Flash Fiction Stories

A friend for everyone
One beautiful morning in 3020 a professor sat lonely and sad. He had no friends because everybody thought he was mad! But that day he had a life-changing idea. A metal, mechanical masterpiece, his very own squirrel friend. Although it is a robot, it acts just like a real squirrel. Soon this little animal was so smart that it could clone itself. Eventually there were millions of squirrels. So many that everyone in the world had a friend and no one was sad.

The Future
An invasion of flowers, they grew everywhere, over the rubble and the rust. The crowd cheered as they watched them grow. They cheered at the amber roses, representing change.

It was oddly calming, the bliss that came as the flowers grew...

“It seems so foreign...doesn’t it?” Inquired the oracle from beside her.

“Everyone so peaceful, standing hand in hand.”

She nodded.

It was a strange sight. Seeing everyone equal. Everyone happy.

“But why do we find this foreign?” The girl asked. “This is how the world should be.”

The oracle smiled.

“And soon it will...”

The Lost Boy
There was a boy in 2200 and he was in the first ever wooden rocket-ship. It took 30 years to make it, surely it wouldn't fail, right? That’s what everyone thought! One worker didn't concentrate and that meant that he put the wrong engine in and now it would only make it half way to Mars!

The big day came. The boy got in the rocket-ship. Everything was fine for the first part of the trip. Then it started falling. The boy woke up and jumped out of the rocket-ship. All around him was darkness!

Daniel O’Flynn
Age 8
Crathes School
FIRST PRIZE in the Children’s Flash Fiction Competition

Lexi Nicholls
Age 11
Rosehearty School
RUNNER UP in the Children’s Flash Fiction Competition

Alfie McLean
Age 11
Port Elphinstone School
RUNNER UP in the Children’s Flash Fiction Competition
"George send me the digging robot," shouted Sophia an archaeologist from 4033, a few seconds later a robot appeared. Sophia and George are both archaeologists from 4033 except instead of digging up bones the sig up things from years like 2020. Digging robot hit something, a large tube it had do not open before 4030 it was 4033. quickly they opened it and realised it as a time casual from 2021 it had a thing in it a package it was labelled Jewlery huh it was full of gold and diamonds emeralds and amethysts.

The turkey and the sandwich shop

There once was a turkey that wanted a sandwich but not any sandwich a subway sandwich. So, he drove over to subway with £20 and as he stepped through the door, he could smell the moisture and the grease of the golden sandwich containing the most absorbent of meat and the shiniest tomatoes. No one knew the recipe no one knew the meat. The only thing people knew is when a turkey comes into that subway it would never come back out. Fortunately, that turkey realised at that moment he had to get out.

In the future

In the future, animals will have human voice boxes so that they can communicate with us in a language we can understand. Animals are going to have robot wings and a super cool futuristic helmet. People will mutate animals with other animals and we will have cats with wings!

One day, in the future, hunting and poaching animals will be banned! Harmful microbes will be eliminated through vaccines. And all living species will live together in peace and harmony, like it should be right now on this day!

Future-scape Tiny story in 100 words

In the future a girl called Elizabeth was born, she was shiny and silver like every other person in the world. Elizabeth grew into a lovely girl, with all her friends called Ella, Bob and Steven. Elizabeth also had a pet horse with wings called Lily. One day Elizabeth rode Lily with her friends in the beautiful, pink sky. Elizabeth landed at a restaurant in the sky. The guy who worked there was called Robert. Robert pressed a button, and the food came out. They put the food on their wrists and pressed a button and they tasted the food in their mouths.
The Flying Cars

It's the year 2121, scientist and car mechanic Jim John is finishing his latest invention. It's a flying car! He and his family have been working on it since lockdown in 2020. It has passed down generations, with lots of families included! They made ten others to get to this moment. This is a mementos moment in history!

Ten thousand people have come to see the grand reveal! There are going to be millions made like this, so that everyone that would like one can have one, so they can travel the world like Jim!

Future Planet!

Tens of thousands of years in the future, a sloth that we know by the name Sally, is no longer slow! As global warming advanced, Sally adapted. She now absorbs heat from the sun, which she transforms into energy and now does everything at super speed.

