



Curricular Newsletter Primary 7 Term 2

This term your son/daughter will focus on:

Literacy and Language

Reading: We are continuing to read 'Divided City' this term and will learn about inferences and carry out comprehension tasks related to this book. Non-fiction genres will also be taught this term. We will find out about the features and predict the text from identifying key criteria. **Writing:** As writers we will be focusing on persuasive writing. We will look at different persuasive texts and identify the details included in each, we will use these details to help us write a persuasive piece using our knowledge of World War 2. We will also write story settings and link our ideas to the Christmas and winter.

Numeracy and Mathematics

Numeracy: As mathematicians we will be developing our understanding of fractions and decimals. We will be comparing, adding and simplifying fractions as well as recording fractions in different ways. We will be continuing our work on calculation and will be linking the world of work. We will be thinking about opportunities for using these skills in different jobs in our local area and beyond. **Mathematics:** We will be using everything we learned in measuring and apply it to measuring the perimeter and area. We will be learning our skills outdoors through real life challenges and linking to the world of work.

Health and Physical Education

In PE, we will be learning numeracy through movement with PE Counts. A specialist coach will work with us each week on different games and activities that develop our physical education skills as well as our numeracy skills! In health we will be continuing to learn about the world of work. We will learn about career paths and investigating how we can follow many career opportunities. We will be continuing to focus on the Emotion Works cogs to improve our emotional literacy and to support us through Covid.

Social Studies, Science and Technologies

As scientists we will be learning about electricity and forces. We will be linking our topic, WW2, to create moving 'tanks', electrical circuits with switches and will even be writing secret codes with lemon juice. As always we will be working on our inquiry skills and will use digital technology to present our findings.

Music, Dance, Drama and Art

dances flow and create our own.

As artists we will be looking at WW2 artists and will be recreating some pieces inspired by them. Techniques such as collage, decoupage and drawing will be developed further. In dance we will be learning dances new and old! We will be learning different skills to help our

Religious Education

In RME we will be learning about Judaism and The Holocaust linked to our WW2 topic.

Modern Languages

In French we will be learning how to read, write, talk and listen to French phrases about our pets, families and discuss others in 3rd person. We will also be learning how to count to 100.

<u>Please remember it is your child's responsibility to ensure that their iPad is fully</u> charged at home and ready for school each day.

Special days this term for your son/daughter are:

Tuesday and Thursday Please wear PE kit to school under uniforms. Please do NOT wear any jewellery to school on these days. Soft Shoes to be worn in school at ALL times.











