



Year 6 Autumn 1 and 2

Battles, Bombs and the Blitz



Topic

In Art and Technology, we will be:

Creating artwork based on the Blitz.

Finding out about the importance of propaganda posters and producing our own.

Improving upon art and design techniques through drawing, painting and sculpting with a range of materials.

Learning about the 'Make, Do and Mend' initiative and using sewing techniques to create and mend a various textiles and clothing.

Using a range of media and different artistic techniques to create our own World War 2 based topic displays.

In Science, we will be:

Learning about light and shadows - how light appears to travel in straight lines and how we see objects.
Investigating electricity – learning about circuits.

In Geography, we will be:

Locating countries using maps and learning about their significance in World Wars.

In History, we will be finding out about:

Key events leading up to, during and immediately following World War 2.

Key people involved in World War 2.

What happened to evacuees.

The impact of rationing.

Learning about how propaganda was important to the war effort.

In ICT, we will be:

Using 'Scratch' software to design and create a war themed computer game.

In English we will be:

- Writing Non-Chronological reports about World War 2.
- Working on a range of techniques for writing narratives.
- Reading and writing poems.
- Learning how to effectively research a text type and plan to write it using key features.
- Developing key year 5 and 6 spellings by investigating patterns.

In Maths we will be:

- Developing knowledge of place value.
- Adding and subtracting using formal written methods.
- Multiplying and dividing using formal written methods.
- Looking at the relationship between fractions, decimals and percentages.
- Using our maths knowledge to support problem solving and reasoning.
- Regularly practising our mental maths.

Inspiration:

- Visit to Eden Camp