

Communication, Language and Literacy

In English we will be looking at both real and fictional texts about the war. These texts will help inspire us in our writing of: a suspense story; descriptive antonym poetry; diaries and biographies.

In addition to this, we will continue to speak, read and write in French.

Problem Solving, Reasoning and Numeracy

In maths we will be developing our understanding of: fractions, decimals and percentages, as well as further consolidating our knowledge of the four operations, in particular, multiplication and division.

We will be using a range of practical resources and maths pictures related to our theme of WW2 and will have a new set of Maths Missions to investigate! We will also generate and explore maths problems related to storybooks from our topic.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

In RE we will be exploring the question of: Why do some people believe in God and some people not?



WORLD AT WAR



Dear parents,

We hope you had an enjoyable Christmas holiday. For Spring term 2020, Class 3 are looking at the events of World War 2. This topic map outlines some of the things we will be learning but we will also learn about things that the children express an interest in.

Children will have their new Home:School logs to record what they have worked on for their homework each week which is to include work on Spelling Shed, Times Tables Rockstars and reading at least 5 times a week. The children are expected to go on both Spelling Shed and Times Tables Rockstars between 3-5 minutes a day on both applications. Please sign the record when you share reading with your child at home, as we would not be able to count it as read if not done. Please also sign your child's log at the end of each week and use it to communicate with school. Home:School logs and reading books are required in school on a daily basis.

The children are allowed named sports-style drinks bottles in class containing water or squash only. Please do not send children with recycled bottles or with unscrewable caps. Children have been provided with named equipment, including pencils, pens and rulers. It is your child's responsibility to look after this equipment and if lost will need to be replaced from home.

Please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions and we look forward to an exciting and successful term with you all.

Mr Grosvenor, Mrs Lee, Mrs Palmer and Mrs Groom

Physical Development

In PE we will be developing our skills of hockey and dance. As such the children should have their full PE kit with them each day.

Creative Development

In music we will be developing our knowledge of pitch and applying what we have looked at this year so far into further developing our singing voice.

In art we will be exploring different perspectives and textures whilst designing a new product.

In D&T we will be developing our practical skills with electrical circuits to design and create a new form of alarm clock.

Knowledge and Understanding of the World

In history we will be investigating how the war effected the world as well our local area, but exploring key events that occurred throughout the war.

In computing we will be developing our knowledge of computer networks, staying safe online, as well as developing an interactive digital toy.

In science we will be investigating electricity and exploring key scientists and inventors throughout history.