Year 2 English Self Isolation Grid – Grammar and spelling focus

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
LO: I can add the suffix -ed to a word to change it into the past tense. Use the PowerPoint to see how Uncle Ed changes words into the past tense. **Task** – Use –ed and add them to each of the words to change them into the past tense. (see sheet) Then using the words provided, change them into the past tense and use them in a sentence. Choose the sheet that you feel is best suited to your child.	**LO: I can use coordinating conjunctions such as 'and', 'or' and 'but'** Use the coordinating conjunctions PowerPoint as a warm up. **Task** – Read the sentence and choose the best conjunction to join the clauses. **Extension task –** Now can you write your own examples of sentences using coordinating conjunctions.	**LO: I can write a recount of The Way Back Home.** Watch the story of The Way Back Home which is about young boy builds himself a rocket and sends himself off to Space. He lands on a faraway planet. His spaceship breaks down, a friendly alien lands and he breaks down too. https://www.literacyshed.com/thewaybackhome.html **Task –** As the story is an animation and has no dialogue I would like you write a recount of the story on your own words. Top tips for your story! *Try to use conjunctions to join your sentences. * Use adjectives to make your sentences more exciting. *Try to use some exclamation marks and some inverted commas for speech. * Read it back and check it makes sense. **Extension task-** Read your story back and polish it using a pen (doesn't have to be purple) Check you punctuation, spelling and see if you can improve your sentences.	**LO: I can write a postcard as an alien visiting earth.** **Task** – Imagine you are an alien visiting earth for the first time. You are going to write a postcard to your friends or family back in space. Think about where you have visited In England, what do you think humans are like? What do you think of the food? How is it different from the food on your planet? What do you like about planet earth? Is there anything that humans do that you find strange? See postcard template	**LO: I can write a diary entry.** Top tips! 1. Write in the first person. 2.Use pronoun- I, he, she or they 3. Write in the past tense Recap features of a diary entry using the PowerPoint. **Task** – You are going to imagine that you are an astronaut and that you have just landed on a strange planet…. Write a diary entry for you first day on this planet. Remember to talk about what you encounter and your thoughts and feelings. Remember to make your sentences exciting by using adventurous

				adjectives (see sheet for ideas) **Extension task – Read back through your diary entry and check your spelling and punctuation.**