

**Task:**

These sentences begin with a main clause. Add a subordinate clause to each one to finish the sentences. Remember that the subordinate clause **should not make sense on its own**.

- Jack plays rugby \_\_\_\_\_
- Tim likes to draw \_\_\_\_\_
- Flying a kite is fun \_\_\_\_\_
- I love sunny mornings \_\_\_\_\_
- Bathtime is fun in our house \_\_\_\_\_

**Reading:** Have a go at the Marcus Rashford comprehension and find out about what he has been doing for children in schools!

**PE**

We are all going to be competing in a Sports Day at school on Wednesday, and for those of you at home, we would love for you to get involved as well. Try and see if you can record scores for any of the activities below – you might need to get a bit creative with your equipment but we are sure you will still be awesome!

**Sprint** – You might not know the exact distance, but go for it anyway!

**Hurdles** – Use the same distance as your sprint and be creative with your hurdles, such as books or garden toys.

**Maths**

With only two more weeks to go, we are going to be looking at a range of different problem solving activities. This will require you to use lots of different maths skills you have learnt.

**2. You are making an order for the school's end of the year barbeque. There are 400 students attending. You must order enough food so each student can have a hotdog, hamburger and ice lolly, but most items are sold in packs so you may have extra. Which store should you get your supplies from to spend the least amount of money?**

Item	Stop 'n' Shop	Snack Town	Gary's Groceries
Hot dogs	25 for £1.49	30 for £1.50	12 for 99p
Hot dog buns	10 for £1	12 for £1.25	11p each
Hamburgers	10 for £1.99	24 for £4.49	12 for £2.49
Hamburger buns	12 for £1	10 for 80p	24 for £1.49
Ice lollies	24 for £2.50	12 for £1	10 for £1

**PSHE – Transition to Secondary School**

Think: Are clouds in, under or above the sky?

Have you got any questions about secondary school that maybe your adults or siblings cannot answer? Why not email them in to [Upperjuniors@jrj.w-berks.sch.uk](mailto:Upperjuniors@jrj.w-berks.sch.uk).

We have all been discussing questions like: How different is secondary school to primary? Have I thought about different ways of travelling to school – not just walking the same route? Is the work going to be similar to primary school?

Vortex Throw – A small ball or socks will do.

Standing Long Jump – Swing your arms and try to beat your best distance.

Netball Shoot – If you do not have a hoop, try making one out of some clothing and aim to land the ball in it from a challenging distance.

Throw'N'Catch – We will be using rebounder nets but a wall or similar surface will do – throw it; catch it and score a point.

REST – Do not forget to rest!

Make sure you talk to the people around you and get to know what school was like for them too!

**Links to support this learning**

**Supporting Information for parents**

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### Questions to think about:

- What are you looking forward to about secondary school?
- What subjects do you think you are going to like most?
- Are there teams or clubs you want to get involved in?
- Who are the people you want to get to know better or to meet?
- What are you worried about regarding secondary school?
- What are you going to miss about primary school?
- What are you hoping you will have achieved by the time you are reading this letter?
- What are your current dreams and ambitions about your life? (E.g. what do you want to do career-wise or have achieved through your hobbies?)
- What is the best piece of advice you can think of for your future self?
- What are you hoping you will not have forgotten by the time you are reading this letter?

### Spelling:

subordinate clauses that begin with a subordinating conjunction.

I S A W A W A B U B

is an acronym to help you remember the first letters of some of the most important subordinating conjunctions.



If Since As When Although

While After Before Until Because

## Maths

## English:

### Dear Future Teacher...



Use these words to help write a letter to your future teacher.

achievement	activities	apprehensive	anticipate	aspirations
assistance	challenging	comfortable	communicate	confident
development	education	emotions	expectation	experience
favourite	friends	highlights	information	interested
knowledge	learning	preparation	question	request
require	school	subject	succeed	teacher
transition	understand			

### Maths - answers:

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Hamburgers	10 for £1.99	24 for £4.49 17 packs = £76.33	12 for £2.49
Hamburger buns	12 for £1	10 for 80p 40 packs = £32.00	24 for £1.49
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The items are the least expensive from Snack Town (£205.83).