English- Thursday 7th January 2021

LO- To compare a piece of text with modern day school

Starter- Before starting the activity, can you name any vocabulary that is used commonly in science fiction?

Examples-

Cyberman, teleport, intergalactic, transoceanic, automaton, antibiotic

Main Activity-

In order to prepare us for our story writing next week, we need to be confident in using prefixes and the effect these have on the meaning of words.

A prefix is an affix which is placed before the stem of a word. Adding it to the beginning of one word changes it into another word. For example, when the prefix auto- is added to the word biography, it creates the word autobiography.

Activity- Using dictionaries/internet, find the meaning of these prefixes, as well exploring for more ideas, which will help you with your story writing!

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| Prefix  | Meaning |
| Auto | Self |
| Tele |  |
| Anti |  |
| Inter |  |
| Trans |  |
| Cyber |  |
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Prefix list

