



Year 6 Autumn 1 Newsletter



What's On

PE Tuesdays

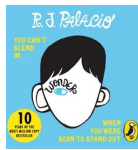
Swimming Thursday

Adam Bushnell visit

Homework given out Friday, due in by following Thursday

English

Reading and writing activities (including diary entries, non-chronological reports and discussion texts) based around our first novel in Y6 — Wonder.



Maths

- Place Value
- Addition, subtraction, multiplication & division
- Fractions



Science — Electricity



- Use symbols to represent simple circuit in scientific diagrams.
- Associate the brightness of a lamp with the number and voltage of cells used in a circuit.
- Create electrical circuits and identify components

PSHE/RSE

- What affects mental health and ways to take care of it.
- Managing change, loss and bereavement.



History— WW2



Identify and understand key events that led up to WW2. Understand main areas of Britain targeted by German bombing and why they were targeted. Understand events of the Blitz and the effect on local residents. What life was like in the Home Front. Women in WW2 and the role of the land army. The life of an evacuee child. What we can learn from the events of WW2.

Computing

How data is transferred over the internet. Focus on addressing, before they move on to the makeup and structure of data packets. How the internet facilitates online communication and collaboration; they complete shared projects online and evaluate different methods of communication. How to communicate responsibly by considering what should and should not be shared on the internet.



Art/Design and Technology



Create expressively in their own personal style. Combine materials and techniques appropriate to fit with ideas. Describe, interpret and evaluate the work, ideas and processes used by artists across a variety of disciplines, being able to describe how the cultural and historical context may have influenced their creative work.

Music — WW2

Listen to and appraise music that was performed during World War 2. Pupils will write their own song lyrics to celebrate the life of a soldier, learning structure with verses and a chorus, creating a melody and learning how to accompany that melody.



Class Assembly

Thursday 17th October 2:30pm

Theme: World War Two



Reminder...



PE kit (blue shorts, red t-shirt, trainers)

Swimming kit (one-piece swimsuit/swimshorts, swimcap, towel, goggles if required)

No earrings/jewellery

School shoes should be plain black