



## Motivation Monday

Date: 14<sup>th</sup> September 2020

### Theme of the week: Roald Dahl Week

COVID-19 pandemic has highlighted how essential creativity and the visual arts are for increasing our ability to learn, connect and improve our general wellbeing. While a lot of venues, cultural organisations and some school buildings may be closed, engaging in the visual arts is more important than ever

This Weeks theme is **'Roald Dahl Week'** - September is Roald Dahl's birth month and this year on the 13th a wonderful mixture of events will be taking place. If Roald Dahl was alive today, he would be celebrating his 103<sup>rd</sup> birthday. That is a ripe old age, much older than Grandpa Joe (Charlie and the Chocolate Factory), who was only ninety-six and a half.

#### Exercise 1: Crossword & Wordsearch -

The BFG wordsearch or Fantastic Mr Fox crossword.

#### Exercise 2: Inventions

Imagine if you were an extraordinary inventor like Mr Willy Wonka! What would you invent: hot ice-cream for cold days, Hair Toffee or even an Everlasting Gobstopper? Draw a picture and describe your new creation!

**Exercises 2 – Please take pictures of your final creations we look forward to looking at your inventions.**

- Send to [sarah.daniels@ymcachelmsford.org.uk](mailto:sarah.daniels@ymcachelmsford.org.uk) and we will celebrate your efforts through our website and Instagram account - ALWAYS GET PERMISSION FROM YOUR PARENTS IF YOU'RE UNDER 18

\*Do not forget to keep your artwork safe and intact so we can display it at our YMCA Chelmsford Branch when our Youth Clubs reopen.

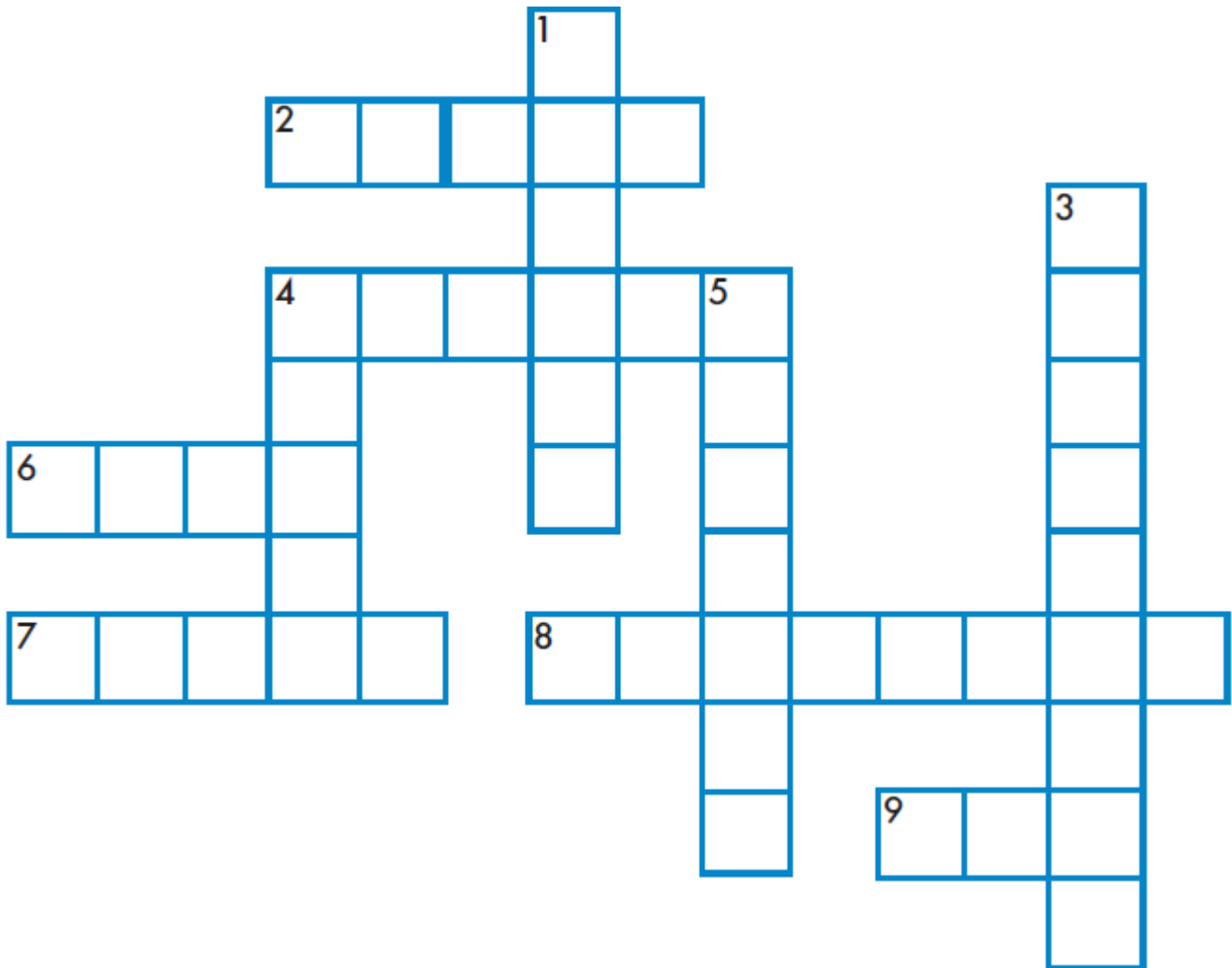
#RoaldDahl #GetKidsCreating #ymcaessex

#### **Outcome / Mission Moments:**

- Did you discover any new skills this week?
- How has this exercise made you feel?
- Maybe encourage other members of your family to get involved!

## Exercise 1: Crossword & Wordsearch

Can you be as clever and cunning as the hero of this story and solve all the clues below?



### ACROSS

- 2 The very clever hero of the book (2,3)
- 4 A friend of 2 across
- 6 A very tall and thin farmer
- 7 One of the farmers drinks gallons of this
- 8 One of the farmers eats these boiled and smothered in fat
- 9 This nasty creature lives in a secret cellar

### DOWN

- 1 An enormously fat farmer
- 3 One of the farmers eats these smothered in goose-livers
- 4 An incredibly short farmer
- 5 These animals only eat vegetables



# THE BFG

## ACTIVITY SHEET

### WIGGLY WORDSEARCH

Whoopsy-splunkers! The BFG has got his words in a bit of a jumble, can you help him find them all below?



SOPHIE  
WHIZZPOPPERS

BELLYHOPPERS  
CHIDDLERS  
DREAMS  
FROBSCOTTLE  
GIANTS

GOBBLEFUNK  
JAR  
PALACE  
QUEEN  
SNOZZCUMBER

