



Year Group: 3

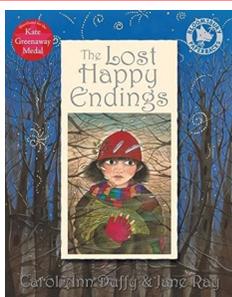
Term: Autumn 2

Teachers: Miss Hedley and Miss Jack

Literacy

Fiction: We will explore 'The Lost Happy Endings' by Carol Ann Duffy. The children will complete a range of reading, drama and writing activities linked to the story. They will also write their own five part story based on our class text.

Non-Fiction: Linked to our class story, 'The Lost Happy Endings', the children will write diary entries in role as the main character, Jub.



Geography: Are all settlements the same?

We will be exploring different types of settlements, land use and the difference between urban and rural. The children will describe the different human and physical features in their local area and make land use comparisons with New Delhi!



Design & Technology: Levers and Linkages



In our D&T lessons, we will be making moving posters. We will begin by evaluating existing products. Then, we will follow a design criteria to design, make and evaluate our own moving poster.

PSHE: Be Yourself

This unit aims to enable children to identify their strengths and achievements as well as to help them recognise different emotions. Children will explore how to express their thoughts and feelings respectfully and how to be assertive in uncomfortable situations.

Every Monday, we will work with Beth from the Mental Health Support Team to explore emotions & friendships.

Music

We will continue learning notes B, A and G on the recorder.



Computing

Our computing topic this half term is 'Communication and Collaboration'. Children will be introduced to email and a range of online digital tools.

Maths

We will learn to measure objects in mm, cm and m and practise converting amounts from one unit to another, as well as looking at volume and capacity. The children will also learn about right angles and begin to secure their knowledge of mental calculations for addition and subtraction.

Times Tables:

We will introduce the 3 times table and corresponding division facts.



French

We will learn how to count to 20 in French. We will also learn how to say the names of different colours and countries.



RE

In RE, we will be exploring how and why Advent is important to Christians.

PE: Gymnastics & Invasion Games

We will begin to practise our skills for various invasion games. In Gymnastics, we will perform a range of rolls with increasing control and create a sequence of movements.

Science: Light

This half term we will be exploring light in science. Children will learn about sources of light, why light is important and how light travels. We will learn about how light reflects and how some objects are opaque, translucent and transparent!



Key Vocabulary

opaque translucent transparent settlement rural urban mechanisms levers linkages