Daily, Sally looks for food. She must swim from one small Island to another, as most of the planet is under water. Trees do not grow that tall now so for Sally it’s like sleeping in a bush. I wish we had looked after the planet when we had the chance!

2121

I stepped out of the hovercraft time machine, and onto a smooth, black road, and looked around. Aberdeen in 2121 looked strange.

I wandered around staring in amazement. All around me were suspended monorails and multicolour roads that went in every possible direction. I realised I was at the Lang Stracht. It was different. Lined with skyscrapers and blinding lights, it seemed like a never-ending dark line in a sea of lights. The sky was earthy-brown. Billows of factory smoke, just visible beyond the skyscrapers, made breathing difficult. ‘When I go back’, I thought, ‘I’ll have to do something.’

100 years later

Ships now cruise the seas. Now not running on oil but extra-powerful solar panels. The ships glide over the oceans, gathering up and re-using plastic that the people a century ago dumped there.

Cars too now use solar panels. But there are no roads. Cars now float in the air, leaving more room for wild-life parks and zoos.

Meanwhile, in the science lab, scientist are busy working on a brand-new invention. An invention that can retrieve and reproduce extinct animals (except dinosaurs). This all happened because the kids fixed the grown-ups mistakes. Kids who listened to scientist.
C-4 2121
As I left the local corner shop I double tapped on my wings and spread them out. The metal clinked and clanked as my rusting left wing extended. I soared up to the clouds and used what little energy I had left to fly over to Erin’s house. I typed 11 Broad Street into my digital sat-nav. Suddenly, a lean man with honey brown hair stopped me. "Where are you flying off to, little girl?" he asked. "I’m 15 and what’s it to you?" I shot back. "A bomb has been set off in Broad Street," he replied.

Helen Rennie
Age 11
Rosehearty School

2031
BANG! went the hammer. “I think it’s ready” said Thomas as he hit the big red button.
Thomas was a mad scientist and loved to invent impossible things like the time machine he had just finished.
“Now or never” he said, as he dialled the time machine to 2031.
The time machine whooshed through the atmosphere and landed with a thump. “Wow” said Thomas, “I have a beard, there is flying cars and play station 19’s!”.
Thomas explored this amazing new world. He didn’t want to go home anytime soon.

Thomas Short
Age 11
Rosehearty School

A Trillion Years from Now
In a trillion years from now I feel earth will simply not exist.
Earth with become fragments of rock floating in our solar system.
We will no longer need to worry about social distancing or coronavirus, social issues such as climate change, the environment and black live matter will be a distant memory.
We will no longer live in fear of damaging our planet earth.
Thinking of this make me sad and realise we should treasure the small things we take for granted. Tell our loved ones we love them and save our wonderful, beautiful planet.

Amy Irvine
Age 11
Rosehearty School

Safe Place
Jake was out of breath from running. They were right behind him, what was he going to do? He turned into a dimly lit alley and spotted a bin, he threw himself in to it. There he sighed with relief as he watched through a crack in the bin. When they were gone, he climbed out of the bin. Suddenly he saw a bit of paper move. He walked toward the bit of paper and lifted it up and under it was the smallest, the cutest puppy ever. He picked up the pup and ran home to safety.

Kinvara Dufton
Age 9
Crathes School
**Into the Future**

Now it is 6056 and there are smart houses, robots that can do everything, flying cars and super tall grey buildings as tall as the clouds. Outside the plants are growing fast because a robot stands there and gives the plants water and plenty of light. Inside the houses when it gets dark the lights go on and the curtains close automatically. When dogs and cats need to go outside, the back door opens for them automatically. When you come in the house the doors lock behind you. Everything is done! You don’t need to think!

Christopher Kelman  
Age 10  
Port Elphinstone Primary School

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**Alien Invasion**

Emily woke up with a fright. There was a little green alien sitting on her bed. He looked cute so she decided she wasn’t scared. The alien took her into his spaceship. Once it landed she jumped, looking around. Everything was weird. She was still at home but 200 years in the future! Her house was upside down and the grass was pink. Emily thought it was funny and she liked it. She kept on falling because everything was upside down. The alien then took her back. Emily enjoyed her trip and looked forward to the future.

