

Year 5 and 6: World War Two

Science: In Science we will be continuing investigating materials and carrying out fair tests and the children will report and present their findings from enquiries. We will be looking at and creating circuits. The children will be able to associate the brightness of a lamp or the volume of a buzzer with the number and voltage of cells used in the circuit. The children will use recognised symbols when representing a simple circuit in a diagram.

Art and DT: In Art we will be focusing on shading techniques and line drawings. We will analyse, plan and draw an emotive piece of art to represent feelings in WW2.

We are going to plan and make Anderson shelters and will have a go at making and trying out WW2 recipes.

History: In History we will be learning about WW2.

We will be learning about when and why WW2 started. We will learn about The Blitz, keeping people safe, Evacuees, Rationing, the Holocaust and everyday lives during WW2. We are lucky enough to visit the 'We'll Meet Again' Museum and have a hands on experience as well as visiting local RAF bases.

In Geography we will focus on allies and axes and extend our map work to look at countries involved in the war.

P.E.

Indoor PE will be Gymnastics, using apparatus and focusing on flight.

Outdoor PE will be Invasion games with a focus on attack and defence. The children will be learning Quick Sticks Hockey skills.

Music: In Music children will learn songs sung in WW2. The children will be analysing the lyrics and performing the songs. They will get a chance to compose their own WW2 song.

Computing: In computing we are focusing on e- safety. This will focus on communicating kindly and respectfully.

R.E.

In R.E. we will be learning about Sikhism and will be answering a key question - Are Sikh stories important today?

We were lucky to have a Sikh Visitor from the Guru Nanak Gurdwara from Scunthorpe to talk to us about his religion.

Our new value is Service.

Please remember to bring your Reading Diaries and Spelling Books every day. Homework will be set on a Friday and due in by the following Wednesday. Any questions or worries, please do not hesitate to pop in and see us.