23.6.20

Good morning/ afternoon Green Class,

I hope you enjoyed yesterday's lesson on Shakespearean insults through similes and metaphors.

Today I would like you to re-write the argument scene between Helena and Hermia but using language we use today.

Once you have written your argument, why not send me copy of your work: green@margaretroper.croydon.sch.uk

Let the argument…begin!

Task 1:

What words/ phrases have you heard used in an argument (no foul language!). Write them below

Task 2:

Imagine you are directing Helena and Hermia during their argument.

How is the argument going to start? Who enters the stage first? Who speaks first etc.

What happens in the middle of your argument? Remember this is a moment of climax/ high intensity of the audience so they should feel uneasy/ not sure about what it about to happen

How does your argument end? Will one or both characters storm off stage? Will one be hurt? Remember this play is a comedy, so although there is an argument it SHOULD NOT become violent etc.

Task 3:

Write your argument in neat. Remember, this is a play so your argument should be set out like a script e.g.

Helena:

Hermia:

Include stage directions in brackets [ ]