STORY TIME IN QUARANTINE: COMICS AND STORYBOARDS

Instructions

- You're a comic book artist/writer and to help distract people at home, your boss has asked you to make a short comic about: your life in quarantine, what you want to do when you leave, or a subject of your choice.
- Your comic should tell a story, not just be a single image joke.

But I can't draw!

- Draw using very simple stick figures and use dialogue to make it interesting. xkcd uses a very simple style, but uses lots of dialogue.
- Use images that already exist! Dinocomics is a comic that uses the same art every single day and only the text changes. You can even use your photos, there are many free photo comic makers you can use online.
- Rewrite a well-known comic to change the story. You can do this by changing the image, writing new dialogue (see Dinocomics), or mixing different mediums together. Garfield has many different variations that all change the story in a new way.
- Possible APPS/websites: PIXTON , STORYBOARDTHAT .

Comics are boring, I want something more dynamic:

- Make a video using storyboards! Draw your pictures or use Photoshop to create a story with some short dialogue.
- Make a Flipbook and explain how you made it.
- Read a book: use the images from a book and record yourself making different voices for different characters. Reading Rainbow has lots of stories like this! If you don't have any English books, you can translate one of your books from Spanish and use the images!

More inspiration and suggestions for topics

- Educational: Malaka Gharib on the Coronavirus and spending a day thinking about germs
- Tell an old story: retell a classic story in a new way.

Specific requirements:

- Comic: scan it (you can use a scanning application on your phone) and send it in a PDF format. Make sure the dialogue is clear and you put your name on the page.
- Video: send it using the same format as the Influencer video project and put your name in the video.
- Reading a book: show the original book cover and use the pictures from it when reading.

IMPORTANT: send the finished project to Francis at francisdieterle@sasr.es and to Sergio at sergiocustodio@sasr.es before 11th May

Your mark will be determined based on this rubric:

CATEGORY	DESCRIPTION	YOUR SCORE	POSSIBLE SCORE
Entertainment /telling a story	Visuals and dialogue are creative and fun to read.		3
Images	Images are original. If you use stock photos or pictures from the internet or rewrite a comic, the images should work with the new story. DO NOT JUST COPY MEMES.		3
Language use	The English you use is *original* (DO NOT COPY ANYTHING FROM THE INTERNET) and appropriate for your level. If you make a video, you will be marked on pronunciation, fluency, and accuracy of language.		4
Total			**10**