Ellie Cruikshank  
Age 10  
Port Elphinstone Primary School

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**Combing The Prime Ministers Hair**

In the year 2069 3 men hatched a plan to comb the Prime Minister’s, John Borisson’s, hair. First they would kidnap him, then they would tie him to a chair and finally comb his hair. The men went to Downing Street and found John Borisson. They kidnapped him and took him to Manchester. They took him in to a building with an empty room, tied him to a chair and started to comb his hair. This was being broadcasted on live television. John Borissson was so embarrassed his hair was combed, he died of embarrassment.

Dougal Kierulff  
Age 11  
Port Elphinstone Primary School

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**2151**

Dear diary, I’m called Aztec and I am ten. I live in sunny Aberdeen with my parents and two smelly, annoying brothers Mercury and Beiber. Our lives are so different now from 2021 which I learnt about today in history class. Cars now fly in the sky: we don’t have roads now even though that would have been pretty cool. There are no keys to get into our houses either, we use voice control. The weather in 2021 had four seasons but now it’s hot all year due to climate change (thanks NOT, Ancestors). I’m glad it’s 2151.

Ellie Mathieson  
Age 10  
Port Elphinstone Primary School
Into the future
I slowly opened my eyes, confused as to where I was or what had happened to me. I laid on the ground, around me were tall metal sky scrapers, flying cars and cats. The sky was dark and cloudy, the ground felt cold and sandy like I was on a beach.
I got up. I need to find someone to help me. Walking around, I could see jet pack rental stores and the dentists were all robot dentist machines. I shouted for help and a cat responded, “I can help”.
A talking cat?

Cyber City
The city is made out of technology. The date of this year is 2050 and the world is called Hyperpunk. By 2050 our planet will be a vastly different place: artificial intelligence will be everywhere. Stores will allow you to purchase goods without cashiers or waiting lines, robots will diagnose and treat patients and manage transportation. A.I chatBOTS and voice recognition systems will sound like and behave like real people. Robot dogs and other pets will serve as companions. Robots will dominate factories and began to serve as teachers, cooks, police, actors and athletes.

Farhan Shaikh Aryan
Age 10
Port Elphinstone Primary School

Stun Land
Once upon a time there were three pirates but here is the twist! They were good pirates. They lived on an island called Stun Land.
There were three chests: in each one there was a stun gun and the chest reset every 24 hours. Also in the chest were swords. All three pirates ran to the boat. The boat was covered in seaweed and the wood was rotten. That was their hiding spot when there were enemies across the sea. It was a 3v3. They all had stun guns and swords. The good pirates won the battle.

John A Kinnon
Age 10
Port Elphinstone Primary School

Robot-World
100 years ago there were no Robots but now there is. They’ are guards! You are locked in your house. You are only allowed outside for shopping and that is it! They take your cars then chuck them in the ocean. The military are trying to stop the robots taking over the world by bombing them. Someone is able to make them come back to life again. There is a mad scientist living in Italy who is trying to make this happen. He is becoming quite successful and the robots are slowly re-appearing in different places in the world.

Jorden Ritche
Age 10
Port Elphinstone Primary School
Electronic World
It was another day in another week. I can’t believe how much the world has changed in the past 9 years. There’s flying submarine cars with missiles! They are even powered by electricity. At first I thought the cars were magic but then I found out that a scientist made it his job to build it. I heard it took him 5 years! It did make the world smaller but in a good way. Before we had flying cars we just had polluting cars running on diesel. The Earth has really cleaned up in those 9 years.

Matthew Whyte
Age 11
Port Elphinstone Primary School

World War Three
It was a cold and rainy day in March 28th 4040. I was in my trench holding my grenade launcher, my pump shotgun resting in my lap. It’s about nine months into this war. I’m a twelve year old boy fighting in a war!
If you think that is crazy, just wait until you hear how it started.
It was a hot summer’s day and there was a tiny little argument between Scotland and America’s Mr President!
Jim Cortswell lost a game of Rock, Paper, Scissors with our prime minister!
Yes! That’s all that happened! Go figure!

