

Your Year 6 Learning Journey



English



The first text that will form the basis of our English work will be *Robert Westall's 'The Machine Gunners'* which explores life during World War Two in the North-East of England. We will be focusing on honing our narrative skills, writing persuasive speeches from Winston Churchill's perspective and adopting a formal tone throughout our writing when appropriate.



Science



This year, we are focusing on planning different types of scientific enquiries to answer questions. We will also use the results of these to make further predictions and to set up more tests (including fair tests). We will report and present findings from our tests using speaking and written results. Our topics will be Animals (including humans) which will focus on diet, lifestyle and exercise and the effects these can have on our bodies.

Maths

Our focus in Maths this term will be continuing to build on fluency, reasoning and problem-solving. We will be investigating Statistics and ratio, including interpreting data from a variety of graphs. Also we will be completing a budgeting and planning project based on creating our own theme parks.



Topic

Our topic for Summer term will be World War Two. As well as the historical element, this will also mean becoming aware of the geography of the conflict and considering the ethical aspects involved too. We will incorporate a themed day where children will experience many different aspects of what life was like for different groups of people during the war.

