

Subject	Activity	Return to Miss Smith	Self-Mark (no need to send)
English (writing)	Please send your work from Session 2 to Mrs James to be checked.	✓ Mon 8 <sup>th</sup> June	
Spelling			✓
Reading	<p>Please read for at least 30mins a day and record it on the weekly diary. You can also listen to the class book on the school's YouTube channel.</p> <p>This link has lots of books free of charge: <a href="https://readon.myon.co.uk/library/browse.html">https://readon.myon.co.uk/library/browse.html</a></p>		✓

### Session One

Listen to me reading 'Opening'.

Answer these questions:

- What do we learn about the characters?
- What three important things that we learn about the narrator, mum and Eric?

### Session Two

Read 'When I Feel Like an Outsider?' (below).

Are any of these situations familiar to you? Are there other times that you felt like an outsider?

Write about a situation that made you feel like an outsider. Explain what happened and how you would describe your feelings.

### *When did I feel like an outsider?*

When meeting new relations  
who I haven't met before.

At a party where I didn't know  
many people.

In someone else's family.

In a new shop or restaurant  
where people seem to know  
their way around.

When starting a new sport.

After moving house or school.

When travelling to a new and  
strange place.

### Session Three

Listen to me reading the whole story of 'Eric', looking carefully at the illustrations.

Answer these questions:

- What do you like about the story? Is there anything you disliked?
- Does it remind you of anything you have ever read? Does it remind you of any situations or people in real life?
- What patterns can you find in the story?
- What puzzles or questions are you left with?

## Session Four

Look closely at *Eric's Questions*.

What do you think he might be asking?

Write three possible questions for each of the pictures.

### Eric's Questions

*What might Eric be asking?*