Libby Hogg
Age 11
Port Elphinstone Primary School

Abandoned City
The year is 2022, Covid is still not over and travellers from around the world still visit the capital city, London. They have forgotten how dangerous Covid is, so they think they don’t have to wear masks. The heat is so scalding that your mouth gets dry, causing you to cough and spread the virus. Since Covid is so deadly, the prime minister ordered everyone to leave. London became the abandoned city. Walking in London became illegal: imagine walking all alone, feeling frightened, no-one to help. The streets were eerily odd - it felt like a nightmare.

Viktoria Lepaslauskaite
Age 10
Port Elphinstone Primary School

When The World Fell Silent
I woke up to an eerie feeling. It was too dark. Half asleep, I looked at my clock: 25th October 3021.
WHAT ON EARTH HAS HAPPENED???
I have been placed in the future. What will I find?
There are no humans, just me. But something else is here with me. The beasts!
I felt fear. Suddenly ... silence. Every scary beast stood side by side in front of me, and bows.
It dawned on me ....I was their queen! That’s why I’m here.
So as a queen, I shall rule the earth with my beasts.

Paige Fraser
Age 12
Port Elphinstone Primary School
The Storm
In the year 3031, Inverurie was a small town with a population of only 31. A storm was brewing that was supposed to be really bad.
“James,” said Henry, “why don’t we chase the storm?”
James agrees and the arranged to meet at the corner of their street later that night.
That night they met at the corner and rode their bikes to the big training field used for football games.
There was thunder and lightning and heavy, heavy rain.
“Henry, let’s follow the clouds.”
The boys struggled to keep up. There was something in the clouds!

Global Warming Solved!!
Breaking news!
In the year 2121 a scientist called Melvin Herman solved global warming!!! Billions will survive because of this man's invention. Over to Alex Martin interviewing Melvin Herman.
AM: "Hello... just a few questions for you... Firstly, what did you use to make the device that saved billions?"
MH: " I used strong steel, shiny copper and old wood - anything I could get my grubby hands on really!"
AM: "Where did you make it?"
MH: "I made the device in a little town in Scotland called Inverurie."
AM: "We all appreciate your hard work!"

Flying Ice Cream
One day in 2121 Poppy was walking her spotty dog called Max. She walked past the ice cream shop. She turned back to look at the menu filled with delicious ice cream flavours. She spotted her favourite Lemon cake ice cream. She ran into the ice cream shop with her dog Poppy and ordered her favourite and it flew from the freezer into an edible sweet boat. The banana sauce squinted itself to her ice cream. Poppy and Max dashed into her rainbow car which had flown there to take her home.
Meerkat Ninjas

It was a damp day in January 4094. The town was in deep danger. The sun had dissolved and Jupiter was the only thing left.

The civilians were running out of food, then bam! Three little creatures bust through a window: Ninja Meerkats. They had a food supply that would last them till the world ended. They threw bags of food on the streets but in the bags were bombs!

POW!

Everyone was gone and only pets roamed the streets. Not normal dogs and cats, these were robots! Not a single living thing except one frightened man!

A Ghost in p6/7

It was a cold and wet day in Port Elphinstone the boys and girls were in school. The classroom was light and airy then it started to get dark and darker. The light bulb BANGED! They all got a scare. The children started to shout for the teachers, “Mrs Allan, Mrs Sinclair. Where are you?” They had vanished. So the children grouped together and walked through the school. They came across Mrs Simpson who told them to get back to class. The children said, ‘We are scared! They have gone.’ She said, ‘Who?’ ‘The teachers!’

How pollution is affecting the world

It’s Harris’ 10th birthday. He’s so excited to spend the day with his friends. Harris loves the beach, but when he wakes up, he finds out that it’s closed! Because of all the plastic, it’s too dangerous. Harris is now 60. Today, he was forced to leave his house as the sea level had risen so high, it had come over the harbour walls and there was no sign of it decreasing. Harris’ great X10 grandchildren now live on Mars, as the old Earth was too polluted to live on.

