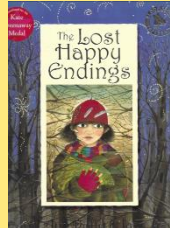


Autumn 1 Curriculum Overview for Year 4



This half term we shall be studying 'The Lost Happy Endings' by Carol Ann Duffy

We will be looking at these genres of writing:

- Setting Description
- 3rd person retell
- Alternative retell

English

In our Grammar lessons we shall be focusing on:

- Fronted adverbials with and without a comma
- Apostrophes to mark plural possession
- Conjunctions
- Punctuation

Our spelling patterns this half term are going to be:

- Homophones
- Prefix in
- Prefixes il, im and in
- Prefix sub
- Challenge words

Art

Our topic this term is: storytelling through drawing.

- How can I create visual notes for the artists Laura Carlin and Shaun Tan?
- How can I create an illustrated narrative in a single drawing?
- How can I build a story through a series of drawings?

Computing: Coding

- Introduction to Coding vocabulary
- IF statements
- Using coordinates
- To understand repeat until command
- Understanding Variables
- To create a playable game.

Mathematics

In our maths lessons we will be focussing on place value:

- Represent numbers to 1000
- Partition numbers to 1000.
- Number lines to 1000.

- Flexible partitioning of numbers to 10,000
- Find 1, 10, 100, and 1000 more and less
- Number lines to 10,000
- Estimate on a number line to 10,000
- Compare numbers to 10,000

- Round to the nearest 10
- Round to the nearest 100
- Round to the nearest 1000
- Round to the nearest 10, 100 or 1000

PSHE

Safe Relationships

- Can I distinguish between playful dares and hurtful behaviour?
- Can I explain confidentiality?
- Can I explain the difference between a bystander and a bully?
- Can I recognise online risks?

Geography

The Rhine and the Mediterranean

- The River Rhine
- Cologne: The city on the Rhine
- Rotterdam: the mouth of the Rhine
- The changing Rhine
- The Mediterranean Sea
- The Suez Canal

Languages

Latin

Meet the family

- An introduction to Roman Britain
- Name the family
- To understand the Greek Myth of Medusa
- To know how to read latin words related to birthdays.

Music: Musical Structures

How does Music bring us together?

Science

Animals including Humans

- Who eats what?
- Why are teeth different shapes?
- Which drink causes the most tooth decay?
- What are the different parts of the human digestive system?
- How does the process of digestion work?

History

The Roman republic

- Romulus the first king of Rome
- The Roman Republic
- Rome versus Carthage
- Hannibal's attack of Rome
- Scipio saves Rome
- Culture in the Roman republic

Physical Education

Fitness

- How can you beat your personal best?
- How can you improve your technique?
- How can you develop your strength?
- How can you keep balances?

RE

A Hindu story

- An ancient story
- Four sons of Ayodhya
- Rama and Sita leave the kingdom
- Rama, Sita and the demon Ravana
- Rama and Sita return

