

Year Six Topic Overview

Autumn Term 2

Teachers: Mrs Whittingham, Mr Witkowski and Mrs San Andres

Teaching Assistant: Miss Phillips and Miss Fenton-Shepherd

The topic for this term is World War One

English

Biography: Walter Tull

Free Verse Poetry - World War One

Guided Reading texts: Private Peaceful, War Horse and The Ghost of the Trenches and Other Stories

Spelling, punctuation and grammar.

Handwriting.

Maths

Fractions

Measurement - Imperial and metric measures

Ratio and Proportion

Science

Living things and their habitats

Working Scientifically

Computing

We are computational thinkers

Music

Dynamics, pitch and texture (Fingal's Cave)

History

World War 1 main events

Start and end of WW1

Life in the trenches

Local history study

French

At School - A l'école

Religious Education

Christianity

Art

Drawing - different art styles, exploring effects with tools, understanding and applying chiaroscuro, and creating symbolic and expressive drawings.

Physical Education

Outdoor Adventurous Activity

Gymnastics

PSHE

Celebrating differences

Helping with work at home:

- Times tables up to 12 and number bonds.
- Learning year 5/6 spellings.
- Reading (Please write in the reading record books to let us know how your child is getting on with the books he/she is taking home).
- Telling the time - analogue and digital clocks.
- Money - coins, value and change, real life experiences.
- Board games e.g. Scrabble and Boggle.

Important Information -

MyMaths homework is set on a Wednesday and is due in the following Wednesday.

Our PE days are Wednesday-(Swimming) and Friday (OAA) so please make sure full kit is worn into school on these days.