Teaching and Learning at St Philips' C of E Primary School

Class: Mr Talbot Year 5 Half Term: Autumn 2

Your child will be learning about the following this half term:

Writing

- To improve our writing, we will be delving into the fantastic Lost Happy Endings by Carol Ann Duffy. It is an unlikely fairy tale that focusses on Jub, a girl who lives in an enchanted forest who is responsible for making sure every story has a happy ending.
- We will use this book to write a diary entry from an unlikely perspective.



Numeracy

Statistics

Our first main topic is Statistics which will be covered for about 2.5 weeks. The pupils will learn all about bar graphs, tables and line graphs and how they can be used to better understand the fascinating world around us.

• Multiplication and Division

Throughout this topic, we will be learning brand new mathematical ideas and applying them in a number of ways. These new features include factors, prime numbers, square numbers and common factors.

Reading

 We continue our guided reading practice by looking at 6 different texts – all of which will help improve out retrieval, language choices, inference and general understanding of reading.

RE/PSHE

 RE will focus on the question 'What would Jesus do?' – looking particularly at questions of morality, love, compassion and forgiveness that have been taught in the Bible. We will also look at other religions' views of these concepts and how they compare.

Computing

 Y5 Pupils will get an in-depth computing curriculum where the aim will be to understand how automatic systems work and spotting them in our wide world.



Geography

- Our topic in geography focusses on the United Kingdom – specifically the change in our local environment.
- We will look at maps and do research into how our local environment has changed significantly in the past generations.

MFL

 In our French lessons, the year 5's will be perfecting their pronunciation and spelling of a variety of French vegetables (Les Legúmes). This may involve tasting some of these lovely vegetables towards the end of the half-term. Bon!

PΕ

- MUFC will continue to coach the pupils in outdoor games.
- In addition, the pupils will be learning a traditional Spanish dance for the halfterm. Just before Christmas, we will perform this dance for the entire school in an assembly. Vamos!