

English

Our focus text will be 'Letters From the Lighthouse', as well as this we will be using WWII speeches and diaries and a selection of poems to immerse ourselves in WWII writing. We will be developing our fiction writing, and continuing our grammar learning from Y5.

Maths

To begin the year we will be focusing on place value and the four operations, including multiplication and division. We will spend time recapping our Y5 learning to ensure we are feeling confident and secure.

History

Our key question is—How did WWII impact Great Britain? To answer this, we will be learning about the Home Front including rationing and evacuations. Our learning will include a trip and a special 'evacuee day'.

RE

We will be learning about Muslims and how they show commitment to God. In addition, we will be delving deeper into the teachings of Jesus from the Bible.

Science

This term our Science focus will be Chemistry. We will be completing a chemistry investigation and taking part in a school Science fair. We will also be learning about light and how it travels.

World War II

Eagles Autumn Term 2025



Class information:

PE will be on a Tuesday and Friday. Children must be in correct PE kit on these days.

Spelling tests will happen each week. The spellings will be given out on Friday and will be tested the next Friday. Please ensure your child practises these at home alongside regular reading.

Computing

In this topic, we will explore how data is transferred over the internet. We will focus on addressing, before moving on to the makeup and structure of data. We will then look at how the internet facilitates online communication and how to do this responsibly.

Music

We will be using Fingal's Cave by Mendelssohn to explore the themes of dynamics, pitch and texture in music.

Art& DT

In art, we will be developing our paintings skills using Lowry's painting 'The Blitzed Site' as our focus. In DT we will learn about CAM mechanisms. We will then design and make a wooden cam toy suitable for an evacuee.

French

This term we will be recapping the vocabulary learned so far including greetings, feelings, numbers and days of the week.

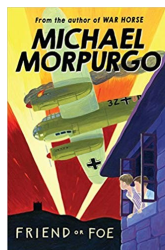
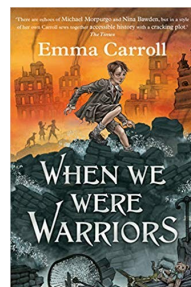
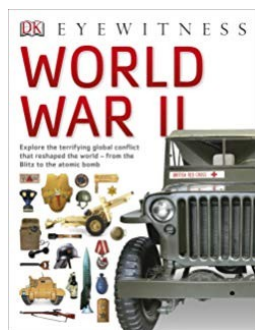
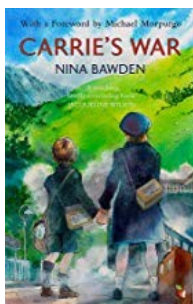
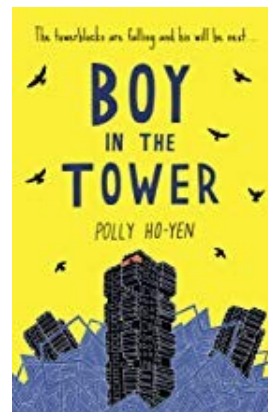
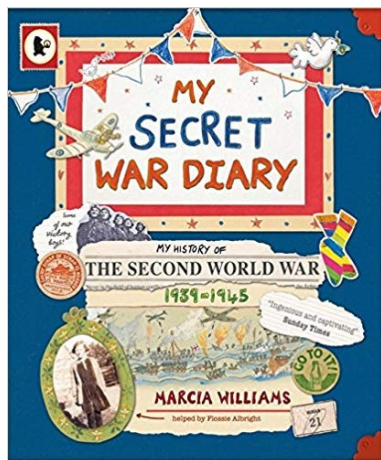
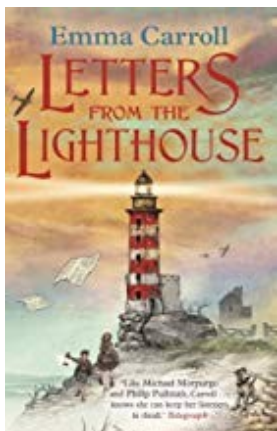
PSHE

Our Jigsaw topics are called 'Being Me In My World' and 'Celebrating Difference.' We will be learning about the challenges and achievements of people around the world and how this compares to our lives. We will continue to use circle time as necessary.

Roots to grow, wings to fly

Recommended Reading List for Y6 from Mrs Whiston

Books linked to our topic of WWII:



Other great reads:

