

In Maths we will learn about:

Place Value: We will be working with numbers up to and over 1,000,000 including decimals.

Arithmetic: Column addition, subtraction, formal methods of written division and multiplication, adding, subtracting, dividing and multiplying fractions.

Geometry: Properties of shapes and position and direction.

In PE we will learn about Invasion

games: We will be developing our team skills through invasion games.

Swimming: We will be aiming to get faster, more controlled and perfecting strokes.

PE: Please note that **all jewellery**, e.g. earrings **must** be removed.

Thursday – Children need to come to school in their PE kit. It must only be white, black or green with no logos.

Wednesdays- Swimming Kits: Swimwear, swim hat & towel.

In Geography we will learn about different countries involved in WWII.

We will be locating the allies and axis as well as closely looking at the impact of the Blitz on cities in the UK.

We will be using our compass skills to navigate our troops around our school grounds.

In History we will learn about World War II.

We will investigate the historical impact of World War II on our country, including propaganda, rationing, evacuation process and the blitz. We will learn about how Darwen helped in the war effort and look for evidence in the local area.



Boom! Bang! Blitz!

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In PSHE we will be learning about being me in my world. We will learn about rules and responsibilities and their impact on our lives.

In Music we will learn about World War II songs.

We will listen to and recognise the stylistic features of the music of WWII. We will develop our pitch and control when singing war songs, and performing melodies from a notated score.

In English we will learn about: Singing and writing our own War Songs; learning popular poetry from the 1940's and writing letters as an evacuee.

Other activities will include:

Reading, 'Letters from the lighthouse;' looking at, 'Carries War' and creating our own propaganda.

In RE we will be learning about the Bible:

We will be exploring how and why Christians read the bible. We will also be exploring why people of faith read their Holy books.

Christmas around the world.

We will be looking at how we celebrate Christmas and different traditions around the world.

In DT we will learn about safe meal preparation.

We will be working in groups to research and prepare a 3 course war time meal. We will taste test and score the food after we have made it. We will then research the journey of our main ingredients from 'farm to fork' and write our favourite recipes.

In Science we will be learning about forces and light. We will be investigating types of forces, including gravity, air resistance, water resistance and friction. We will learn how light travels and how we see things.