



War and Peace



English

The children will be learning about:

- Recount - holiday news
- Non-fiction texts - create an information page based on WW2 and RE Christianity
- Poetry - Valentines and Mother's Day poems
- Fiction Stories - Jim and the beanstalk, comparing traditional stories
- SPAG - suffix -ing (including past and present progressive), 2A sentences, exclamatory sentences, contractions, possessive apostrophe



PE

- Gymnastics - balances and sequences
- Games - ball games
- Dance - the children will be learning a dance



Science

Scientific enquiry:

- Animals - Classifying animals, animals and their offspring, habitats and food chains
- Suitable materials



Year 2

Overview

We begin this term by recounting our Christmas break and retrieving lots of skills in different subjects. During this term, Year 2 will be working as historians. They will investigate the past by looking at different sources to learn all about World War II. Children will then use what they have found out to create their own information page and World War II vehicles in DT. We will finish the term by learning about British Values and Easter. Special days/weeks involve 'well-being week', the Chinese New Year and World Book week.

History

- Handling evidence to find out about the past.
- Understanding chronology and labelling timelines.
- Understanding concepts such as war and peace

Geography

- Using compass directions.
- Using grid references to direct BeeBots.
- Devising simple maps.



Maths

The children will be learning:

- Multiplication (2, 3, 5 and 10 timetables)
- Division
- Multiplication and division inverse problems
- Solving word problems involving all operations (+ - x ÷)
- 2D and 3D shapes
- Number bonds to 10/20/100 and the inverse
- Number families and making connections in number
- Mental maths operations
- Money
- Fractions of numbers and shapes



Religious Education

The children will be learning about:

- Parables
- Easter symbols and how it is celebrated.
- Lent
- Christian and Sikh stories



British Values

- Mutual respect and tolerance of different faiths and beliefs - RE



Art & DT

- Mother's Day decoration - dip dye/plaiting
- Chinese New Year
- D&T project - wheels & axels, Easter baskets
- Georgia O Keefe - plants, Paul Nash - war art

