Summer 2 – Week 5 – Thursday 2nd July 2020

English

Task 1

Read the opening (up to the end of page 5) of Goodnight Mister Tom by Michelle Magorian (see paper copy or link below)

Read: https://www.lovereading4kids.co.uk/extract/11395/Goodnight-Mister-Tom-by-Michelle-Magorian.html

Task 2

Based on what you have read, draw a picture of what you think the two main characters described – Mr Thomas 'Tom' Oakley and William 'Willie' Beech, look like. Around the pictures you have drawn, label words and phrases taken from the text.

Task 3

Now watch the opening (3:40 mins- 9:24 mins) to the film Goodnight Mister Tom here:

Link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7j8awfdvxaw

Compare the opening of the film to the opening of the book. What are the similarities and differences between the two? Write these down.

Which opening to the story do you prefer – book or film? Write down your preference and the reasons for your choice.