**Mission Statement**

In English (Literacy) and Mathematics

**In Literacy** this term we will be developing our writing skills by writing a range of genres including:
- Character descriptions (characters from Good Night Mr Tom)
- Non-chronological report - The Home Front
- Poetry - Air Raids
- Instructional writing - Air Raid Shelters

**In Numeracy** we will look at:
- Imperial Measures
- Ratio and Proportion - recipes from dig for victory
- Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication & Division of decimals
- Geometry: Properties of Shape
- Fractions (including Decimals & Percentages)
- Measurement
- Algebra
- Ratio & Proportion

**Modern languages**

In modern languages we will be learning German language about:
- Basic Greetings
- Ordering Food
- Answering the register

**Personal, Social and Health Education (PSHCE)**

- Global difference and diversity
- Go givers - when is enough, enough?

**Philosophy for Children (P4C)**

This term the children will all take part in P4C lessons which allow children to develop their speaking and listening skills as well as their critical and creative thinking. The sessions are child led however the sessions have a stimulus to aid discussion. This term we will be looking at ‘changes’ and ‘disputes’ linked to our topic learning.

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Dear Parent / Carer,

Welcome back. We hope that the children have had a fun and restful break and are now ready and raring to go. This term is an important term as we prepare for assessments at the end of Y6. This information leaflet is to inform you of the Spring term curriculum. Our topic this term is ‘WW2 - How Does war change lives?’ We will base our learning around the home front and evacuation before moving on to study aspects of the Holocaust.

We ask that you encourage your child to read regularly, continue to practise Maths Passports and further your child’s learning with Sumdog, TT Rock Stars, Bedrock and Bug club online, which is now called Active Learn. Homework will continue to be given weekly and will consist of grammar book work, spellings, guided reading and numeracy tasks. It is vital that the children continue the studying they are doing at school when they are at home to ensure they are fully prepared for the up-coming assessments. Please visit your child’s class blog regularly on the school website to see some of the amazing learning your child is involved in. Additionally, please make sure that you have signed up to Class Dojo so that you can see how your child is getting on. Please call and speak to your child’s class teacher if you have any questions.
In Geography the children will learn to:
- Locate European countries on a map
- Locate Commonwealth countries on a map
- Recognise and understand time zones on a
- History children will study WW2 and learn about:
  - To consider sources of evidence and evaluate their reliability
  - Place key historic events in a timeline
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- Study ‘Lowri’ style of art

This term we will be learning about:
- Light - How the eye works
- Electrical circuits

- Programming / Program loops
- Simple electronics, programming lights to come on when dark
- Spreadsheets and Graphs
- Internet Safety: Passwords, Safer Internet Day
- Image Editing
- Graphic design - propaganda posters

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REAL project
VE day celebration

Physical Education
- Gymnastics
- Football
- Playground games

We hope you find this information useful and that it may help you have a better understanding of what your children may tell you about their time in school.