



# Roby Park Half Term Curriculum Overview

Year 5 Autumn 2-2016

## English

- Reading "The Butterfly Lion" and other stories by Michael Morpurgo.
- Daily opportunities to improve reading skills will be provided across the curriculum.
- Basic skills - spelling, sentence structure grammar and punctuation
- Writing - character studies, responses to literature and poetry.
- Michael Morpurgo is the featured author for year 5.

## Physical Education

- Team games with Everton in the Community. PE kit needed this  $\frac{1}{2}$  term.
- Swimming (Thursday am groups notified of their turn).

## French

- Basic French vocabulary and phrases inked to Christmas. (Joyeur Noel)
- Christmas songs

## Music

- Don't Stop Believing Charanga music (Rock)
- Christmas carols and songs

## Science, History, Geography, Art, D&T and ICT

- **Science** Forces - understand that force and motion can be transferred through mechanical devices such as pulleys levers and springs.
- **Computing:** "Web Designers" examining different websites to find good and bad features... creating your own webpage.
- **History:** Looking at British history through the politics behind the "Gunpowder Plot" and Poetry of Remembrance.
- **Geography:** Name and locate counties and cities in the United Kingdom.
- **Art:** LS. Lowry examining the style of this British artist and focusing on adopting some of his ideas to demonstrate perspective.

## Mathematics

- Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division will be covered on a rolling programme using age related targets as appropriate.
- Mental maths strategies, consolidation of number facts.
- Problem solving using knowledge of number, capacity, geometry using, where possible, real life situations.
- Compare and order fractions, adding and subtracting fractions. Converting decimals to fractions and vice versa.
- Statistics through topic work.

## SMSC British Values and RE

- "Getting on and Falling Out"
- R.E. Christianity, Christmas in Art

## Homework

- **English/Maths:** Homework is set to consolidate skills taught in class. Sent out on a Monday to be returned by the following Tuesday.
- **Reading:** To be practiced regularly. Books are changed when necessary.