## 52 Kid in a Bin scheme of work



## Task 1 - Phobia research

- ✓ Find out what a phobia is.
- ✓ Have you or anyone in your family got a phobia?
- √ Where do phobias come from? How do you 'get' a phobia?
- ✓ Can they be cured?
- ✓ How many phobias do you know of?
- ✓ Are there any weird or surprising ones?

## Task 1 - Extension research - word origins

Find out where the following words came from (their origin):

- Claustrophobia
- Agoraphobia
- hydrophobia
- arachnophobia
- Now choose 3 phobias of your own and find out the origin of the word.

## Task 2 - Phobia report

Now you take everything that you have learned about phobias and use your own words to explain them to others. You should have:

- An eye-catching front cover.
- A contents page which lists the phobias you'll be discussing in order.
- A general introduction on what phobias are, where the word originated from and what it means, how you develop a phobia and whether you can get help...

- At least 3 phobias discussed fully, such as how they affect sufferers physically and impact on their lives.
- A bibliography which lists where you got your information.

Once you have finished the report, you are ready to read the short story, Kid in a Bin, by Robert Carter.



Now work your way through the PowerPoint answering questions then moving on to the final tasks. You can choose to do the essay, the missing person poster or a storyboard. Or, you could be extra impressive and do all 3!