**Year 4 Wednesday 29th April 2020**

Hi everyone,

How did you get on with your tongue twisters? Are you still working on improving your performance of them? I can’t wait to hear you telling me them when I ring later this week!

Today we are going back to using BBC Bitesize, but working a day behind. This is because I like to see what the BBC work is before I send it out to you, so that I can make sure it’s ok, and provide you with support sheets if I think you’ll need them. However, this week the BBC isn’t uploading their lessons until really late on the day before, so I don’t get a chance to look at them. So, instead of doing Wednesday’s lesson today, I want you to do Tuesday’s lesson. Then tomorrow on Thursday you can do Wednesday’s lesson. So you’re just working a day behind – but that means I can send out extra bits to help you!

So, today please look at the lesson for Tuesday 28th – it’s all about apostrophes! We worked really hard on these in school just before we went into lockdown, so I think you should be brilliant at these tasks. They are focusing on apostrophes for contraction – where you put two words together to make a single word and use an apostrophe to ‘stick’ them together, showing where a letter or couple of letters have been taken out!

Here is the link:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zhgfy9q>

There are two video clips to watch, then:

1. An online highlighting game to warm up with.
2. A task where you need to write out the contracted word in your blue books.
3. A task where you copy out the sentences and use a coloured pencil or pen to edit in the apostrophes which are missing.
4. A super challenge game involving apostrophes and combining words.

I bet you’ll be great at this – see how well you can impress your adults at home with your apostrophe knowledge! 😊