

# OUR LEARNING JOURNEY

## WORLD WAR II

### SUMMER TERM YEAR SIX

DURING THIS TOPIC WE WILL:

LEARN ABOUT HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANT FIGURES

ORDER EVENTS CHRONOLOGICALLY

CONSTRUCT INFORMED RESPONSES BASED ON INFORMATION AND EVIDENCE

EXPLORE THE REASONS FOR WWII STARTING

LEARN ABOUT RATIONING AND WHY CHANGE WAS NEEDED

UNDERSTAND THE ROLES WHICH WOMEN HAD DURING THIS TIME

LEARN ABOUT THE HOLOCAUST

#### CROSS CURRICULAR LINKS:

##### English

'The Emergency Zoo' class text  
Newspaper articles  
Poetry  
Persuasive writing

##### DT & Art

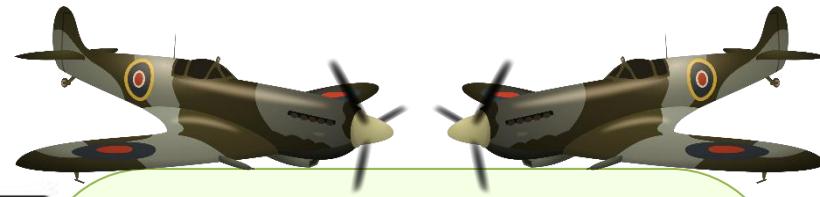
Researching and sketching 'War Art'  
Designing and making a 'Rescue Mission' pulley system.

##### Science

Effects the war had on the human body (respiratory system, a balanced, healthy diet)

##### Music

WWII songs

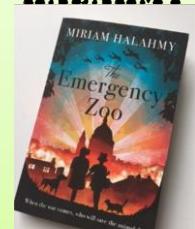


#### TOPIC ACTIVITIES THIS TERM WILL INCLUDE:

- ★ Using maps, atlases and ICT
- ★ Making a pulley system
- ★ Newspaper Reports
- ★ Letter writing
- ★ Performance Poetry
- ★ Sketching
- ★ Finding factual and reliable sources
- ★ Developing Scientific skills
- ★ Public speaking and performing



#### KEY TEXT 'THE EMERGENCY ZOO' BY MIRIAM HALAHMY



# OTHER SUBJECTS

## MATHS

### Measure

Read, write and convert between standard units

Converting metric measures

### Fractions, Decimals and Percentages

Converting Fractions to Decimals to Percentages

Applying each within word problems, focusing on the context

### Averages

Finding the Average, including Mean.



## ENGLISH

Spelling rules

Performance and critique

Writing for different purposes and audiences

Reviewing, discussing and evaluating a range of poetry

Exploring figurative language

Assessing and analysing pieces of writing

Tenses

## SCIENCE

### Animals including humans

Identify the main parts of the circulatory system

Explain the functions of the main organs

Describe how drugs and alcohol impact the body

### Sex Education

Sexual relationships

Reproduction

How a baby grows

## ART/DT

### War Art

Henry Moore – Shelters

Annotate/reflect on his work  
Make a composite shelter drawing

Create a tunnel background  
Reflect and evaluate own work.

Model designing and making  
Using various different tools and materials



## RE

### Witnesses

What is meant by having the courage to be a witness

Pentecost: The Holy Spirit enables people to become witnesses

Martyrs and modern Christian witnesses

### Healing

Understanding when people become sick and need care

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the sick

Forgiveness of sins

### Common good

Justice for the good of all

The work which Christians do for the common good for all

Justice and peace for the integrity of creation

## COMPUTING

### E-safety

### Web Page Creation

What makes a good website?

Copyright vs copywrong

Layout and design

Think before you link

### Variable in Games

Understanding variables

Variable in programming

Designing and improving a

You could support your child's learning at home by:

Read with your child 5 times a week  
Purchase (if possible) the class main text

Support your child in learning any lines or songs for the Y6 Production



## PE

Developing our Health & Fitness and Personal skills

Fundamental skills:

Coordination – sending and receiving and footwork

Agility – ball chasing

Developing personal best within competition

Athletics

