

Summer Term
Issue 6

Year 5 News



Last Term in Year 5

We hope you are all looking forward to your last half term in Year 5 and will be working hard for us both. This term is jam-packed but should be good with all our topic work, school trip & sports day to fit in.

Maths



This half term we will be looking at capacity, measuring angles, division using standard written methods and then we will finish the year with some fraction work.

History, Geography, Art & DT



Most of our work this term is based around The First World War as it is the centenary of the outbreak this year. We will begin by looking at life in Britain in 1914 before moving onto causes of war, famous figures and looking at trench life. In geography we will be studying how the countries changed during WWI and looking at the geography of Ypres in Belgium. Art will involve poppies in different media and DT will involve investigating soldier rations and creating a meal.

Other Topics

RE ~ Symbolism
PSHE ~ Changes
Music - Who Knows?
French ~ Les Sports

ICT In ICT we will be learning how to use Microsoft Excel to deal with statistics from WW1 and create graphs of data



Dates for Your Diary

Date	Activity
2 nd June	Childline assembly
9 th June	Childline Workshop
11 th June	Beamish Trip
13 th June	Time Capsule Theatre
19 th June	Records Office Visiting
1 st July	Sports day
19 th July	Break Up

PE

This term we will be working on the athletics skills of running, jumping and throwing in order to improve our skills and hopefully gain some personal bests in each event in our athletics award scheme.

Literacy

This half term we will be studying the novel *Private Peaceful* and looking at dramatic conventions before moving onto letter writing and taking part in the project 'an unknown soldier' before moving onto war poetry and biographies.