Reduce, Reuse, Recycle, Repeat

Brent Hogg
Age 11
Port Elphinstone Primary School

Cameron Matheson
Age 11
Port Elphinstone Primary School

Charlie Bomphrey
Age 10
Port Elphinstone Primary School
2121
It was the year 2121 a lot has changed. There are flying cars, The rain is rainbow and we all live in nuclear bunkers but there is more, the aliens have visited 10 times now and food is now just a little pill, every day we have to take our dog on the treadmill for a walk. When we go to school we have to wear face masks and sanatize our hands every 10 minutes and every human being has been on the moon and we have made a space base on the moon.
THE END

2121
It is 2121, we all have computer chips in our head, the world has been taken over by nature. The world has been split into two districts, District One is the poor district all just nature and ruins, while the other side is the light city where everyone is either rich or lucky... or so they think. While District One has beautiful jungles and forests, the light city has no nature and everyone has bad asthma and has to drink air like water. Suddenly the light city became a wasteland because of no air and District one kept shining.

Barnaby's wild imagination
Our story begins in 100,000 year time, when the world will have giant robotic dinosaurs with party poppers that shoot out confetti on the back of them. Their main talent is that they can operate flying cars. On a bright sunny day a dinosaur took off and lost control, He ended up on Mars! When he landed he realised there was life on Mars, and was excited to explore until a meteor hit Mars and created a large magical portal. which led him to an amazing enchanted forest full of cute little cute animals and beautiful flowers.

Gone
Hi I’m Enid My stepdad owns Italy’s only outdoor mango farm. We used to grow citrus but it’s too hot now
I saw Jimmy a harvester robot, he said have you heard the news robots keep disappearing
I was shocked I went to tell my stepdad but he didn’t care. I had a idea; me and Jimmy would set a trap that night Jimmy took the nightshift I was hiding in a mango tree I just turned around.
Jimmy was GONE!!!!
I jumped from my hiding place then I saw a robot running away into the night I followed!
Holiday

Raining. I hang my electronic umbrella over my head. The forecast said it was sunny when we arrived at Heathrow Airport. Our suitcases bulging with clothes and sun cream, Mum, Dad, Sis and I boarded the plane. “Hurry up!” complained Sis. I could tell she was getting annoyed by a hold up. A robot came along and took our stuff. “Let’s go!” said Dad, questionably. “It’s nice and sunny,” exclaimed Mum, cheerfully. The rest of us laughed. She didn’t know that we all had VR headsets on. I like it when we stay at home but still enjoy it.

Scott Penny
Age 11
Arnage Primary School

Crazy Monsters

Crazy Monsters were flying through space
Eating toast with marmalade
Crash landing on beaches and bashing into trees
Jumping out of the window shouting
Whoop eeeeee!
Having a great time and jumping around
Throwing chocolate all over the place SP L A T!
They only stop to tie their laces.
They were proud of their outfits: colourful jackets and stripy pants,
Curly hats and knitted socks.
Crazy Monsters never sad, never cross
Never saying they were the boss.
Crazy Monsters are the BEST
You have a good chance of seeing one
They really stand out from the rest!

Rollo Foster
Age 9
Crathes School

In One Hundred Years Time...

A girl called Ava discovers 10 new species. The most exciting new species will be a Rainian - it is a rainbow creature that lives in the clouds. Three headed dogs will be in pet stores causing lots of trouble and will be on newspapers. It will not rain as much as it does in 2021. There will be a new weather called cloudfall and will be clouds falling from the sky. They feel like stuffing from a teddy and make you feel happy. Finally, plants will grow as high as Christmas trees.

Ava
Age 9
100 Years from Now

2121...

The world, only twenty percent land, lay in space, the same planet, but oh, so different. Once upon a time the world was home to 7 billion people, now over twenty billion humans inhabited its land. Down on a small island, formerly known as Scotland, the streets were crowded. The sky was grey, and the light was dim even though the island was facing the sun, tilted high on the earth's axis. There were no trees, not even one. Oxygen was scarce, which made life difficult. Global warming had affected the world badly...

Erin Dempster
Age 11

An Alien SpaceCraft and the future

The spacecraft juddered and stopped. Out climbed a young girl called Katie. Katie was an eight year old girl with a little cloud of ginger curls. Her beautiful green eyes lit up. She was in the future!

She was in the middle of a crowded town center. Katie gasped the buildings were all sorts of colours. There was a green grocers. She went inside the shop. The shelves were stoked full of everything green. "How do I get back home?" Katie asked. "Why you swim, of course." Katie then saw ... she had a tail!

