



Year 6 - Autumn term 1

What are we learning...



ENGLISH

In English, the children will be writing a letter from the viewpoint of a World War II evacuee (leaving the bustling streets of London to go to the countryside). Children will also write a setting description of war-torn London during The Blitz.

MATHS

In Maths, the children will be revising their knowledge of place value and then focusing closely on numbers, more specifically on all four operations.

SCIENCE

In Science, the children will be learning about living things and their habitats. They will explore how different animals and plants are suited to their environments.

HISTORY/GEOGRAPHY

In History, we will be learning about the impact of World War II- who was involved, why it happened, where it took place and who the Allies and Axis forces were.

MUSIC

In Music, the children will be performing rhythm grid compositions, keeping a steady beat and playing their instruments accurately.



ART/DT

In DT, children will be constructing a 3D framework and compare the strengths between square and triangular frameworks with the aim of creating an Anderson Shelter.

COMPUTING

The children will learn about computing systems and networks including communication and collaboration.

RE

In Hinduism, the children will be learning about the life journey of people who practice the religion, including key stages within this.

MFL

The children will be learning the names of clothing and school items in French.

PSHE

The children will discuss their future goals and learn about the universal rights of all children as part of our 'Being Me in My World' topic.

PE

- Gymnastics
- Basketball



MESSAGES

- Our PE days are Mondays and Thursdays.
- Each day, children must bring: a water bottle (water only, not juice); their reading book and reading diary and a raincoat.
- Children are allowed to wear stud earrings but these must either be removed, or covered with tape, during PE lessons (this is following health & safety guidelines).
- All other jewellery is not permitted.
- Please be aware that makeup, nail polish and dyed hair are not allowed at school.