

Year 6 Newsletter

A Child's War

This half term children will be exploring World War II. Children will be travelling back to 1939 to live life on the Homefront.

The children will be looking at the famous diary of Anne Frank, and will also be experiencing what it would have been like to live through events such as the Blitz.

As part of the topic, children will be creating work inspired by Henry Moore and will create pictures of the Blitz using a range of media.



"Floor Books"

We are excited to approach our topic in a way in which children lead their own learning. The children will be working in pairs to create an A4 book based on their findings linked to the topic.

Children will be given questions about WWII. They will then conduct research in order to find information that answers these questions. The children will decide, in their pairs, how they wish to present their information. Working in this manner, will help the children develop a range of skills. Teamwork, computing skills, note taking and communication skills will all be covered during this project.

Reading

Reading is an integral part of the curriculum and allows children to explore all subjects. Being an active reader, enhances learning in every aspect.

Therefore, it is essential that the children read regularly at home. We expect them to take their reading books home every evening and complete Renaissance Reading quizzes frequently.

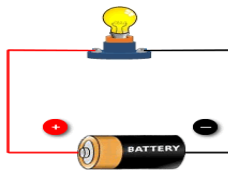
We appreciate your support with encouraging the children to read at home and hope this support continues.

Congratulations to the pupils who have already achieved 30 Renaissance Reading points!



Science

In science, children will be studying electricity. They will learn how to construct simple circuits and will discover what happens when they add different components.



Remembrance Day



Poppy Appeal

Poppies will be available for the children to wear in school for a small donation.