

## History

Research life during World War 2 and how key events changed the British way of life.

Explore why the war broke out, how evacuees felt, the home front, the impact of rationing, entertainment during World War 2 and the Blitz. Research the impact World War 2 had on Houghton Conquest.



## Geography

### European Countries

To understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom, a region in a European country. To use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied. To locate the world's countries, using maps to focus on Europe. To describe and understand key aspects of human geography, including: types of settlement and land use, economic activity including trade links, and the distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water.

## Literacy:

**Historical fiction story:** Friend or Foe, Michael Morpurgo

**Poetry:** Remembrance Day poems.

### **Key skills:**

- Use of possessive apostrophes
- Dictionary skills
- Increase fluency of handwriting
- Planning, drafting, evaluating and editing writing
- Expanded noun phrases
- Fronted adverbials

## Mathematics:

### Place value

- To partition 4 digit numbers.
- To compare and order 4 digit numbers.
- To round numbers to 10, 100 and 1000.
- To understand Roman numerals.
- To count in 25s.

### Addition and subtraction

- To add and subtract numbers mentally,
- To add and subtract numbers with up to four digits, using formal written methods of columnar addition and subtraction.



## Science

### Electricity

Identify the dangers associated with electricity in the home. Construct a simple circuit, identifying the basic parts to label a diagram.

Predict if different 'circuit' layouts will light a bulb, and then test predictions.

Open and close a circuit with a switch and predict and test which other materials could be used to conduct electricity. Record findings and draw conclusions about materials used to make electrical circuits, and materials used to keep us safe from electrical circuits.

Make a circuit with a buzzer and a switch and record the circuit in a labelled diagram.



### Sound

Investigating which materials are best for sound proofing.

Discovering how vibrations cause sounds and how vibrations link to the volume of sound made, considering the patterns between objects and their pitch.

# World War II

## Physical Education

### Fundamental Movement Skill Focus

- Coordination: Floor Movement Patterns
- Static Balance: One Leg Standing
- Cardio: Dynamic Balance to Agility
- Static Balance: Seated

### RE



Learn why Jesus is so significant to Christians and how his teachings affect the way Christians live.

### PSHE

To identify and discuss some school rules for staying safe and healthy. To list some of the dangers we face when we are using roads, water or railways. To describe drugs, cigarettes and alcohol in basic terms. To identify some common injuries and know they can be treated with first aid. To recognise hazards and dangers in an emergency situation. To state 999 as the number to call to seek help in an emergency.

## Art

Produce a silhouette picture of the Blitz.

To learn about LS Lowry and analyse his paintings.

To explore colour mixing, tints, tones and shades.

To explore the foreground, mid-ground and background of a landscape painting.

To create a composite picture in the style of LS Lowry.



## Music

Build on knowledge and understanding of the interrelated dimensions of music through: -

- Vocal warm ups - Learning to sing the song - Playing instruments with the song - Improvising with the song - Composing with the song Performance skills.



## French

To name some of the major cities of France. To identify and say typical amenities to be found in French towns. To say and order multiples of ten. To ask and give a simple address in French.

## Computing

Understand the need to be thoughtful when working on a collaborative document.

Use comments to suggest changes to a document and understand how to resolve comments.

Use a variety of different slide styles to convey information including images and transitions.

Create a Google Form with a range of different question types that will provide different types of answers, e.g. text, multiple choice or numerical values.

Export data to a spreadsheet, highlighting data, using conditional formatting and calculating averages and sums of numbers.

## Design and Technology

To understand and apply the principles of a healthy and varied diet. To prepare and cook a variety of predominantly savoury dishes using a range of cooking techniques. To understand seasonality, and know where and how a variety of ingredients are grown.