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Class Information Sheet for Parents – Year 6

Our topic of 'A Child's War' is continuing this half term where we will continue to explore what WW2 was like for children as well as looking at the use and purpose of propaganda. We will also experience what the end of the war was like by hosting our own street party.



Year 6 Teachers

Miss Stone (6S)

Mr O'Dwyer and Mrs Caygill-Boothroyd
and Mrs Sailsbury (6CO)

Other adults in Y6:

Mrs Kerry, Mrs Ives and Mrs Akthar.

In **Maths** this half term, we will be looking at fractions and decimals. We will begin by exploring what fractions are using equipment before exploring improper fractions and mixed numbers and learning how to add, subtract, multiply and divide them.

In addition to this, we will be continuing to embed all maths learning within the context of *Problem Solving* and *Reasoning* to ensure children are fully able to *apply* their knowledge.

You can help your child by;

- Talking about the maths they've been learning in school.
- Helping to practice their times tables as well as telling the time.
- Asking them to apply their maths skills in real life situations (e.g. counting change).
- Listening to them read every night.

Within P.E. this half term, children will take part in Yoga, Gymnastics and Basketball.

This half term **P.E.** will be on **Monday and Fridays.**

Please ensure your children have appropriate PE clothing on both of these days.

Dates for your diary:

Mon 13th January: Y6 SATs Meeting for Parents

Fri 7th February: Y6 Class Assembly

In **English** this half term, we will continue to read 'The Diary of Anne Frank' which will inspire our Guided Reading sessions. We will be learning more about Anne's experiences through different extracts. Alongside this, we will be reading 'Bombs and Blackberries' which will enthuse us to write a narrative through character and setting descriptions. Due to this book being a play script, we will also learn about how play scripts are presented and perform these in role.