

Science

We shall be studying light. In this topic our focus will be on the principles of light travelling in straight lines, as well as transparent, translucent and opaque materials.

In Term 2, the children will further their understanding of electricity from Year 4, focusing on components within a circuit and how these can be adapted for different outcomes.

Computing

The children will be developing their understanding of PowerPoint and Scratch animation. Throughout the year the children will be reminded of the rules of internet safety, and their responsibility to act in a thoughtful and secure manner.

Art & Design Technology

Our Design Technology will be linked to our learning of World War II, in particular 'make do and mend'. The children will be learning different sewing techniques in order to design and create their own 'make do and mend' project. In art, the children will have the opportunity to use a variety of media to produce artwork in the style of Henry Moore. This will improve their mastery of many techniques such as drawing and painting.

Year 6 Term 1 and 2 2022



Enquiry based Learning Project

In our two terms, we're going to be focusing on History, Science and Geography.

Term 1: 'War – what is it good for?'

We will be studying the causes and effects of the Second World War.

Term 2: 'Standing Firm'

How was Britain able to stand firm against the threat from overseas?

Music

In music this term, the children will be investigating and enjoying the music and dance of the Wartime era. They will learn the dances which accompanied many of these 1940's songs.

History

The children will be given the opportunity to extend their chronological knowledge by studying the Second World War. The children will learn about a wide range of aspects that affected Britain's home front.

Geography

Through the context of WWII the children will learn about the changing political geography of Europe. We will be locating the world's countries using maps and atlases and using this knowledge to consider geographical features and political landscapes.

PSHE

We will be thinking about feelings and emotions, peer pressure and relationships. We will also be learning about drugs and medicines and how we can live a healthy life.

PE

The children will be taking part in a range of net and ball games such as basketball and football. In Term 1, a cricket coach will be coming in to share their expertise in the sport on a weekly basis.

Religious Education

The big question that we will be covering over the two terms is: 'Is it better to express your beliefs in arts and architecture or in charity and generosity?' This investigation will enable pupils to learn from different religions and ways of life through exploring important ideas in ways that relate to commitment.