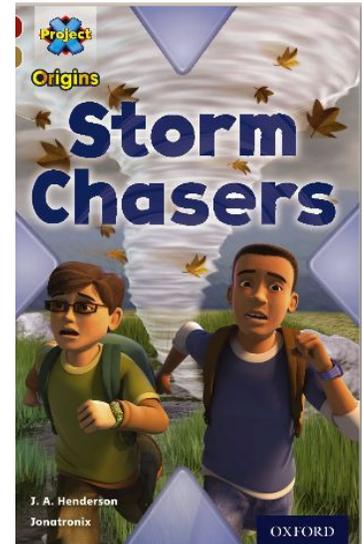Monday 27th April 2020

WALT make predictions.

Last week we started reading another ebook together this week, which is available free from Oxford Owl. You need to create a free log in to access it:
https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/

If you haven't already done this, make sure you have a log in now and find the Storm Chasers book.
Free eBook library

Please only read on the chapters as I tell you to - please don't read ahead!

So far, we have discovered a tornado has gone missing and that Team X are investigating by using their teleporter.
Then we have found that there are lots of strange things happening around the world with the weather.
We also discovered that Team X can shrink themselves!
Then they lost the Driller in a blizzard and found it has been somehow moved to a castle in the Swiss Alps.

I don't know about you, but I find it hard to imagine a blizzard at the moment with all this lovely sunshine! Let's hope Team X get to enjoy some sunshine too soon!

Now let's read **Chapters 7 and 8**

WALT understand vocabulary in context.

As you read, make a note of any new vocabulary and the meaning in context. (You might want to make a Team X Secret Code Book to keep this information in…)
You might want help from an online dictionary: https://kids.wordsmyth.net/we/

Include the words and phrases:
Chapter 7
Fortified   Scoffed
Cajoled
Chapter 8
Tapestries   Tasteful
Snoop   Lurking
Orb

WALT infer

So now we know the Collectors plan! It is cunning indeed. He didn't just like collecting snow globes - he can use them to send extreme weather to places he wants to attack.

Imagine you are one of Team X and write a short diary entry describing how you feel as you enter the castle. Think about:
- How you feel about entering a potential trap
- Seeing all the tapestries and animal heads
- Shrinking to get under the door
- Realising what the snow globes are for
- How you feel when the alarm sounds…

You choose which character you are. Use any clues in the text to imagine how the different characters are reacting.