

AUTUMN TERM - YEAR 5/6 CLASS 12



WELCOME TO YEAR 5/6

In class this year are

Mrs Cooper – class teacher
Mrs Danson – Teaching Assistant

Please join our class on Dojo where you will be able to keep up to date with class notices and directly message Mrs Cooper.



GENERAL INFORMATION

P.E this year will be on a Monday and a Wednesday.

Snack is 20p per day or 40p for a drink and a snack.

If you need to speak to me I will be at the classroom door every morning and after school or can be contacted via ClassDojo.

School opens at 8.40am and closes at 3.20pm



ENGLISH

This term we will be using the text 'The Silver Sword'.

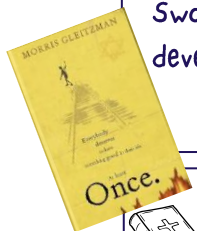
Outcome - To write a classic narrative.

Other writing opportunities – diary entry, character description

We will also be generating information texts using poetry as a stimulus and exploring persuasive adverts through 'Christmas Truce'.

Reading

The texts we will be using are: 'The Silver Sword' and 'Once'. These texts will be used to develop our reading skills.

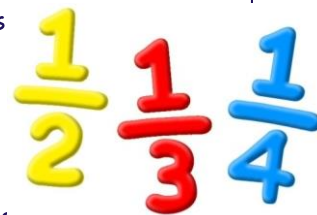


MATHS

In Maths, we will start the year by recapping our knowledge of place value and applying new knowledge for numbers up to 1,000,000. We will be comparing, ordering, rounding and problem solving.

We will continue through the term exploring

- addition and subtraction
- fractions
- decimals up to 2 decimal places
- perimeter and area
- position and direction
- multiplication and division
- time



Learn Its

- Counting in negative numbers
- Counting in powers of 10
- Square numbers
- Cube numbers (Y6)
- Fraction and decimal equivalents (Y6)
- Doubling whole numbers



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

In Religious Education we will explore the units of

- Domestic Church
- Baptism/Confirmation
- Advent/Christmas
- Other Faiths: Judaism



RSHE

In RSHE, we will be focusing on Relationships and Keeping Safe.

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SCIENCE

In Science, we will be studying Classification – classifying plants and animals using their characteristics, Life Cycles – parts of a flower, how plants grow, animal reproduction and animal environments.



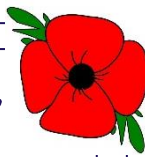
COMPUTING

In Computing, we will be exploring Systems and Networks and manipulating and creating Spreadsheets.



HISTORY

In History, we will be learning about World War 1, World War 2 and the Impact of War. We will explore key figures and how the wars came to be, the Battle of the Somme and Remembrance. Later in the unit we will learn about evacuation, rationing, the Blitz and the role of women, and how the war impacted Britain.



GEOGRAPHY

In Geography, we will be learning about Germany: location, neighbouring countries, major cities, human and physical features and Liverpool: OS maps, locate key places, Draw maps and create keys, observe rainfall and locate features on a map using 6 figure grid references.



ART

In Art, we will be exploring Printing using foam tiles, rollers and printing ink, and linked to Remembrance.



D.T.

In Design Technology, after half term, we will explore Food and Nutrition by designing, making and evaluating Christmas biscuits.



SPANISH

In Spanish, we will recap previous learning and learn about the Family. After half term we will explore Where We Live and Christmas.



P.E

In PE lessons, we will be exploring the Invasion Games of hockey and basketball, followed by units on gymnastics and dance.



MUSIC

In Music, we will Listening to music linked to our topic on war, followed by an Instrumental unit on the theme of 'living things'.