

Maths:

Place Value:

Where do the commas go when you write one million in figures? If 1,000,000 is the whole, what could the parts be? How else can you partition the number? What is the value of each digit in the number? Which columns will change if you add/subtract 10, 100, 1,000, ... to/from the number? When do you use placeholders in numbers?

English:

Goodnight Mister Tom

Year 6 will be reading *Goodnight Mister Tom* as a link to the history topic. The children will be able to use the text to experience that life was like for families and evacuees. We will also watch the DVD as part of this topic, please let me know if you do not wish your child to watch the film.

Science: Northern Lights

Recognise that light travels in straight lines. Examine how light reflects into the eye. Research how light travels and alternative light sources. Carry out investigations into shadows and how light creates them.

RE: Creation

Year 6 will examine creation and science and debate whether they conflict or complement each other. They will be able to identify what type of text some Christians say Genesis 1 is and discuss its purpose. They will be able to show an awareness of different interpretations.



Computing: We will be using Scratch to develop their own interactive game using coding language.

Humanities: WW2

Why did Britain go to war in 1939? Year 6 will understand how the actions of Hitler threatened European peace. They will investigate how Britain was able to stand firm against the German threat and how families were affected by war.

Spanish: Conversational language

To continue looking at the country of Spain and its regions. To begin conversations about life in Spain, their favourite sports and past times.

Music: We will look at the language used in WW2 songs used to lift the spirits of the nation. We will even create our performance pieces using a variety of instruments.

PSHE: Jigsaw Programme. The Year Ahead

Year 6 will be looking at dreams and goals and planning targets for the year ahead.

PE: Swimming & Field Sports

Year 6 will be swimming every Friday morning at Saltash Leisure centre but Mr Brown will also be teaching

Design & Technology:

Sun dials.

To produce sun dials using paper plates. We can use these for an investigation as part of our cross curricular science topic, light.

Art & Design: Depict movement in pictures

Year 6 will be able to demonstrate knowledge and understanding in drawing lines, add texture, pattern, form, shape, tone, smudge, blend and mark to produce a mural, fresco, portrait or graffiti.