

Hackbridge Primary School – Curriculum Information

Year Group: 6

Term: Spring Term 2021

Our Imaginative Learning Project (ILP) for this half-term is...



A Child's War



TOPIC OVERVIEW

A siren sounds and a Spitfire zooms overhead! It's 1939 and Britain is at war.

This half term, we'll imagine what it was like to be evacuated and live with a family other than our own. Using different source materials, we'll learn about evacuation and write letters to our families 'back home'. We will plot the Second World War's events on a timeline and learn about rationing and the Battle of Britain. From a range of maps, we'll identify safe and dangerous places during the war and make persuasive posters to support the war effort. After researching the life of Anne Frank, we will write a biography about her. From a range of sources, we will find out about children during the war and learn about discrimination that existed at the time. We'll learn about what it was like during the Blitz and think about how soldiers might have felt. In D&T, we will make Anderson shelters. At the end of the ILP, we will perform an interpretive dance about the War.

ENGAGE EVENT

Explore a range of sources to immerse ourselves in the period.

EXPRESS EVENT

Recording an interpretive dance about the War.

WHAT WE WILL COVER AS PART OF THE ILP THIS HALF-TERM:

ILP Main Focus	History (teachers, please note that this is set by Cornerstones)
English	Newspaper article, narrative, instructional writing and a letter.
Art and design	Watercolours inspired by artists of the period. Collage gas mask.
Design and technology (DT)	Design and build a model air-raid shelter.
Geography	Studying maps of Europe.
History	The Second World War.
PE	World War 2 interpretive dance.

SUBJECTS THAT WE WILL TEACH IN ISOLATION THIS HALF-TERM:

Mathematics	Percentages and Algebra.
Science	Electricity
Computing	Programming.
Music	Musical appraisal and composition based off Charanga scheme
Physical education (PE)	Real PE scheme.
Religious education (RE)	The Journey of Life.
Personal, social, health and economic (PSHE) education	Healthy relationships.
MFL – French (KS2 only)	Schooling in France.

Your child will have a home learning grid for this half-term. They should aim to complete a minimum of 3 activities on each grid by the end of the half-term.

At Hackbridge Primary School our school curriculum follows the framework for the national curriculum, supported by the use of Cornerstones materials alongside other learning and experiences, to offer a curriculum which is balanced and broadly based.

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