

Dear Parents and Children,

I cannot believe it is the summer term already! We have learnt so much and there is still so much fun to be had. Our new topic is 'World War II' and 'Comparing People and Places', and I am so excited to share the pride of our country. Remember to let me know of anything you find out at home, and also to look at the Knowledge Organisers on our website for each unit in more depth.

Miss Tuckwood

**English:** This term we will be reading 'Bill's New Frock' and will be writing our own narrative based on the story. We will then use 'Until I Met Dudley' to help us write some explanation texts. We will end the year by looking at Kennings poetry.

**History:** In history, we will study World War II and focus on Winston Churchill, German Vs British places, spitfires, evacuation, rationing, the role of woman, the holocaust and key events. We will also have a very exciting trip to look forward to!



**Computing:** We will use our topics as a stem as we explore all the Microsoft programmes to develop our computer skills, including Word Processor, PowerPoint and Excel.

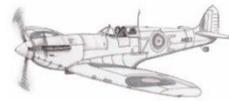


**Spanish:** We will be looking at sports, leisure and hobbies including famous Spanish-speaking athletes. Followed by foods, such as prices, amounts, shopping lists and recipes!



**Maths:** We are starting our year with line graphs. We will then move onto ensure we are all confident on using the 4 operations and their written methods. We will also look at rounding, negative numbers and consolidating our knowledge of decimals and fractions. We will also complete a unit on lengths and weight as well as learning Roman Numerals. The Multiplication Check in June is fast approaching so we will also be doing lots of times table practice.

**Art:** In the first term, we will focus on a variety of drawing techniques as we sketch different versions of a Spitfire. We will then create beautiful silhouette art using watercolour wash backgrounds.



**PE:** In the first term, we will enjoy gymnastics and tennis, before focusing on specific skills using the 'Real PE' approach.

**RE:** In RE, we will have a focus on Islam and study what it is like to be a Muslim today.



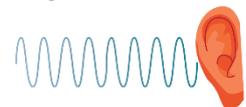
**PSHE:** In PSHE, we will explore the importance of and how to care for others and the environment.



**Geography:** In line with our new topic, we will locate deserts and rainforests, look at human and physical features, climate zones, biomes, urban and rural, and focus on comparing regions in the UK, Europe and North America.



**Science:** In science, we will investigate sound - how it travels, waves and frequencies. Interesting stuff, we can't wait!



**DT:** We will be planning, creating and evaluating skills in DT by cooking ration themed treats and modelling spitfires!

**Music:** We will be looking at pop music, focusing on The Beatles!

