

Year 6 Parent/ Carer Newsletter -Autumn Half Term 1 2016

The aim of our new curriculum is to link much of the work around a theme, which makes learning more exciting and purposeful.

Science

Our science focus will be on classification and throughout this topic we will be carrying out experiments to find out answers to questions which arise.

Creative Carousel

Music, Art, DT ,
Cooking ,Sewing
and ICT skills linked
to the Learning
Challenge.

English Work

Over the half term children will be learning to write stories with flashbacks, how to write persuasively and to develop an understanding of poetry.

Religious Education

This term the focus will be on religious symbols and symbolism.

This half term our Learning Challenge is:
**How did Hitler's invasion of Europe
impact on Britain?**

Computing

We will start the half term by reviewing safety online, before moving on to writing , debugging and testing a computer program.

Mathematics

In sets, we will concentrate on place value and the 4 rules of +, - x and ÷ to solve problems.

Our Values RESPECT

The children will be creating their own class rules and personal targets. They will also be discussing how to improve relationships.

French

Children will be learning French phrases and vocabulary as part of their topic 'Around Town'.

How can you help?

You may have artefacts from WW2 that the children can show and discuss. Children should be encouraged to talk to grandparents (or great-grandparents) about school life in their day. Help your child research using libraries or the internet to find out what life was like during WW2.