**Monday** – fill in each blank with the most appropriate word.

I live \_\_\_\_\_\_ a two storey house. My mam \_\_\_\_\_\_ a doctor and my \_\_\_\_\_\_ is a pilot. Here is a photo \_\_\_\_\_\_ them both. Our granny lives \_\_\_\_\_ home with us too. Our cat is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Snowy. We have a video \_\_\_\_\_\_ her. We ­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ it last night \_\_\_\_\_\_ the tenth time.

My brother’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is Bobby. He is in second \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. I am much smarter \_\_\_\_\_\_ him. His \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is called Mr Dooley. He likes to \_\_\_\_\_\_ football \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ his friends.

We go to school \_\_\_\_\_\_ the bus. The school is five kilometres \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ our house. The journey there \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ fifteen minutes. When the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is very heavy, it can take twenty minutes. I sit \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ my best friend on the bus.

**Tuesday –** Circle the word closest in meaning to the underlined word.

1. The children were competing for first place.

Fighting comparing sprinting preparing

1. Jane was desperate to be chosen for the school play

Sad longing first disappointed

1. My oldest cousin is a decade older than me

10 years 1 month a few years ten months

1. It wasn’t my intention to make Megan cry

Dream fault aim game

1. The principal announced the winner of the competition.

Awarded told everyone set up cancelled

1. I applied to join a judo club.

Didn’t want requested refused hoped

1. The athlete represented Ireland in the Olympics.

Ignored insulted stood for encouraged

1. You need to be persistent if you want to succeed.

Wise old clever determined

1. The lady deserved recognition for her achievement.

Help happiness refusal appreciation

1. Many English words come from ancient languages.

Similar well known unknown very old

**Wednesday**  - Circle the word closest in meaning to the underlined word.

1. Cooking apples are not as sweet as regular apples.

Unusual boring small normal

1. Some bacteria can make you ill.

Scientists germs foods minibeasts

1. We used branches to construct a den.

Build destroy imagine invent

1. In art class we made pictures using different techniques

Paints materials methods ideas

1. The Eiffel Tower is a very impressive structure.

Tall recent unusual remarkable

1. Dad’s old shed collapsed in the storm.

Fell down blew away leaked stood strong

1. Dana crossed the room in three long strides.

Hops minutes steps legs

1. I went to retrieve the scarf I’d dropped.

Tidy fetch give away replace

1. I hope we get the opportunity to beat the other team.

Chance luck score ability

1. There are many benefits to keeping fit.

Pleasures upsides exceptions downsides

**Thursday** fill in each blank with the most appropriate word.

Dear Three Bears,

I am so \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for entering your house yesterday without permission. When I got \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, my mom was furious. She said that I must never do anything like that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

I am naturally a curious \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Some might say that I am nosey. When I saw your front \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ open, I couldn’t resist a peek \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Your house is lovely.

I skipped \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ yesterday and when I saw the porridge on the table, I just had to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ it. Also, my \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_were aching after my long walk through the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. In addition, I had a terrible nightmare last night and didn’t sleep well. Anyway I hope that you can \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ me.

Love,\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ .

Ps – sorry for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ your chair and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in your bed!!

**Friday** - write an anagram for the following words (example: team – mate)

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| cork |  | eat |  |
| charm |  | cheat |  |
| acre |  | shrub |  |
| melon |  | dare |  |
| low |  | parties |  |
| tills |  | ramp |  |
| beak |  | cloud |  |
| iced |  | gulp |  |