# YEAR 6 AUTUMN NEWSLETTER



## Our Learning

#### HISTORY: LEST WE FORGET

This term we will be learning about World War One and World War Two. We will learn about the lifestyle and society at the time of the British Empire and how the world wars changed lives across the world. We will hear many stories about the war, some local and some from around the world!

#### **MATHS**

This term will focus on securing knowledge and developing the following concepts:

- Place Value: Securing understanding of place value in 7 digit numbers
- Addition & Subtraction: using written methods, using numbers up to 6 digit numbers
- Multiplication & Division: using methods to multiply and divide up to 4 digits by 2 digits

#### **WRITING**

Our writing this term will link closely to History. We will write fact files and diary entries, stepping into the shoes of the people who lived in wartime. Children will be writing in joined up handwriting, using accurate spelling, punctuation and grammar, and showing their creativity through a variety of sentence types.

#### **PSHE**

This term we will focus on developing positive relationships and will be learning some strategies for developing mental and physical wellbeing.

#### PE: TUESDAY & THURSDAY

P.E is on Tuesday and Thursday. Please ensure that children come to school in the correct P.E kit:

- black shorts or tracksuit bottom (for colder weather)
- a red top
- Their school cardigan/jumper/ hoodie

Welcome back! We hope you had a wonderful summer holiday: It has been an amazing start to the term already; the children have settled back into school really well and we'd like to say a huge THANKYOU to the parents and carers for supporting your children to come back to school with such a great attitude, ready to learn. We are already so proud of the children and can't wait for the term ahead!

Miss Hanson, Miss Squires; Mrs

Dass; Mrs Bennett. Mrs Wilkins

## Reading & Homework

and Miss Strang

Children are aware that they need to read 5 times a week to help them develop their fluency and a love of reading.

Signed reading diaries and books are due in on a Friday to be checked by the class teacher and be given a new book! Each week, the class who have read the most at home will win the year group reading trophy! We greatly appreciate your support with this since reading regularly at home helps your children improve and builds their confidence in reading lessons!

Homework will be posted on showbie weekly, every Friday. The children will need to complete the task in maths, reading and spelling by the following Friday.

There are also two theme homework challenges (1 per half term) which are linked to World War One and World War Two!

**SHOWBIE HOMEWORK CODE: E8EB2** 

### **Important Dates**

Residential Trip to Skern Lodge: 19th -22nd September!