Assignment for Lesson 1 – “Stories in Imaginary Worlds” 25th January

In this lesson, you have to read this summary of the first chapter of “The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe.”

**Summary**

**Chapter 1: Lucy Looks into a Wardrobe**

Peter, Susan, Edmund and Lucy Pevensie are four siblings who have been sent to the country to escape the air raids of World War II. They stay with Professor Kirke, an eccentric but kind old man, who resides in a house filled with twists, turns, and surprises. On their first day in the country it rains, so the Pevensies decide to explore the house. As they explore, they discover a spare room that is completely empty except for a large wardrobe. Peter, Susan, and Edmund leave the room, but Lucy stays behind to look inside the wardrobe. Surprised when the wardrobe door opens, Lucy steps inside the enormous closet to find a snowy wood at the back of it. Intrigued, she explores the wood, knowing that the safe wardrobe is still behind her. Eventually she meets a faun, a creature that is half goat and half man. The faun is carrying an umbrella and several parcels. When it sees Lucy, it is so startled that it drops all of its packages.

When C.S. Lewis wrote this book, he had to make a decision, at this point, as to where this story was going to go.

Based on this summary alone, write out four or five possible ideas outlining what the DILEMMA or QUEST of this story could be.

REMEMBER!

Definition of the word QUEST: a long or arduous search for something.

Definition of the word DILEMMA: a difficult situation or problem.

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| Record your ideas in this box: |