Jessica Strong
Age 10

PLASTIC PLANET!

The year 4026 and everything is plastic, plastic, plastic!

Every day I turn a corner hoping to see a lovely world full of beautiful skies, pink cherry blossoms and huge green leaves; but no, it’s all plastic.

When I go to the beach and look out to sea, I remember the cold waves crashing against my toes. Now I look around to see the scarred, littered shores.

The sparkling, white snow that I once sledged on doesn’t fall any more. Instead, hot, melting plastic covers mountains.

Life is dying. When will we save ourselves from this plastic planet?

Layla McGunnigle
Age 9
Urystsied Primary
The cheese planet which is only cheese

Zack Elrick
Age 10

One day it was raining cheese, did you guess by the title it was on a planet that is only cheese. Everything, even people, animals but except one thing that arrived that day, it was no girl or boy it was an... alien.
The cheese people were terrified of the three headed alien with fifteen burning red eyes. All except this five year old cheese child that was wanting to say hello and make a new friend. He went up to the alien and said hello and then everyone wanted to be friends.

Fluffkins

Abigail Urquhart
P5
Tarland Primary School

There was a fluffy kitten called Fluffkins. She was the cutest ever. She was a rare breed that meant her fur grew fluffier every day. Her mum told her she should wash herself especially behind her ears. Fluffkins didn’t like her mums rules, especially didn’t like washing. Every day she got dirtier. Her ears started to fill with gunk and she couldn’t hear her mum calling. One day she was having so much fun she didn’t hear her mum shout “STOP!“. As she was hit by a bus.

Listen to your mum and always wash behind your ears.

Bowfer Comes Home

Roderick Anderson
Age 10

In the year 2957 I am still alive after drinking a live forever potion. I invented a teleporter and when I switched it on it made a portal to an identical dimension. The first thing that came out was my old dog Bowfer who was happy to see me. He suddenly barked 3 times and every famous person in all of history came to my house through the portal. Robert Downey Jr, Albert Einstein and Robert Burns all came through and had a cup of tea in my living room. It was ace!

The New Lamb

Abi Smith
Age 9

It was a sweltering hot day in the lambing field. It had already been a busy morning with new lambs. I could see a ewe on her side, she already had three lambs but she was still pushing. I rolled up my sleeves and lambed her. This lamb was tiny, black and it wouldn’t survive on its own. I wrapped it up in my jumper and ran back to the house, holding the lamb and laid it down beside the fire. The lamb was shaking, cold and I was scared. “Please don’t die little lamb!”
The Bigfoot Catch

Bobby heard a roar. He looked in the woods to see if he could find where the roar came from. He saw Bigfoot and got chased out of the Woods but he caught the Bigfoot on camera!!!! That night his friends went to make a trap it was a big metal cage with a door and some bait. They finally heard the bang. They got him !!!! When the excitement was all over of catching the bigfoot, Bobby decided to let him go, Delete his footage and to never just speak of it again.

Scott Allardyce
Age 9

A Dark Train Ride

Matthew, Jack and Phillip were on a train to Scotland for they’re holiday. Matthew had blonde hair and was very short, he had dark blue glasses that he kept pushing up. Jack was really short too but had green eyes and brown hair. Phillip had blue eyes was short and had ginger hair. As they went over a bridge it went dark when the light turned back on someone was gone!

“Phillip is gone!” yelled Matthew
“We need to find him! ” said Jack
Both boys grabbed they’re flashlight and went to find Phillip.

Matthew Watson
Age 10
Tarland Primary School

Jungle Jack

Jack trekked through the jungle, sweating and really hungry. Suddenly BOOM! he heard a giant!! Jack was scared he didn’t even look where he was going and tripped on a log and landed in the dirt. Later Jack had made camp next to a river, but suddenly the giant had returned but this time he heard people screaming. So he snuck in front of the giant and pulled out some rope tying it between two trees. The giant tripped and fell in a heap. Jack rescued the people and they fled in every direction disappearing into the jungle.

Dalton Buckley
Age 9

Emma Grant
Age 9
Tarland Primary School

The Golden Labrador

Emma Grant
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