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Dear Parents,

Featherstone Academy are taking part in this year's BBC Radio 2's 500 Word Challenge. 500 Words is an open invitation to the wide world of imagination, so it's time to get those creative cogs turning.

We will be doing the project within school but we are asking that children plan a story with their family. There is a link to the website to help you plan a story at home. Google 500 word challenge or visit <https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p00rfvk1>

The winners in each age category will also receive:

Gold Winners – Chris Evans' height in books and 500 books for their school.

Silver Winners – HRH The Duchess of Cornwall's height in books.

Bronze Winners – Their own height in books.

There is also a brand new prize for 2020, which is one entrant will be selected at random to receive a fabulous book bundle and an invite to the final. They will also win 500 books for their school – so the more pupils a school has that has entered the more chances they have of winning!

All entries must be received by Thursday 27th February at 8pm.

So let's get started and check out the website which is packed full of helpful hints.

Yours Sincerely,

Mrs Jackson
Deputy Head

